

## Licence Exemption

1. The Office of Rail and Road (ORR) exempts under section 7(3) of the Railways Act 1993:

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**Board of Trustees of the Science Museum**

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**A body corporate by Schedule 1 of the National Heritage Act 1983**

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from the requirement to be authorised by licence to operate the railway assets described in paragraph 2 below.

2. This exemption applies to:

- (a) the network within Locomotion: Board of Trustees of the Science Museum at Shildon *and* any extensions to this network carried out after 18 December 2017, which have been notified to ORR and in respect of which ORR has consented, *together* known as “the exempt network”; that is exempt by the Railways (Class and Miscellaneous Exemptions) Order 1994; and
- (b) any train, station or light maintenance depot operated on the exempt network, that is not exempted by the Railways (Class and Miscellaneous Exemptions) Order 1994

A list of the railway assets to which this exemption applies is at Schedule 1.

3. This exemption is valid from 18 December 2017.

4. ORR may revoke the whole or any part of this exemption:

- (a) if the exemption holder is granted another licence or exemption for the operation of all or some of the railway assets to which this exemption applies; or
- (b) if ORR suspects on reasonable grounds that the exemption holder has operated a railway asset without a necessary licence or exemption; or
- (c) if all or some of the railway assets to which this exemption applies are not used for at least one year; or
- (d) if the exemption holder ceases to be the operator of all or some of the assets to which this exemption applies; or
- (e) by agreement in writing with the exemption holder.



Signed by authority of ORR

**18 December 2017**

Reference number: NE/17/02



## **Schedule 1**

The assets to which this exemption applies are:

<b>Asset</b>	<b>Date</b>
1. Any train, station or light maintenance depot covered by paragraph 2b of this exemption.	18 December 2017
2. The network within Locomotion: Board of Trustees of the Science Museum at Shildon and any network carried out after 18 December 2017.	18 December 2017