Licence Exemption

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

The Scottish Railway Preservation Society

registered in Scotland with number SC055533

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 forming the Bo'ness & Kinneil Railway and any extensions to this network that ORR consents to carried out after 24 June 2013, *together* known as "the exempt network", that is not exempted 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 24 June 2013
- 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

24 June 2013

Reference number: NE/13/04

Schedule 1

The assets to which this exemption applies are:

Asset		Date
1.	Any train, station or light maintenance depot covered by paragraph 2b of this exemption.	24 June 2013