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Austria

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The Austrian Aviation Rules were revised in 2014 (see Austrian Federal Law Gazette II No. 297/2014). The definition of the Austrian Upper State Boundary, which is now in section 3 (5), remained unchanged and continues to read as follows: "Upper State Boundary — USB: the altitude at which aircraft can no longer move by aerodynamic lift but only according to Kepler's force".

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¹ English translation supplied by Austria.