### Council

# LOCAL PLANNING SCHEME NO. 5 - RESOLUTION TO PREPARE A NEW SCHEME

Resolution Deciding to Prepare a Local Planning
Scheme
Western Australian Planning Commission Form 1A
Scheme Area Map

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#### PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT 2005

#### RESOLUTION DECIDING TO PREPARE A LOCAL PLANNING SCHEME

#### SHIRE OF PLANTAGENET

#### LOCAL PLANNING SCHEME NO. 5

- 1. Council resolves to prepare Local Planning Scheme No. 5 to apply to the whole of the Shire of Plantagenet pursuant to Section 19, Division 1, Part 4, Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015; and
- 2. Council endorses the following Statement of Intent, Aims and Format of Local Planning Scheme No. 5:

#### Statement of Intent:

To prepare a new local planning scheme to apply to all land within the Shire of Plantagenet as shown on the Scheme Area Map. The intent of the new Scheme is to implement the Shire's Local Planning Strategy.

#### Proposed Aims of the Scheme:

The Aims of the Scheme provided below are purposefully broad enough to deliver the Shire's Local Planning Strategy;

The aims of the new local planning scheme are to:

- (a) encourage an appropriate balance between economic and social development, conservation of the natural environment, provision of infrastructure and services, and improvements in lifestyle and amenity;
- (b) zone sufficient land for residential purposes and encourage the development of appropriate housing design and diversity in housing choice;
- (c) provide sufficient zoned land for commercial, retail, industrial and civic uses, suitable to service long term growth of the Shire;
- (d) implement strategic planning for the municipality, in particular the recommendations of the Shire's local planning strategy and relevant State strategies;
- (e) reserve certain portions of land required for public purposes;
- (f) zone the balance of the land within the Scheme Area for purposes described in the Scheme as recommended by the Shire's local planning strategy;
- (g) define the uses and types of development to be permitted on land within the Scheme Area; and
- (h) control and regulate the development and use of land throughout the District.

The format of the new local planning scheme will be in accordance with the Mode Scheme Provision and is proposed to be a Local Planning Scheme applying the whole District within the Shire.					
Dated this	day of	2017			
		CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER			

Format of the Scheme:

## Resolution of a local government to prepare or adopt a new Local Planning Scheme

#### Regulation 19(1)

Planning and Development Act 2005

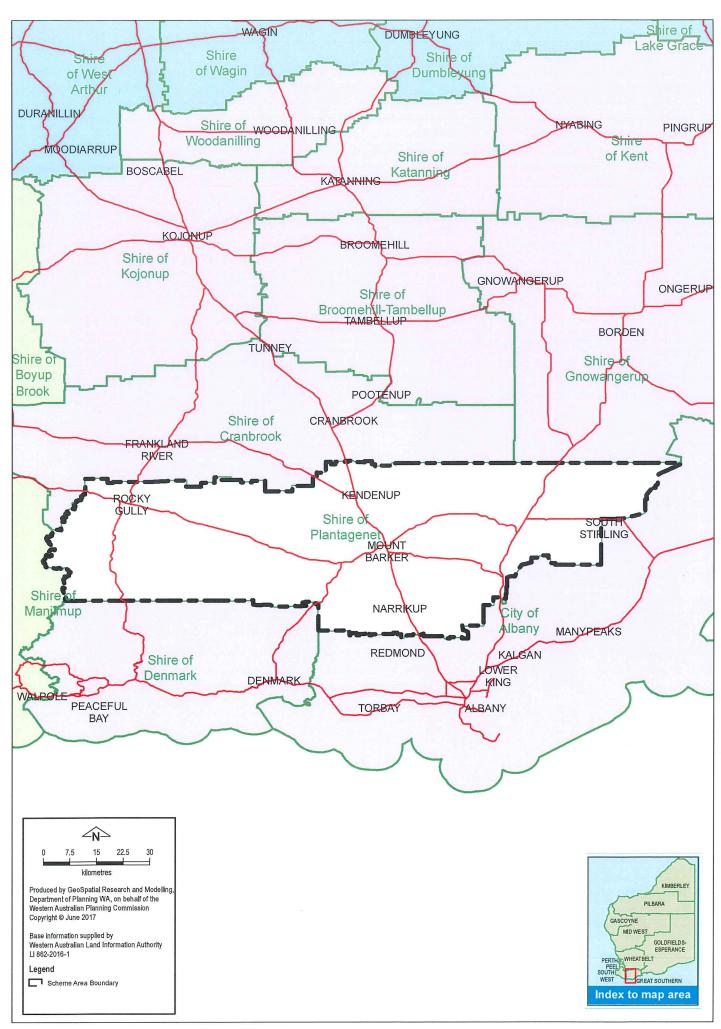
#### RESOLUTION TO PREPARE OR ADOPT A LOCAL PLANNING SCHEME

## For the entire district of the SHIRE OF PLANTAGENET

#### **LOCAL PLANNING SCHEME NO. 5**

Resolved that the local government, pursuant to section 72 of the *Planning and Development Act 2005*, prepare the above Local Planning Scheme with reference to the entire area within the Shire of Plantagenet and as shown on the plan presented to the Council of the local government at its meeting of 18 July 2017 to be referred to as the Scheme Area Map.

Dated this	day of	20
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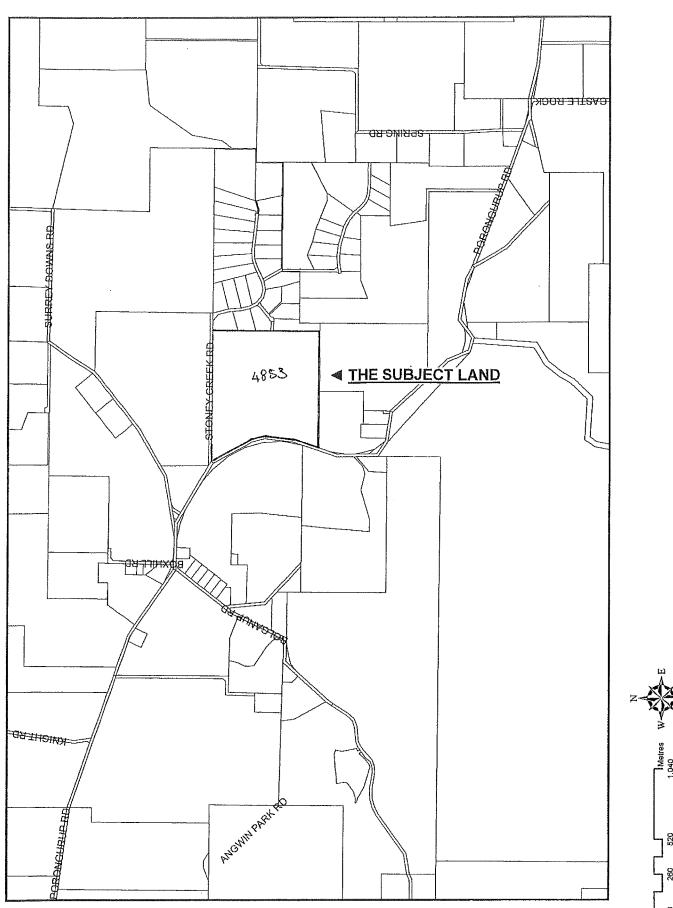
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## LOTS 200 AND 9000 PORONGURUP ROAD CORNER STONEY CREEK ROAD PORONGURUP – DEED OF RESTRICTIVE COVENANT FOR SIGNING

