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A connection contract at Ilford Light Maintenance Depot (Ilford LMD) between Network Rail Infrastructure Limited (Network Rail) and Abellio East Anglia Limited (AEA)

Pursuant to section 18 of the Railways Act 1993, I approve the terms of the proposed access contract (being a track connection contract) submitted to the Office of Rail and Road (**ORR**) on 14 June 2018, relating to the connection at Ilford LMD.

I further hereby direct you, Network Rail and AEA, in your respective capacities as facility owner, to enter into the proposed access contract with the other of you, in the capacity of beneficiary, on the terms agreed no later than 19 July 2018.

You shall be released from the duty to enter into the contract in question if:

1. either of you, in the capacity of facility owner, gives ORR notice of an objection pursuant to section 18(7)(c)(i) of the Railways Act 1993 before the expiration of a period fourteen days beginning with the day after the day on which these directions are issued; or
2. either of you, in the capacity of beneficiary, fails to enter into the proposed access contract by the date which is no later than 19 July 2018.



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Duly authorised by the Office of Rail and Road

