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Telegram

SYDNEY

8 APRIL

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TO:

SYDNEY TRAINS

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Head of Service Delivery
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ROC Sydney
Signal Box Operations
Deputy Executive Directors Train Crew
Crew Managers Train Crew
Shift Managers Train Crew

NSW TRAINS

Associate Director Network Coordination
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ABSOLUTE SIGNAL BLOCKING (ASB) UPDATED REQUIREMENTS

From Wednesday 15 April 2020, this Safe Notice Telegram cancels and replaces Safe Notice Telegram 1047 – 2019.

In exception to NWT 308: Absolute Signal Blocking, when blocking facilities have been applied to exclude rail traffic from a portion of line, blocking facilities **MUST** not be removed to allow signals to be cleared for an alternate route.

Blocking facilities **MUST** remain applied while the ASB is in force.

These requirements will also apply when blocking facilities are applied to signals that are used to exclude rail traffic from a portion of line in accordance with NTR 432: Protecting activities associated with in service rail traffic.

SYDNEY, 8 APRIL 2020

DIRECTOR SAFETY AND STANDARDS SYDNEY TRAINS

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