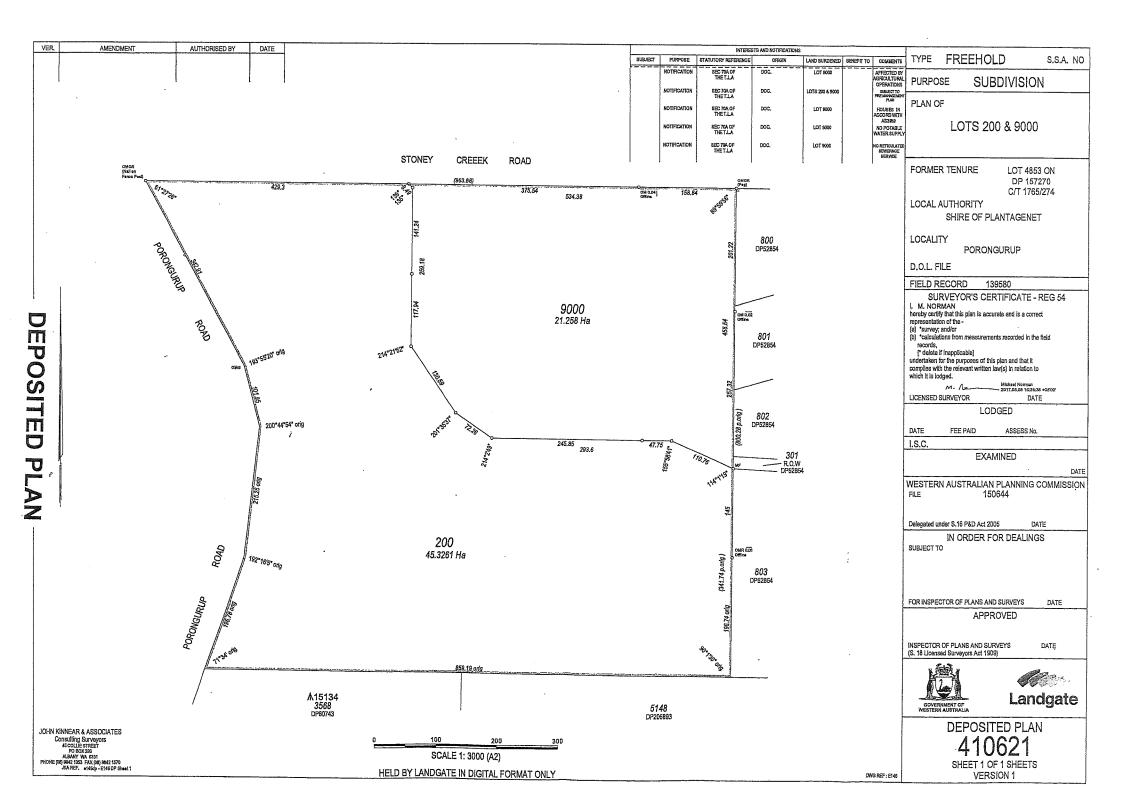
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Plan of Subdivision

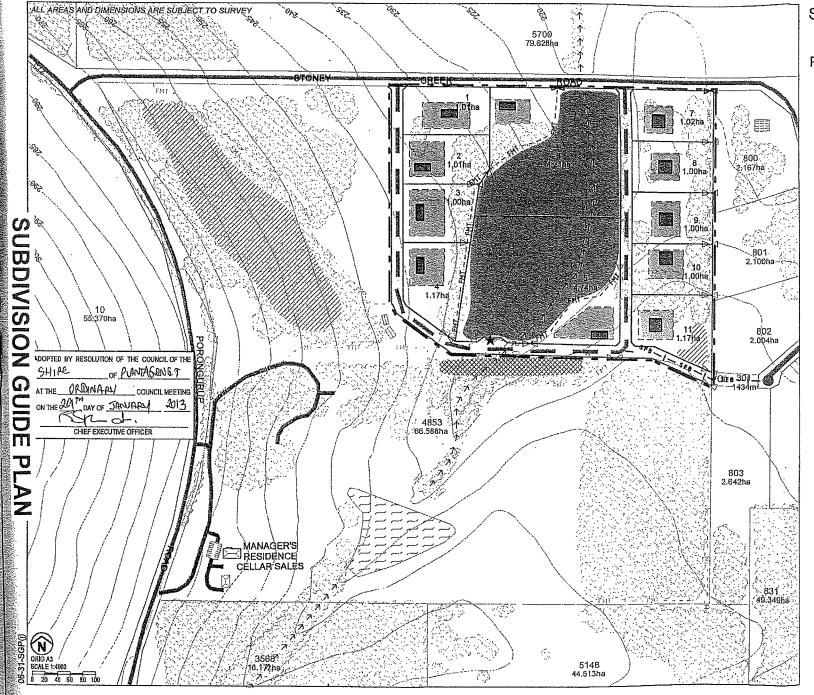
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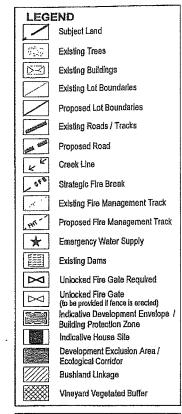


**LOCATION PLAN** 





SUBDIVISION GUIDE PLAN for Rural Residential Area 9 Pt. Lot 4853 Porongurup Road Porongurup, Shire of Plantagenet



#### NOTE

Structures, fences or firebreaks are not permitted within the Davelopment Exclusion Area.

All buildings to be designed and constructed in accordance with the construction requirements of Australian Standard — 3959 — Construction of Buildings in Bushfire Prone Areas for the determined BAL.

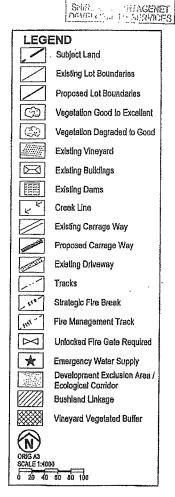
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## Council

# POLICY REVIEW – NOTICE OF ENTRY FOR PUBLIC SERVICE AND UTILITIES

Policy with amendments

Meeting Date: 18 July 2017

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#### POLICY No: I/R/12

#### FORMER POLICY No:

#### NOTICE OF ENTRY FOR PUBLIC SERVICES AND UTILITIES

DIVISION

**BUSINESS UNIT** 

**RESPONSIBILITY AREA** 

Works and Services

Infrastructure

Roads

#### **OBJECTIVE**

To provide clear guidelines to the Council, its officers and public utility companies and their contractors regarding the undertaking of public service and utility work within the Shire of Plantagenet.

#### **POLICY**

#### 1. Scope

This policy relates to works undertaken by public service and utility companies on land which is under the care, control and management of the Shire of Plantagenet.

