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APPROVAL OF PROPOSAL FOR CHANGE TO THE DELAY ATTRIBUTION GUIDE

1. The Office of Rail Regulation has today approved proposals DAB01-08 to DAB09-08 inclusive to amend the Delay Attribution Guide, which were submitted to it by the Delay Attribution Board on 24 July 2008 and the associated amendments to the DAG will take effect on 1 February 2009.
2. These proposals for change reflect a number of amendments to the Delay Attribution Guide to reflect the inclusion of new definitions of 'Reactionary Delay' and 'Primary Delay', and to provide further guidance on the treatment of certain types of delay.
4. ORR has approved these proposals because it is satisfied that the changes are required to the Delay Attribution Guide to provide greater clarity to the delay attribution process.
5. A copy of this letter, the approval notice and the proposals will be placed on the ORR website. A copy of the approval notice will also go on the ORR's public register.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Michael Lee".

Michael Lee





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NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF CHANGE TO THE DELAY ATTRIBUTION GUIDE

1. This notice is given under Condition B2.7.2 of the Network Code. Terms defined in the Network Code have the same meaning in this notice. References in this notice to Conditions are references to Conditions of the Network Code.
2. The Delay Attribution Board submitted proposals for change to the Delay Attribution Guide numbered DAB01-08 to DAB09-08 inclusive under Condition B2.7.1 on 24 July 2008. The Delay Attribution Board has also submitted a written memorandum explaining the reasons for the proposed changes and details of the result of the consultation process as required by Condition B2.7.1.
3. The Secretary to the Delay Attribution Board has informed me that the Board unanimously endorsed the proposals for change.
4. ORR now gives notice to the Delay Attribution Board that it approves proposals for change numbered DAB01-08 to DAB09-08 inclusive for the purpose of Condition B2.7.2 and that this change will take effect on 1 February 2009.
5. A copy of the proposals for change is attached to this notice.

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