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Dear Janet and Rob

Consent to supplement the track usage price list (Class 769)

- 1. We have today consented to supplement the track usage price list, following a joint proposal submitted to us by the above on 1 June 2018, under paragraph 9 of Part 2 of schedule 7 to their track access contract.
- 2. The purpose of this supplement is to amend the Passenger Variable Usage Charge (VUC) Rates section of the Track Usage Price List to include new Class 769 Motor (769/M) and Trailer (769/T) vehicle types. They are expected to start operating during the May 2018 timetable period.
- 3. There is no requirement for industry consultation in this matter as the changes do not affect any other train operating company.
- 4. As the new VUC has been agreed between the parties and calculated using the agreed Control Period 5 (CP5) VUC calculator, we have accepted the vehicle characteristics used at face value. It is the parties' responsibility to assure themselves that they are correct in all aspects.
- 5. Under paragraph 9 of part 2 of schedule 7 to the track access contract the change shall have effect from the date on which the vehicles are first used on the Network by the train operator.

Yours sincerely

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