#### 2. Application of Policy

Public service and utility companies must provide appropriate prior notice for any works to be undertaken within the Shire of Plantagenet. The Council will provide a letter of response, approval for public services and utilities works to occur, within the shire of Plantagenet provided that the Manager Works and Services is satisfied with the proposed works and provided that outlining the following conditions are adhered to by the utility company:

a) Should it be necessary to carry out the installation of underground services beneath a road pavement, approval must be sought from the Manager Works and Services prior to undertaking the works.

The following options are available where it is necessary to place underground services beneath the road pavement:

- a) Trenchless technology methods;
  - b) Utilise existing conduits / culverts; or
- c) Trench excavation and reinstatement.

Where underground services are to be placed beneath the road pavement and any existing conduits or culverts cannot be used, preference will be given to the use of trenchless technology methods. In the case of trench excavation and reinstatement, an appropriate 'defects liability period' will be applied to the reinstated work.

b) All trenches located within the road reserve shall be backfilled with quality material and suitably compacted following installation of plant or underground services. The finished surface level of the compacted backfill material shall generally match the existing surface profile of the road reserve.

- c) All disturbed areas shall be reinstated to pre-existing conditions following completion of the works. As a minimum, areas denuded by installation of plant or underground services shall be top soiled, turfed and regularly watered following completion of the works.
- d) All utility holes, inspection points and/or other permanent above ground features, which are to be located within the road reserve, shall be flush with the natural ground to avoid potential trip hazards.
- e) No fixed plant (pits, inspection holes, inspection points etc) or cabling shall be constructed either near or within existing road formation. This will ensure that, should the Council ever widen the road, the fixed plant/cable is sufficiently clear of the works.
- f) All cabling shall be laid to the following depths:
  - i) Under roads minimum 1.0 metre;
  - ii) Within verges minimum 0.75 metre; and
  - iii) Within public open space minimum 0.75 metre.
- g) Where work is likely to affect vehicular access to private properties, every attempt shall be made to accommodate the needs of landowners/residents regarding entry and/or exit from the property.
- h) A minimum of one trafficable lane shall remain open to the public at all times and traffic control shall be employed during the course of the works. A copy of the Traffic Management Plan shall be forwarded to the Manager Works and Services for consideration.
- i) The finished condition of the road and/or road reserve shall be to the satisfaction of the Manager Works and Services.
- j) Where work is to be carried out within privately or publicly owned land, the affected property owners shall be notified in writing of the utility's intent to install plant/cabling. All areas denuded or affected by the works within privately owned land or public open space shall be made good upon completion of the works.
- k) Where any removal of vegetation is required then the relevant clearing permits must be obtained from the Department of Environment Regulation prior to the seeking of consent from the Council.
- 1) All works are to comply with the Utility Providers Code of Practice for Western Australia, effective 1 February June 20105, and the Restoration and Reinstatement Specification for Local Governments in Western Australia, effective October 2002.

**ADOPTED: 10 FEBRUARY 2009** 

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## Council

## POLICY REVIEW – VEHICLE CROSSOVERS

Policy with Amendments

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POLICY No: I/R/13 FORMER POLICY No: P.V.4

#### **VEHICLE CROSSOVERS**

DIVISION

**BUSINESS UNIT** 

**RESPONSIBILITY AREA** 

Works and Services

Infrastructure

Roads

#### **OBJECTIVE**

To ensure a uniform approach for the construction of vehicle crossovers in line with the Council guidelines.

To define the Council's requirements and financial obligations for the construction of vehicle crossovers in road reserves.

#### **POLICY**

1. Scope

This policy applies to the installation and modification of crossovers for properties within the Shire of Plantagenet.

2. Legislation

Local Government (Uniform Local Provisions) Regulations 1996

Shire of Plantagenet Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Local Law 2008

3. *Definitions* 

Crossover

Has the same meaning as "crossing" as outlined in the Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Local Law 2008 and means a crossing giving access from a public thoroughfare to private land, or a private thoroughfare serving private land.

Standard crossover

Pursuant to Regulation 15 (2) of the Local Government (Uniform Local Provisions) Regulations 1996, the Council defines a minimum standard crossover as follows:

- a) Urban sealed: 3.0m wide (excluding splays), constructed in grey pre-mixed concrete.
- b) Urban unsealed: 3.0m wide (excluding splays), constructed in gravel with a minimum thickness of 200mm.
- c) Rural unsealed: 4.5m wide (excluding splays), constructed in gravel with a minimum thickness of 200mm.
- 4. *Application of Policy* 
  - 4.1 Property owners are required to complete and submit an Application for Approval to Construct a Vehicle Crossover for assessment before a

crossover is constructed or modified. Construction may not commence until written permission has been granted by the Council.

Approval to construct a crossover is valid for a two-year period from the date it is issued. If construction of the crossover had not been commenced within this period, a new application must be submitted to the Council for consideration.

- 4.2 Specification for the Construction of Vehicle Crossovers as adopted by the Council from time to time form part of this policy. All crossovers must be constructed in accordance with the Council's Specification for the Construction of Vehicle Crossovers. Within townsites, sealed crossings of concrete, brick paving, asphalt or other acceptable surface to the satisfaction of the Manager of Works and Services are required where the crossing adjoins a sealed road. All other crossovers shall contain gravel consisting of a minimum thickness of 200mm. Where a crossing adjoins a sealed road within a townsite, a sealed crossover must be constructed. In all other cases, a sealed or unsealed crossover is permitted.
- 4.3 Upon application from the property owner, the Council will contribute half the cost of a standard crossover to a maximum as set out in the Council's adopted fees and charges(one crossover to a property) subject to the crossover being deemed to conform to the specifications, provided that:
  - a) The crossover is installed in accordance with the Council's specifications;
  - b) The contribution relates only to the first crossover to service the property; and
  - c) Applications for any subsidies are received within 6 months of the completion of the crossover.

The Council contribution will not apply where the crossing is constructed as a result of subdivisional and development consent to properties where the conditions of subdivision or development approval have included the provision of appropriate crossovers.

4.4 Once constructed, crossovers are to be maintained at the expense of the property owner, who shall ensure that the Council's property including the adjacent road pavement, its kerbing, footpaths, landscaping or irrigation services are neither damaged nor reduced in serviceability by the installation of the crossover. The Council may issue a notice in writing pursuant to the Local Government (Uniform Local Provisions) Regulations 1996 to the owner or occupier of private land requiring the person to repair a crossing from a public thoroughfare to the land or a private thoroughfare serving the land. If a person fails to comply with the notice, the Council may repair the crossing as the notice required, and recover 50% of the cost of doing so as a debt due to the person.

