

Friday 6 June, 2025

Sara O'Connor Executive Director, Regulation

Sent via email:	
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#### Sections 47J and 47K Submissions

Dear Sara,

I refer to the *Railways (Access) Code 2000* (**Code**), unless otherwise defined capitalised terms used in this letter have the same meaning as set out in the Code.

In accordance with sections 47J and 47K of the Code and section 2 of the approved Costing Principles, please find attached the following documents:

- Depreciated Optimised Replacement Cost (DORC) Report
- Depreciation Schedule
- Level of Service Statement

The attached DORC Report, prepared by Arc's consultant, includes two options for optimisation of the signalling assets which comply with the Code and Costing Principles. Arc submits Alternative A as the DORC for the ERA's consideration.

In addition to the attached DORC Report, for the purpose of formal compliance with the Code and Costing Principles, included in this letter as Appendix A is the DORC for a number of redundant Route Sections. As Arc developed its DORC and worked through a systematic process of associating its detailed Railway Infrastructure data to Route Sections, it determined there was no Railway Infrastructure to assign to these Route Sections.

Similarly, Arc notes the attached documents introduce several new Route Sections not included in the currently approved Costing Principles which were identified through the process outlined above.



Arc is separately submitting an amendment to the Costing Principles to remove the redundant Route Sections and include the new Route Sections.

If you have any queries on the attached please contact the undersigned.

Kind regards



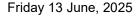
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## Appendix A

Code Route Number	Code Route Gauge	Code Route Name	Route Section	DORC Value
		The track between Avon and Kalgoorlie,	Merredin	\$0
1	SG	including the loop and the arrival road adjacent to that track at West Kalgoorlie	Southern Cross	\$0
3	3 SG	The track between Kalgoorlie and Leonora	Malcolm	\$0
3	36		Menzies	\$0
_	SG	The track between West Kalgoorlie and	Esperance	\$0
3	5 SG	Esperance	Hampton	\$0
10	NG	The track between Kwinana and Mundijong Junction	Kwinana	\$0
11	NG	The track between Mundijong Junction and Picton Junction	Brunswick Junction	\$0
44	DG	The track between Midland and Avon	Toodyay West	\$0





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Additional and supplementary to the documents Arc submitted to the ERA on 6 June 2025 (**June 6 Letter**) in accordance with sections 47J and 47K of the Code and section 2 of the approved Costing Principles, please find attached to this letter a **Depreciated Optimised Replacement Cost List** whose costs match those articulated as Alternative A in the previously provided DORC report.

The list has 219 entries for Route Sections (as per the added and removed Route Sections detailed in the June 6 Letter), and provides the DORC to the nearest dollar. For ease of reading the DORC Report had displayed the Route Sections by aggregating some (the CBH Siding items) and only showed the values to the nearest \$0.1m.

In the interest of comprehensiveness and clarity, the Depreciated Optimised Replacement Cost List provides the full detail, as it was not Arc's intent to omit this detail. Arc intends that this list be part of the submission and therefore be published as per the rest of the submission.

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Kind regards



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Acting General Manager of Commercial and Regulatory



# Depreciated Optimised Replacement Cost List

Date: 13 June 2025



### **Route Section DORC List**

Network Group	Route Section (Code Route Number & Route Name   Route Section)	DORC
Matua		4 004 242
Metro	45.DG Midland to Kwinana   Kwinana West to Kwinana KBT	1,681,312
Metro	45.DG Midland to Kwinana   Kwinana North to Kwinana West	2,063,325
Metro	45.DG Midland to Kwinana   Kwinana North to Kwinana	5,388,736
Metro	45.DG Midland to Kwinana   Cockburn South to Kwinana North	37,410,335
Metro	45.DG Midland to Kwinana   Cockburn East to Cockburn South	5,017,274
Metro	46.DG Cockburn North to Cockburn East   Cockburn North to Cockburn East	4,732,515
Metro	47.DG Cockburn North to Cockburn South   Cockburn North to Cockburn South	6,915,811
Metro	45.DG Midland to Kwinana   Kenwick to Cockburn East	157,120,919
Metro	45.DG Midland to Kwinana   Forrestfield to Kenwick	30,267,381
Metro	45.DG Midland to Kwinana   Forrestfield	50,727,027
Metro	2.SG Forrestfield South to Kewdale   Forrestfield South to Kewdale	11,174,589
Metro	45.DG Midland to Kwinana   Woodbridge South to Forrestfield	111,642,564
Metro	45.DG Midland to Kwinana   Woodbridge West to Woodbridge South	4,233,877
Metro	45.DG Midland to Kwinana   Midland to Woodbridge South	28,692,964
EGR	44.DG Midland to Avon   Midland to Millendon Junction	161,418,119
EGR	44.DG Midland to Avon   Millendon Junction to Toodyay West	575,293,643
EGR	44.DG Midland to Avon   Toodyay West to Avon Yard	221,375,078
EGR	44.DG Midland to Avon   Avon Yard	8,119,869
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   Avon Yard to West Merredin	921,520,581
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   West Merredin	17,020,332
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   West Merredin to Merredin	14,987,359
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   Merredin to Southern Cross	883,093,776
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   Southern Cross to Koolyanobbing East	246,210,676
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   Koolyanobbing East to Mount Walton	366,404,866
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   Mount Walton to West Kalgoorlie West	699,164,431



