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Michael Parker
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Sent by email to [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Parker

Extension of Railways (Access) Code 2000 sections 47J (3) and 47K (3) periods

I refer to the Public Transport Authority's submission of its statement setting out its depreciated optimised replacement cost (DORC) determinations and supporting material, and depreciation schedule provided to the Economic Regulation Authority in accordance with sections 47J and 47K of the Railways (Access) Code 2000 (**Code**) on 31 July 2025.

I am writing to advise that the ERA is exercising its right under sections 47J (4) and 47K (4) of the Code to extend the period required by sections 47J (3) and 47K (3) for the ERA to approve or determine Public Transport Authority's DORC and depreciation schedule.

The ERA is unable to complete its determination within the prescribed timeframe. Additional time is necessary to properly consider the additional information we requested from the Public Transport Authority regarding the passenger services provisions that were required to be included in your proposal.

The ERA extends the periods referred to in sections 47J (3) and 47K (3) of the Code by 105 business days. The last day of the new period is 10 June 2026.

The ERA will publish a draft determination on the Public Transport Authority's DORC determination and depreciation schedule by the middle of February 2026 for public comment. This will inform the ERA's final determination, which currently is scheduled to be published in the middle of June 2026.

Yours sincerely

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Steve Edwell
Chair