**ADOPTED: OCTOBER 2004** 

LAST REVIEWED: 18 JULY 2017

## Council

## KENDENUP SKATE PARK – AUTHORITY TO AFFIX COMMON SEAL – BROOKFIELD RAIL LICENCE TO USE AND OCCUPY CORRIDOR LAND

### Licence

Meeting Date: 18 July 2017

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## **Brookfield** Rail

# Licence to Use and Occupy Corridor Land

Brookfield Rail Pty Ltd ABN 42 094 721 301

Shire of Plantagenet ABN 29 084 782 574

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#### Licence to Use Corridor Land and Railway Infrastructure

Date	<b>&gt;</b>

#### Between the parties

#### BR

#### **Brookfield Rail Pty Ltd**

ABN 42 094 721 301

of Level 3, 1 George Wiencke Drive Perth Airport, WA, 6105

#### Licensee

#### SHIREOF PLANTAGENET

ABN 29 084 782 574

of po Box 48, Mt Barker, WA 6324

#### Background

- 1 BR acts as agent of the Network Lessee in relation to the Network Lessee's rights under the Government Lease concerning the Corridor Land and Railway Infrastructure.
- 2 The Government Lease grants BR a right to use and occupy the Corridor Land and a right of quiet enjoyment and use of the Railway Infrastructure for permitted uses and permits the Network Lessee to grant certain rights of use and occupation in respect of the Corridor Land and Railway Infrastructure for permitted uses, including to Local Governments for Civic Purposes.
- 3 BR manages, and is responsible for rail safety in respect of, the Corridor Land and Railway Infrastructure and is an accredited rail transport operator under the Rail Safety National Law.
- 4 At the Licensee's request, BR has agreed (as agent of the Network Lessee) to grant the right to use and occupy the Licensed Area to the Licensee on the terms and conditions set out in this Agreement.
- 5 The Licensee is a Local Government and the Permitted Use of the Licensed Area is for Civic Purposes.

The parties agree as follows:

#### 1. Definitions and Interpretation

#### 1.1 Definitions

In this Agreement:

- (1) Act means the Rail Freight System Act 2000 (WA).
- (2) Agreement means this document, including any schedule or annexure to it.
- (3) **Authorisation** means any authorisation, consent, approval, resolution, licence, exemption, filing, lodgement, registration, notification, recording, certificate, rating, reporting, permission, authority or right to do something:
  - (a) from, by or with any Government Agency, whether granted following positive action by the Government Agency or arising following the expiry of a period of time without intervention or action by a Government Agency; or
  - (b) in relation to anything which will be fully or partly prohibited or restricted by Law if a Government Agency intervenes or acts in any way within a specified period, the expiry of that period without intervention or action,

required under an Environmental Law or otherwise.

#### (4) BR Indemnified Parties means:

- (a) BR and its Personnel; and
- (b) each Related Body Corporate of BR and their Personnel.
- (5) **Business Day** means a day on which banks are open for business in Perth, Western Australia excluding a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday.
- (6) Civic Purposes means any purpose, other than a predominant purpose of deriving income or profits, the Minister considers to be beneficial to the public or a section of the public of Western Australia.
- (7) Claim means any claim, demand, action or proceeding of any nature, whether actual or threatened and whether in an action in contract, tort (including negligence), in equity, product liability, under statute or any other basis.
- (8) Commencement Date means the date specified in Item 2 of Schedule 1.
- (9) Condition Report means a report agreed by the parties which notes the general condition of the Licensed Area, any Railway Infrastructure and any buildings or structures on the Licensed Area including fittings and fixtures.
- (10) **Confidential Information** means in respect of a party, the terms of this Agreement, all information provided by that party to the other under this Agreement and any information that concerns the business, operations, finances, plans or customers of that party (or that party's Related Bodies Corporate) which is disclosed to, or otherwise acquired by, the other party and which:

- (a) is by its nature confidential;
- (b) stated in this Agreement to be confidential;
- (c) is designated by the disclosing party as being confidential; or
- (d) the receiving party knows or ought to know is confidential,

#### but excludes information which:

- (e) is in the public domain at the time of disclosure other than through the fault of the party receiving it or of anyone to whom the party receiving it has disclosed it:
- (f) is in the possession of the receiving party without restriction in relation to disclosure on or before the date on which it is disclosed to or acquired by that party; or
- (g) has been independently developed or acquired by the receiving party.
- (11) Consequential Loss means any indirect or consequential loss, including any loss of or damage to any product, loss of contract, loss of profit, economic loss (except to the limited extent set out below in this definition), loss of use, loss of business reputation, loss of opportunities, loss of anticipated savings or wasted overheads, loss of production, loss of revenue, any port, shipping or demurrage costs or fees, or any special, indirect or consequential loss or damage (except to the limited extent set out below in this definition), howsoever arising and whether in any action in contract, tort (including negligence), in equity, product liability, under statute or any other basis but does not include:
  - (a) in respect of any personal injury claim, special loss or economic loss as those terms are used in the context of personal injury claims;
  - (b) the Licensee's liability to pay BR any amount expressly provided for in this Agreement; or
  - (c) any loss, damage or cost arising out of or in connection with fraud or Wilful Default.
- (12) **Corporations Act** means the *Corporations Act* 2001 (Cth).
- (13) Corridor Land means land designated as corridor land under Part 3 of the Rail Freight System Act 2000 (WA).
- (14) **Default Rate** means, at a relevant time, the cash rate target then prevailing and published by the Reserve Bank of Australia on its website (www.rba.gov.au) at that time plus 5% per annum.
- (15) **Dollars, A\$ and \$** means the lawful currency of the Commonwealth of Australia.
- (16) Environmental Condition means any Environmental Damage or any event, circumstance, condition, operation or activity which is reasonably foreseeable to be likely to result in Environmental Damage and which in BR's opinion (acting reasonably) could result in BR or any other person incurring any material liability or being subjected to a direction of any competent authority.

- (17) **Environmental Damage** means any material injury or damage to persons, living organisms or property or any material pollution or impairment of the environment (including any land, air or water) resulting from the discharge, emission, escape or migration of any substance, energy, noise or vibration.
- (18) Environmental Law means any Law, notice, decree, order or directive of any authority or otherwise, relating to the environment (as the term environment is defined in the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (WA)) or the enforcement or administration of any of those Laws, notices, decrees, orders or directives of any authority or otherwise, and includes:
  - (a) the Environmental Protection Act 1986 (WA); and
  - (b) any regulations or orders made under the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (WA).
- (19) **Expiry Date** means 24.00 hrs on the last day of the Term.
- (20) Fences means the fences specified in Error! Reference source not found. of Schedule 1.
- (21) Government Agency means any government, parliament, governmental, semi-governmental, administrative, monetary, fiscal or judicial body, department, commission, authority, tribunal, government minister, agency or entity of any kind.
- (22) Government Lease means, as the context requires, the:
  - (a) Rail Freight Corridor Land Use Agreement (StandardGauge) and Railway Infrastructure Lease dated 17 December 2000 entered into by the Network Lessee and other parties; or
  - (b) Rail Freight Corridor Land Use Agreement (NarrowGauge) and Railway Infrastructure Lease dated 17 December 2000 entered into by the Network Lessee and other parties.
- (23) **GST** means any tax calculated by reference to the value of goods or services provided, calculated and levied at the point of sale or supply of the goods or services and includes GST as that term is used in the GST Act.
- (24) **GST Act** means *A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999* (Cth) and includes other GST related legislation.
- (25) **Insolvency Event** means the occurrence of any of the following events in relation to a party:
  - (a) a judgment in an amount exceeding \$1,000,000 is obtained against the party, or any distress, attachment, execution in an amount exceeding \$1,000,000 is issued against, levied or enforced on any of the party's assets, and is not set aside or satisfied within 14 days or appealed against within the period permitted by the rules of the relevant court;
  - (b) the party suspends payment of its debts generally, or is or becomes unable to pay its debts when they are due, or is or becomes unable to pay its debts within the meaning of the Corporations Act;

