



OPERATION INSTRUCTION 03/16

**Prohibition on use/carriage of Samsung Galaxy Note 7 mobile phone on board Gulf
Air aircraft**

In light of several incidents globally, involving the battery of the Samsung model Galaxy Note 7 personal electronic device, the traveling public and Gulf Air are required to ensure the following for the safety of aircraft operations:

With immediate effect, and until further notice

1. Any Samsung Galaxy Note 7 personal electronic device shall not be powered on (regardless of mode), nor charged, on board a Gulf Air flight.
2. Samsung Galaxy Note 7 personal electronic devices shall not be stowed in any checked-in baggage of Gulf Air flights.
3. Notices informing persons intending to travel by air of instructions 1 and 2 above shall be displayed at the point of check-in. Appropriate action shall be taken by Gulf Air to ensure compliance with this Instruction, and effectively manage any situation arising from the risks posed by this product.


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