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	(Code Route Number & Route Name   Route Section)	
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   West Kalgoorlie West to West Kalgoorlie	43,577,190
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   West Kalgoorlie	17,314,925
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   West Kalgoorlie to Kalgoorlie	33,744,468
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   Kalgoorlie	4,026,825
EGR	1.SG Avon to Kalgoorlie   Kalgoorlie to Parkeston (border)	5,011,176
Midwest	40.NG Narngulu to Maya   Narngulu to Narngulu East	12,208,008
Midwest	40.NG Narngulu to Maya   Narngulu East to Mullewa	433,841,187
Midwest	40.NG Narngulu to Maya   Mullewa to Tilley Junction	496,402,272
Midwest	40.NG Narngulu to Maya   Tilley Junction to Tilley	7,336,229
Midwest	40.NG Narngulu to Maya   Tilley to Morawa	8,455,422
Midwest	40.NG Narngulu to Maya   Morawa to Perenjori	117,807,427
Midwest	40.NG Narngulu to Maya   Perenjori to Maya	11,848,580
EBL	4.SG West Kalgoorlie West to West Kalgoorlie South   West Kalgoorlie West to West Kalgoorlie South	11,967,238
EBL	4.SG West Kalgoorlie West to West Kalgoorlie South   West Kalgoorlie to West Kalgoorlie South	14,709,826
EBL	5.SG West Kalgoorlie to Esperance   West Kalgoorlie South to Hampton Intermodal Terminal	57,644,316
EBL	5.SG West Kalgoorlie to Esperance   Hampton Intermodal Terminal	3,565,546
EBL	5.SG West Kalgoorlie to Esperance   Hampton Intermodal Terminal to Hampton	24,510,778
EBL	5.SG West Kalgoorlie to Esperance   Hampton to Kambalda	161,239,279
EBL	6.SG Kambalda to Redmine   Kambalda to Redmine	31,146,254
EBL	5.SG West Kalgoorlie to Esperance   Kambalda to Salmon Gums	1,033,696,367
EBL	5.SG West Kalgoorlie to Esperance   Salmon Gums to Esperance	465,509,661
EBL	5.SG West Kalgoorlie to Esperance   Esperance to Esperance Wharf	45,193,560
EBL	5.SG West Kalgoorlie to Esperance   Esperance Wharf	6,748,214
LBL	3.SG Kalgoorlie to Leonora   Kalgoorlie to Menzies	404,831,440
LBL	3.SG Kalgoorlie to Leonora   Menzies to Malcolm	325,840,077
LBL	3.SG Kalgoorlie to Leonora   Malcolm to Leonora	89,979,586



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	(Code Route Number & Route Name   Route Section)	
LBL	3.SG Kalgoorlie to Leonora   Leonora	8,159,960
SWM	10.NG Kwinana to Mundijong Junction   Kwinana to Mundijong Junction	119,923,874
SWM	11.NG Mundijong Junction to Picton Junction   Mundijong Junction to Pinjarra	254,394,436
SWM	11.NG Mundijong Junction to Picton Junction   Pinjarra to Pinjarra South	16,255,655
SWM	18.NG Pinjarra to Alumina Junction   Pinjarra to Alumina Junction	6,950,378
SWM	19.NG Alumina Junction to Pinjarra South   Alumina Junction to Pinjarra South	5,407,657
SWM	11.NG Mundijong Junction to Picton Junction   Pinjarra South to Wagerup North	127,284,075
SWM	11.NG Mundijong Junction to Picton Junction   Wagerup North to Wagerup South	6,523,498
SWM	11.NG Mundijong Junction to Picton Junction   Wagerup South to Brunswick North	175,747,444
SWM	11.NG Mundijong Junction to Picton Junction   Brunswick North to Brunswick Junction	6,942,435
SWM	11.NG Mundijong Junction to Picton Junction   Brunswick Junction to Picton Junction	142,920,251
SWM	15.NG Picton Junction to Picton East   Picton Junction to Picton East	11,238,815
SWM	16.NG Picton Junction to Bunbury Inner Harbour   Picton Junction to Bunbury Inner Harbour	25,122,621
SWM	17.NG Picton Junction to Bunbury Terminal   Picton Junction to Picton Container Terminal	5,599,902
SWM	17.NG Picton Junction to Bunbury Terminal   Picton Container Terminal to Bunbury Terminal	16,645,789
SWM	13.NG Picton Junction to Lambert   Picton Junction to Greenbushes	33,476,584
Collie	21.NG Brunswick North to Brunswick East   Brunswick North to Brunswick East	4,094,834
Collie	20.NG Brunswick Junction to Premier   Brunswick Junction to Brunswick East	8,031,047
Collie	20.NG Brunswick Junction to Premier   Brunswick East to Worsley	109,212,433
Collie	20.NG Brunswick Junction to Premier   Worsley to Worsley East	3,771,119
Collie	20.NG Brunswick Junction to Premier   Worsley East to Ewington Junction	76,165,148
Collie	20.NG Brunswick Junction to Premier   Ewington Junction to Premier	4,630,786
Collie	22.NG Worsley to Hamilton   Worsley East to Worsley North	2,050,542
Collie	22.NG Worsley to Hamilton   Worsley to Hamilton	29,673,196
MR	38.NG Millendon Junction to Geraldton   Millendon Junction to Watheroo	536,656,218
MR	38.NG Millendon Junction to Geraldton   Watheroo to Marchagee	74,690,646