- (c) the party enters into, or resolves to enter into, any arrangement, composition or compromise with, or assignment for the benefit of, its creditors or any class of them, other than for purpose of a bona fide reconstruction or amalgamation;
- a receiver, receiver and manager, administrator, liquidator, trustee or similar official is appointed, or a resolution to appoint is passed, to a party or over any of the party's assets or undertakings;
- (e) an application or order is made for the winding up or dissolution of the party (other than an application which is stayed, withdrawn or dismissed within 14 days), or a resolution is passed or any steps are taken to pass a resolution for the winding up or dissolution of the party, except for the purpose of an amalgamation or reconstruction;
- (f) the party is deregistered or any steps are taken to deregister the party under the Corporations Act;
- (g) the party ceases to carry on business; or
- (h) anything analogous or having a substantially similar effect to any of the events described above happens in connection with that party.

#### (26) Law means:

- (a) Commonwealth, state and local government legislation, including regulations and by-laws;
- (b) legislation of any other jurisdiction with which the relevant party must comply;
- (c) any law or legal requirement at common law or in equity;
- (d) Government Agency requirements and consents, certificates, licences, permits and approvals (including conditions in respect of those consents, certificates, licences, permits and approvals); and
- (e) any decision, rule, ruling, binding order, interpretative decision, directive, guideline, request or requirement of any Government Agency or other authority with which the relevant party is legally required to comply.

#### (27) Liability means:

- (a) any cost, expense, liability, claim, charge, loss, outgoing or payment of any kind, including legal fees and disbursements (on a full indemnity basis) and interest; and
- (b) any diminution in value or deficiency of any kind or character that a party pays, suffers or incurs or is liable for,

and, if the context permits also includes any claim or demand for the payment of money, whether liquidated or not.

- (28) Licensed Area means the area specified in Item 1 of Schedule 1 including any Railway Infrastructure on that part of the Corridor Land.
- (29) Licensee's Property means any buildings or other improvements erected on the Licensed Area by the Licensee and any plant or equipment, fixtures or fittings,

materials or other property which the Licensee affixes to or brings on to the Licensed Area, including all product the Licensee brings or causes to be on the Licensed Area.

- (30) Local Government means a local government established under the Local Government Act 1995.
- (31) **Month** means a calendar month.
- (32) **Network** means that part of the railway network and associated infrastructure in Western Australia under the ownership or control of BR or its Related Bodies Corporate and any other railway network and associated infrastructure controlled by BR and notified to the Licensee from time to time.
- (33) Network Lessee means:
  - (a) Brookfield StandardGauge Pty Ltd ABN 35 094 819 360; or
  - (b) Brookfield NarrowGauge Pty Ltd ABN 73 094 736 900,

as the context requires.

- (34) **Permitted Use** means the use specified in Item 5 of Schedule 1.
- (35) **Personnel** means the directors, officers, employees, agents, contractors and licensees of a party.
- (36) Railway Infrastructure means facilities used in connection with the operation of a railway including:
  - railway track, ballast, sleepers, associated track structures, over or under track structures, supports (including supports for equipment or items associated with the use of a railway);
  - (b) tunnels, bridges, viaducts, culverts, pipes, conduits and drains;
  - (c) stations and platforms;
  - (d) train control systems, signalling systems and communication systems;
  - (e) electric traction infrastructure;
  - (f) buildings and workshops; and
  - (g) associated plant machinery and equipment.
- (37) Railway Property means any Railway Infrastructure and other equipment or facilities that:
  - (a) form part of, or are used by BR in connection with, the Corridor Land; or
  - (b) are used for the provision of Services,

and which are located on or below the surface of the Licensed Area at any time.

- (38) Rates and Taxes includes all rates, taxes, property levies and any other charges of any kind imposed by a Government Agency in relation to the Licensed Area or other property which includes the Licensed Area.
- (39) **Related Body Corporate** has the meaning given to that expression in the Corporations Act.
- (40) Reserved Area means the area specified in Item 6 of Schedule 1.
- (41) Services means all services of any kind connected to or serving the Licensed Area or any property which includes the Licensed Area, including air conditioning, electric power, gas, other energy or utility services, water, sewerage and drainage services, telephone and telecommunications services, fire prevention and fire sprinkler services and safety services.
- (42) Services Supplier means any Government Agency or privately owned company or other body which supplies, at BR's request, a Service.
- (43) **Term** means the term specified in Item 3 of Schedule 1, as extended (if applicable) in accordance with clause 3.1.
- (44) **Third Party Rights** means any easements, licences or other similar rights of any person, granted by BR or any other person or created in any other way, that:
  - (a) exist at the Commencement Date; or
  - (b) are granted or created at any time after the Commencement Date,

in relation to the Corridor Land.

- (45) **Use Fee** means an annual charge specified in Item 4 of Schedule 1, as adjusted annually under clause 4.2.
- (46) Wilful Default means any wilful, intentional, wanton or reckless act or omission carried out or omitted to be done with a reckless disregard for and knowledge of the consequences of the act or omission.

#### 1.2 Interpretation

In this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:

- (1) singular words also have their plural meaning and vice versa;
- (2) a reference to one gender includes all genders;
- a reference to a person includes a natural person, firm, body corporate, unincorporated association, partnership, joint venture and a Government Agency;
- (4) an obligation, liability, representation or warranty:
  - (a) in favour of 2 or more persons is for the benefit of them jointly and severally; and
  - (b) on the part of 2 or more persons binds them jointly and severally;

- (5) a reference to a party to a document includes that party's executors, administrators, successors, substitutes (including persons taking by novation) and permitted assigns;
- (6) a reference to the consent of a party means the prior written consent of that party;
- (7) headings are for convenient reference only and do not affect the interpretation of this Agreement;
- (8) a reference to a clause, annexure or a schedule is a reference to a clause, annexure or schedule of this Agreement;
- (9) a thing (including any amount) is a reference to the whole and each part of it;
- (10) where any party comprises more than one person then all of those persons together as well as each of them individually must comply with that party's obligations under this Agreement;
- (11) a reference to any Law includes:
  - (a) that Law as amended or re-enacted;
  - (b) a statute, regulation or provision enacted in replacement of that Law;
  - (c) another regulation or other statutory instrument made or issued under that Law; and
  - (d) any amendment made to a statute, regulation or provision as a consequence of another statute, regulation or provision;
- (12) a reference to a clause, a schedule, an agreement or any other document, instrument, publication or code is a reference to the clause, schedule, agreement, document, instrument, publication or code as varied or replaced from time to time;
- (13) a reference to an agreement other than this Agreement includes an undertaking, deed, agreement or legally enforceable arrangement or understanding, whether or not in writing;
- (14) a reference to a body (including an institute, association or authority), other than a party to this Agreement, whether statutory or not:
  - (a) which ceases to exist; or
  - (b) whose powers or functions are transferred to another body,

is a reference to the body which replaces it or which substantially succeeds to its powers or functions;

- (15) a reference to "includes" or "including" must be construed without limitation;
- (16) where time is to be reckoned by reference to a day or event, that day or the day of the event will be excluded;
- (17) where the day on or by which any thing is to be done is not a Business Day, that thing must be done on or by the next Business Day;

- (18) a reference to termination of this Agreement includes the expiry of the Term;
- (19) where a word or expression is defined, cognate words and expressions will be construed accordingly;
- (20) where the Licensee has agreed in this Agreement to procure another party to do or not do any act or thing, failure by the Licensee to so procure will constitute noncompliance with and a breach of the Licensee's obligations under this Agreement despite that it may have been beyond the Licensee's power and control to so procure; and
- (21) a reference to the "operation of the Network" includes the passage of rolling stock, safe working, rescue and inspection, maintenance, repair and upgrading of land and fixed assets.

