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## Trial Flight Operations for RNAV Route (area-navigation routes) Developed for Small Disaster Relief Aircraft

Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism (MLIT) will establish the flight route for small aircraft (mainly for helicopters) and start the trial flight operations as shown below.

### Outline

1. Expected Starting Date: May 29, 2014 (Thursday)
2. Covered Aircraft: Small aircraft (mainly helicopters) to be used for disaster relief, etc.
3. Covered Route: Between Oshima Island Area and Hachijyo-jima Island Area
4. Purpose of Evaluation: Pointing out issues related to flight operations, examining the effects on the air traffic control services, etc.
5. Prospective Participants: Fire aviation and newspaper companies

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