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	(Code Route Number & Route Name   Route Section)	
MR	38.NG Millendon Junction to Geraldton   Marchagee to Dongara	490,006,958
MR	38.NG Millendon Junction to Geraldton   Dongara to Narngulu	159,820,975
MR	38.NG Millendon Junction to Geraldton   Narngulu to Geraldton	87,208,231
MR	39.NG Dongara to Eneabba South   Dongara to Eneabba South	19,499,407
Central	34.NG Avon Yard to McLevie   Avon Yard to Goomalling	140,463,036
Central	34.NG Avon Yard to McLevie   Goomalling to McLevie	285,597,898
Central	35.NG Goomalling to Mukinbudin   Goomalling to Amery	76,042,725
Central	35.NG Goomalling to Mukinbudin   Amery to Mukinbudin	274,664,345
Central	36.NG Amery to Kalannie   Amery to Burakin	142,725,585
Central	36.NG Amery to Kalannie   Burakin to Kalannie	42,947,670
Central	37.NG Burakin to Beacon   Burakin to Beacon	92,466,721
Central	41.NG Toodyay West to Miling   Toodyay West to Miling	268,997,391
GSR	23.NG Avon to Albany   Avon Yard to York	176,378,286
GSR	23.NG Avon to Albany   York to Brookton	267,228,070
GSR	23.NG Avon to Albany   Brookton to Narrogin	260,474,785
GSR	23.NG Avon to Albany   Narrogin to Wagin	178,946,242
GSR	23.NG Avon to Albany   Wagin to Wagin South	15,012,328
GSR	23.NG Avon to Albany   Wagin South to Katanning	166,749,206
GSR	23.NG Avon to Albany   Katanning to Tambellup	177,085,514
GSR	23.NG Avon to Albany   Tambellup to Redmond	390,036,139
GSR	23.NG Avon to Albany   Redmond to Albany	75,369,514
Lakes	27.NG Wagin to Newdegate   Wagin East to Wagin South	1,586,699
Lakes	27.NG Wagin to Newdegate   Wagin to Lake Grace	315,506,832
Lakes	27.NG Wagin to Newdegate   Lake Grace to Newdegate	125,066,455
Lakes	28.NG Lake Grace to Hyden   Lake Grace to Hyden	228,596,839
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Avon Yard	4,996,318



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	(Code Route Number & Route Name   Route Section)	
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Bodallin	2,342,987
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Burracoppin	2,498,142
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Carrabin	2,705,498
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Cunderdin	4,324,738
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Doodlakine	2,393,184
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Grass Patch	7,012,664
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Grass Valley	3,180,811
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Hines Hill	2,331,836
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Kellerberrin	4,983,739
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Meckering	2,241,446
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Merredin	5,467,430
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Moorine Rock	2,231,085
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Salmon Gums	3,841,882
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Southern Cross	6,108,439
CBH Sidings SG	8.SG CBH siding connections   Tammin	4,394,632
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Albany	4,073,285
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Arrino	1,425,009
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Avon Yard	846,811
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Ballaying	1,130,064
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Ballidu	5,055,425
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Beacon	3,153,771
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Bencubbin	3,885,561
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Beverley	1,211,750
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Bindi Bindi	1,884,873
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Bolgart	1,470,489
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Bowgada	2,056,718