#### 1.3 Exclusion of the contra proferentem rule

A provision of this Agreement must not be construed to the disadvantage of a party merely because that party was responsible for the preparation of this Agreement or the inclusion of the provision in this Agreement.

#### 2. Licence

#### 2.1 Grant of licence

Subject to:

- (1) all Third Party Rights; and
- (2) the limitations and restrictions described in clauses 2.3,

BR (as agent for the Network Lessee) grants to the Licensee the right to use and occupy the Licensed Area for the Term on the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

#### 2.2 No tenancy or other proprietary rights

The rights granted to the Licensee under this Agreement are contractual rights only and not tenancy rights. The Licensee does not have any tenancy or other interest in the area from time to time comprising the Licensed Area.

#### 2.3 Licensee's acknowledgments

The Licensee acknowledges that:

- (1) the rights granted to the Licensee by BR under this Agreement are:
  - (a) limited to rights which BR is authorised or permitted to grant under the Government Lease;
  - (b) limited by the restrictions and conditions relating to those rights in the Government Lease; and

- subject to all reservations in favour of, and any rights which may be exercised by, any party to the Government Lease in relation to the Licensed Area;
- (2) it does not have or acquire by this Agreement any greater interest in the Licensed Area than the Network Lessee has under the Government Lease; and
- (3) this Agreement and the rights granted to the Licensee under this Agreement automatically terminate if the Government Lease terminates or for any other reason BR ceases to be entitled to grant those rights to the Licensee.
- (4) for the Term of this Agreement and in respect of the Licensed Area, the Licensee will be the occupier of the premises for the purposes of the *Occupier's Liability Act* 1985; and
- (5) the risks associated with its presence on the Licensed Area and to the extent permitted by Law, the Licensee accepts the legal liability which applies to it as the occupier of the Licensed Area.

#### 2.4 Railway Property

- (1) BR reserves the right to keep or use Railway Property on the Licensed Area during the Term.
- (2) Subject to obtaining the Licensee's prior written consent (which must not unreasonably be refused or delayed) BR reserves the right to bring onto or to install on the Licensed Area during the Term any other Railway Property provided such Railway Property does not have any adverse material effect on the Licensee's Permitted Use of the Licensed Area.
- (3) BR may at any time during the Term carry out repairs or maintenance or replacement work in relation to any Railway Property on the Licensed Area and may remove Railway Property at any time, but in doing so BR must make good any damage caused by BR to any of the Licensee's Property.
- (4) Save as otherwise permitted by this Agreement or with BR's express prior approval, the Licensee must not damage or interfere with Railway Property on the Licensed Area and must take reasonable action to prevent damage or interference to the Railway Property by other persons.

#### 2.5 Reserved Area

BR may, at any time, by giving 3 Months' prior notice to the Licensee, terminate the Licensee's rights of use and occupation in relation to the Reserved Area (without compensation for anything built on the Reserved Area), and each party is released from liability under this Agreement in relation to the Reserved Area after termination, but without affecting any liability which arises under this Agreement before or on termination.

#### 2.6 Minerals, fossils and relics

(1) Any valuable minerals, fossils, articles or objects of antiquity or of anthropological or archaeological interest, treasure trove, coins and articles of value found on the Licensed Area, Corridor Land, Railway Property or any Railway Infrastructure

adjacent to the Licensed Area shall as between the parties be and remain the property of the Network Lessee.

- (2) The Licensee must upon the discovery of these things immediately:
  - (a) take precautions to prevent their loss, removal or damage; and
  - (b) give BR written notice of the discovery.

#### 3. Term

#### 3.1 Extension of Term

- (1) If the Licensee wants to extend the Term, it must give written notice to BR, no later than 3 Months prior to the Expiry Date, of the period of time that the Licensee wishes to extend the Term by.
- (2) BR may, in its absolute discretion, elect whether or not to agree to an extension of the Term and the applicable terms and conditions for that extension.

#### 3.2 Holding over

If the Licensee continues to occupy the Licensed Area after the expiration of the Term with the written consent of BR but has not otherwise:

- (1) been granted an extension of the Term; or
- (2) entered into a new agreement governing the Licensee's use and occupation of the Licensed Area,

then the Licensee does so subject to the terms of this Agreement except that BR or the Licensee may terminate the Licensee's use and occupation of the Licensed Area at any time by written notice to the other party.

#### 4. Use Fee

#### 4.1 Payment

On and from the Commencement Date, the Licensee must pay the Use Fee to BR:

- (1) annually in advance; and
- (2) within 21 days of the date of a tax invoice issued by BR for the Use Fee.

#### 4.2 Consumer Price Index annual adjustment

On each 1 January in each year (commencing 2018), the Use Fee will be varied in accordance with the following formula:

$$Rn = Ro \times \left(1 + \left(\frac{CPI_n - CPI_0}{CPI_0}\right)\right)$$

where:

 $R_n$  = the Use Fee to apply from 1 January of the applicable

R<sub>o</sub> = the Use Fee applying on 1 January of the year prior to the applicable year.

CPIn = The All Capitals Consumer Price Index (All Groups) for the quarter ending 30 September in the year prior to

the applicable year.

CPIo = The All Capitals Consumer Price Index (All Groups) for

the quarter ending 30 September in the year two years

prior to the applicable year.

#### 5. Other Payments

#### 5.1 Rates and Taxes

- (1) If applicable to the Licensed Area, the Licensee must pay an amount equal to the Licensee's Share of all Rates, and Taxes to BR within 21 days of the date on which BR requests payment.
- (2) In this clause 5.1, Licensee's Share means the proportion that the Licensed Area bears to the total land area the subject of the relevant Rates and Taxes notice or, where the Rates and Taxes relate to or are inclusive of a building or structure on the Licensed Area, then the Rates and Taxes that relate to the building or structure in addition to the proportion that the Licensed Area bears to the total land area the subject of the relevant Rates and Taxes notice.

