

# Did you know?

Buying or building your radio controlled model aircraft and enjoying time out flying can be a relaxing and fun way to spend the day....but did you know that there are Australian Government rules that determine where and how you fly?



### The basic rules

- Keep your model aircraft away from populated areas and the immediate vicinity of others (i.e. > 30 metres)
- Do not operate within 3nm or 4.5km of an aerodrome without approval
- Do not operate in controlled airspace above 400ft without approval
- Do not operate in military prohibited or restricted areas without approval
- Consider the benefits of approved flying areas
- Do not fly in poor visibility, clouds or at night
- For more specific details visit casa.gov.au or your local club or association

#### then consider...

speaking with an experienced flier before you fly

our environment and the people around you.

## Further info.

- Model Aeronautical Assoc. of Australia. www.maaa.asn.au
- Civil Aviation
  Safety Authority
- Civil Aviation Safety Regulations 1998 Part 101 sub parts A, B, C and G
- CASA Advisory Circular AC101-3(0)

Phone 131 757 www.casa.gov.au

Your local model aircraft club

## Help available

For free advice, instruction, information on flying sites and public liability insurance contact the Secretary of the Model Aeronautical Association at: secretary@maaa.asn.au



#### Australian Government



**Civil Aviation Safety Authority**