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	(Code Route Number & Route Name   Route Section)	
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Brookton	7,623,866
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Broomehill	4,420,828
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Buniche	2,559,289
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Bunjil	159,939
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Cadoux	2,314,787
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Calingiri	3,132,545
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Canna	8,101,014
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Carnamah	2,251,366
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Cleary	899,919
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Coomberdale	(86,876)
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Coorow	3,096,003
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Cowcowing	980,222
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Cranbrook	10,392
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Dowerin	1,075,676
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Dumbleyung	6,213
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Ejanding	896,622
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Gabbin	1,495,280
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Goomalling	2,127,668
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Hyden	-
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Jennacubbine	1,510,731
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Kalannie	1,978,592
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Karlgarin	3,879,167
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Katanning	4,348,009
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Kirwan	1,743,082
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Kondut	2,148,658
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Konnongorring	1,912,831



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	(Code Route Number & Route Name   Route Section)	
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Koorda	3,561,117
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Kuender	2,837,151
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Kukerin	1,524,199
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Kulja	557,259
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Lake Grace	4,764,523
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Latham	79,675
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Manmanning	(178)
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Marchagee	2,803,348
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Maya	552,656
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   McLevie	2,975,494
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Merredin	1,243,920
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Miling	3,639,032
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Mingenew	5,816,731
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Minnivale	2,528,746
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Mogumber	9,611
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Mollerin	(775)
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Moora	1,943,254
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Morawa	5,798,149
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Moulyinning	1,167
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Mount Kokeby	6,067
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Mukinbudin	4,296,898
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Mullewa	4,697,777
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Narrogin	2,864,236
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Newdegate	1,115,740
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Perenjori	3,071,712
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Piawanning	1,631,179



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	(Code Route Number & Route Name   Route Section)	
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Pingaring	1,576,570
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Pithara	1,239,096
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Tambellup	2,287,745
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Tarin Rock	1,436,626
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Three Springs	4,601,074
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Wagin	4,477,400
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Watheroo	1,585,711
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Welbungin	1,892,929
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Wongan Hills	4,114,012
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Woodanilling	2,366,534
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Wyalkatchem	2,111,892
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Yerecoin	3,433,146
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   York	2,026,297
CBH Sidings NG	42.NG CBH siding connections   Yornaning	1,272,422
Sidings & Other	7.SG Cockburn North to Robb Jetty   Cockburn North to Robb Jetty (SG)	27,399,057
Sidings & Other	9.SG Other siding connections   Esperance Industrial Road	13,887,672
Sidings & Other	9.SG Other siding connections   West Kalgoorlie Industrial Road	16,366,096
Sidings & Other	9.SG Other siding connections   Kewdale North Grid	7,338,099
Sidings & Other	9.SG Other siding connections   Kewdale BP Loading Depot	3,867,210
Sidings & Other	12.NG Cockburn North to Robb Jetty   Cockburn North to Robb Jetty (NG)	16,355,687
Sidings & Other	23.NG Avon to Albany   Redmond to Mirrambeena	10,177,736
Sidings & Other	43.NG Other siding connections   Kwinana to Kwinana Alcoa	12,711,361
Sidings & Other	43.NG Other siding connections   Kwinana to Kwinana West	1,960,864
Sidings & Other	43.NG Other siding connections   Kwinana West to Kwinana KBT	219,109
Sidings & Other	43.NG Other siding connections   Extension Hill Siding	6,185,299
Sidings & Other	43.NG Other siding connections   Tilley Siding	6,065,783



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	(Code Route Number & Route Name   Route Section)	
Sidings & Other	48.DG Other siding connections   Kwinana West to Kwinana FPA	15,033,226
Sidings & Other	48.DG Other siding connections   Kwinana FPA to Kwinana CBH	15,661,513
Non-Operational	13.NG Picton Junction to Lambert   Greenbushes to Lambert	16,832,530
Non-Operational	14.NG Boyanup to Capel   Boyanup to Capel	3,804,544
Non-Operational	24.NG York to Quairading   York to Quairading	14,469,143
Non-Operational	25.NG Narrogin to West Merredin   Narrogin to West Merredin	42,218,932
Non-Operational	32.NG West Merredin to Kondinin   West Merredin to Kondinin	29,900,528
Non-Operational	33.NG West Merredin to Trayning   West Merredin to Trayning	13,953,798
Non-Operational	26.NG Yilliminning to Kulin   Yilliminning to Kulin	20,240,703
Non-Operational	29.NG Katanning to Nyabing   Katanning to Nyabing	12,182,801
Non-Operational	31.NG Tambellup to Gnowangerup   Tambellup to Gnowangerup	7,474,266
Non-Operational	30.NG Katanning East to Katanning South   Katanning East to Katanning South	-
TOTAL		15,262,760,914