#### 5.2 Services

- (1) The Licensee must pay an amount equal to the Licensee's Share of all Service charges:
  - (a) direct to the relevant Services Supplier before those charges become overdue; or
  - (b) in the case of any such Service charges imposed on BR, to BR by the date requested by BR.
- (2) The Licensee must also pay to BR on the date and in the manner requested by BR, an amount equal to the Liability incurred by BR in connection with the supply of the Services to the Licensee, including BR's administrative and operating costs reasonably incurred.
- (3) In this clause 5.2, Licensee's Share means:
  - (a) if the Licensed Area has a separate consumption meter for the relevant Service, 100%; or

- (b) if the Licensed Area does not have a separate consumption meter for the relevant Service, the relevant Service charges that relate to the Licensed Area (as reasonably determined by BR) divided by the total Service charges.
- (4) A statement or invoice from BR will be prima facie evidence of the amount payable in respect of any Service charges which are unmetered.
- (5) If, within 21 days from receiving written notice of a second demand for payment of an amount relating to the provision of any Service, the Licensee does not pay that amount, then BR may, in its absolute discretion, discontinue the supply of the Service to the Licensed Area until the Licensee has paid in full that overdue amount and any accrued interest, fines, penalties and other charges relating to reconnection of supply of the Services.

#### 6. Interest on Overdue Amounts

- (1) The Licensee must pay interest on any amounts due to BR under this Agreement which are not paid by the Licensee when due.
- (2) Interest:
  - (a) will accrue daily at the rate per annum equal to the Default Rate;
  - (b) will be computed from and including the day when the money on which interest is payable becomes owing to BR by the Licensee until but excluding the day of payment of that money;
  - (c) will be calculated on the actual days elapsed based on a 365 day year; and
  - (d) must be paid by the Licensee to BR on demand.

#### 7. Payments

- (1) All payments by the Licensee under this Agreement must be made:
  - (a) in immediately available funds and without deductions, counter claims, conditions, set off or withholdings;
  - (b) to BR or any other person nominated by BR;
  - (c) at the place and in the manner reasonably required by BR; and
  - (d) no later than 5pm local time in the place where payment is to be made.
- (2) If the Licensee is compelled by Law to make a deduction or withholding from any payment, the Licensee must promptly pay to BR the additional amount necessary so that the net amount received by BR equals the full amount which would have been received by BR if no deduction or withholding had been made.
- (3) BR does not need to make a demand for payment of any amount required to be paid by the Licensee under this Agreement unless required by Law.
- (4) If:

- (a) BR in any notice requesting payment for any amount; or
- (b) this Agreement,

does not specify when a payment is due, it is due within 21 days after BR gives notice requesting payment.

#### 8. Goods and Services Tax

- (1) Except where the context suggests otherwise, terms used in this clause 8 have the meanings ascribed to those terms by the GST Act.
- (2) Any part of a supply that is treated as a separate supply for GST purposes (including attributing GST payable to tax periods) will be treated as a separate supply for the purposes of this clause 8.
- (3) Unless otherwise expressly stated, all amounts due and payable under this Agreement are exclusive of GST. Any amounts that are specified to be inclusive of GST must not be taken into account in calculating the GST payable in relation to a supply for the purpose of this clause 8.
- (4) A reference to something done (including a supply made) by a party includes a reference to something done by any entity through which that party acts.
- (5) Any payment or reimbursement required to be made under this Agreement that is calculated by reference to a cost, expense, or other amount paid or incurred will be limited to the total cost, expense or amount less the amount of any input tax credit to which an entity is entitled for the acquisition to which the cost, expense or amount relates.
- (6) If GST is payable on a supply made by a party (**Supplier**) under or in connection with this Agreement, the party providing consideration for that supply (**Recipient**) must pay an additional amount to the Supplier equal to the GST payable in relation to the supply.
- (7) Any additional amount referred to in clause 8(6) must be paid by the Recipient at the same time as any other consideration is to be first provided for that supply and the Supplier must promptly provide to the Recipient a tax invoice complying with the relevant Law relating to that GST.
- (8) Where this Agreement requires the Recipient to reimburse the Supplier for any loss, cost or expense, the Recipient must also at the same time pay and indemnify the Supplier against all GST incurred by the Supplier in respect of that loss, cost or expense to the extent the Supplier reasonably determines that it is not entitled to repayment or credit in respect of the GST.
- (9) If the GST payable on a supply made under or in connection with this Agreement (not taking into account any consideration that is inclusive of GST) varies from the additional amount paid by the Recipient under clause 8(6) in respect of that supply (as adjusted to take account of any previous payment made pursuant to this paragraph) then the Supplier will provide a corresponding refund or credit to, or will be entitled to receive the amount of that variation from, the Recipient. Any amount payable under this clause 8(9) must be paid no later than 14 days after the Supplier provides an adjustment note to the other party.

#### 9. Use of Licensed Area

#### 9.1 Permitted Use

The Licensee may only use the Licensed Area for the Permitted Use and must not use the Licensed Area for any other use unless BR gives its prior written consent.

#### 9.2 Licensee's own enquiries

The Licensee has relied on its own enquiries about how the Licensed Area may be used and not on any representation from BR.

#### 9.3 No warranty by BR in relation to the Licensed Area

- (1) BR does not give any warranty of any kind that the Licensed Area is suitable for any purpose for which the Licensee intends to use it (including for the Permitted Use).
- (2) Any warranty in relation to the Licensed Area which is implied by Law is excluded to the extent that the Law permits the warranty to be excluded.
- (3) The Licensee acknowledges and agrees that BR is not obliged to repair or improve any buildings or improvements forming part of the Licensed Area or to carry out any other structural works.

#### 9.4 No warranty by BR in relation to the Services

- (1) The Licensee acquires certain rights in relation to the Licensed Area with the benefit of all Services existing at the Commencement Date. However, BR does not give any warranty that those Services are adequate or suitable for any purpose (including for the Permitted Use) for which the Licensee intends to use the Licensed Area.
- (2) Any warranty in relation to the Services which is implied by Law is excluded to the extent that the Law permits the warranty to be excluded.
- (3) The Licensee acknowledges and agrees that:
  - (a) BR is not obliged to ensure that any of the Services are maintained; and
  - (b) any repair, replacement or other work relating to the provision of any Service is the responsibility of the Licensee.

#### 9.5 Licensee to use and operate at own risk

- (1) For the purposes of the *Occupiers' Liability Act* 1985 the Licensee is the occupier for the Term.
- (2) The Licensee's use of the Licensed Area is at its own risk.

#### 10. Safety and Security Undertakings

#### 10.1 Safety and security directions

- (1) BR may give directions to the Licensee concerning the safety or security of persons or property in relation to the Licensed Area.
- (2) The Licensee must promptly comply with all directions given by BR in relation to the safety or security of persons or property in relation to the Licensed Area.

#### 10.2 Safety rules

- (1) Without limiting clause 10.1, the Licensee must comply with all safety requirements (including complying with standard practices, procedures and rules and obtaining any relevant accreditation) specified by BR in Schedule 4 in connection with the Licensee's use of the Licensed Area or otherwise in connection with this Agreement.
- (2) BR may by further notice vary or add to those safety requirements at any time.
- (3) The Licensee must also ensure that any such safety requirements, as varied or added to from time to time, are complied with, at all times, by the Licensee's Personnel using the Licensed Area.

#### 11. Accidents and Emergencies Affecting the Network

- (1) If any accident or other event connected with the Licensed Area causes damage to, or adversely affects any part of the Network, the Licensee must:
  - take no action which might jeopardise the safety of the operation of the Network;
  - (b) not, without BR's prior consent, work on or interfere with any part of the Network which is damaged or otherwise affected by the relevant incident;
  - (c) notify BR as soon as possible after the Licensee becomes aware of the damage;
  - (d) do everything reasonably possible (including complying with all requirements and directions from BR) to enable BR to repair the damage and restore the Network for use as quickly as possible; and
  - (e) promptly comply with all other directions and requirements of BR in relation to the relevant incident.
- (2) BR may close off any part of the Network which is damaged. The Licensee may not have access to the part which is closed off without first obtaining BR's consent.
- (3) This clause 11 does not limit any Liability of the Licensee under any indemnity given to BR or otherwise arising.

#### 12. Environmental Undertakings

#### 12.1 Licensee's general undertakings

The Licensee must:

- (1) comply with all Environmental Laws and Authorisations applicable to the Licensed Area or the Licensee;
- (2) obtain, at the appropriate time, and do all that is necessary to maintain in full force and effect all Authorisations relating to the Licensed Area or any activity in relation to the Licensed Area:
- (3) not do, or omit to do, anything which might directly or indirectly result in the revocation or suspension of an Authorisation in relation to the Licensed Area; and
- (4) immediately notify BR on becoming aware of:
  - (a) the existence of any Environmental Condition on or affecting the Licensed Area; or
  - (b) the filing of a Claim against the Licensee in relation to an alleged failure to comply with an Environmental Law or an Authorisation in relation to the Licensed Area.

#### 12.2 Licensee's remediation undertakings

- (1) If at any time (including before or after the Commencement Date):
  - (a) the Licensed Area is affected or becomes affected by any Environmental Condition resulting from or in connection with the activities of the Licensee;
  - (b) the Corridor Land, Railway Property or any Railway Infrastructure adjacent to the Licensed Area is affected or becomes affected by any Environmental Condition resulting from or in connection with the activities of the Licensee; or
  - (c) the Licensee breaches any Environmental Law or any Authorisation relating to the Licensed Area or the Corridor Land, Railway Property or any Railway Infrastructure adjacent to the Licensed Area,

the Licensee must as soon as reasonably possible take all necessary action:

- (d) to comply with all Environmental Laws and Authorisations relating to the Licence Area; and
- (e) so that the Environmental Condition is no longer present and any Environmental Damage is rectified.
- (2) The Licensee's obligations under this clause continue after the Expiry Date until all Environmental Damage has been rectified and all Environmental Laws and Authorisations complied with.

# 13. General Undertakings

# 13.1 Positive undertakings

The Licensee must:

- (1) use the Licensed Area in a safe and proper manner;
- where there are buildings or other structures on the Licensed Area, comply with the undertakings set out in Schedule 3;
- (3) where there are buildings or other structures on the Licensed Area, maintain them to a standard not worse than set out in the Condition Report, fair wear and tear excepted;
- (4) take all measures reasonably necessary to protect people and property in the Licensed Area:
- (5) comply with all relevant requirements of any Government Agency and all Laws in connection with the Licensed Area;
- (6) promptly give BR a copy of any notice received by the Licensee which relates to the Licensed Area;
- immediately notify BR if the Licensee becomes aware of any threat to the Licensed Area and comply with all of BR's directions given for the purpose of protecting property or persons in relation to the Licensed Area; and
- (8) promptly inform BR after becoming aware of any accident affecting the Licensed Area or any other damage to Licensed Area.

# 13.2 Negative undertakings

The Licensee must not (and must use its best endeavours to procure that no other person), except with BR's consent:

- (1) interfere with or obstruct the operation of the Network;
- (2) store or use flammable or explosive substance in the Licensed Area;
- do anything which is dangerous, offensive or illegal or which is or may become a nuisance or annoyance to anyone;
- (4) interfere with or obstruct access to or overload the Services;
- (5) modify or interfere with the facilities for the provision of Services or any equipment connected to those facilities;
- (6) use the Licensed Area as a residence;
- (7) permit any other person to take possession of or use the Licensed Area, including permitting any other person to carry on business on or from the Licensed Area;
- (8) vacate the Licensed Area, except as required by this Agreement, or abandon the Licensed Area;

- (9) grant any right or interest of any kind, including a security interest over or in relation to this Agreement or the Licensed Area; or
- (10) fix or place signs, notices or advertisements on or near the outside of the Licensed Area which are not related to safety or other Network requirements.

# 14. Insurance Undertakings

# 14.1 Licensee's insurance undertakings

- (1) The Licensee must, at its expense, take out and maintain at all times during the Term and on terms and conditions satisfactory to BR (acting reasonably):
  - (a) public liability insurance which covers the liability of the Licensee and its Personnel to any person arising out of or in connection with this Agreement or the Licensed Area, including any part of the Corridor Land used for access, use of any Railway Infrastructure adjacent to the Licensed Area and use of the Railway Property, with a sum insured of not less than \$20,000,000 for any one occurrence or series of occurrences arising from one originating cause and having an excess set at a reasonably acceptable level having regard to what is commercially available in the then current insurance market;
  - (b) workers' compensation insurance and employer's indemnity insurance which complies with the relevant Laws against all Claims in respect of any personal injury to, or death of, any person employed or engaged by the Licensee which arises out of, or is cause or contributed to by, the performance or nonperformance of this Agreement by the Licensees which insurance must provide cover:
    - (i) in respect of common law claims, for an amount not less than \$50,000,000 for each occurrence; and
    - (ii) for compulsory statutory workers' compensation insurance claims, to such amount as prescribed from time to time by the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 (WA) or any other application legislation,

and the Licensee must ensure that each of its contractors, subcontractors and consultants also effects and maintains insurance under any applicable workers' compensation Laws;

- (c) insurance adequately covering loss of or damage to the Licensee's Property;
- (d) any insurance required by Law as a result of the Licensee's use of the Licensed Area, including any part of the Corridor Land used for access, use of any Railway Infrastructure adjacent to the Licensed Area and use of the Railway Property; and
- (e) any other insurance which is reasonably necessary to adequately protect BR's interests under this Agreement, having regard to the terms of this Agreement,

(each, an **Insurance Policy**) and each such Insurance Policy must be placed with an insurance company or companies approved by the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority to underwrite insurance business in Australia and must have a credit rating

of at least "A-" by Standard and Poors Rating Group or such other reputable rating agency which is equivalent to a rating "A-" by Standard & Poors Rating Group.

#### (2) The Licensee must:

- (a) pay each premium due under the Insurance Policies before the due date and, when reasonably requested by BR, provide evidence of payment;
- (b) when reasonably requested by BR, provide copies of the Insurance Policies and copies of certificates of currency for each Insurance Policy certified by the insurer;
- (c) immediately notify BR if:
  - (i) an event occurs which:
    - (A) may give rise to a claim under any Insurance Policy; or
    - (B) could materially affect BR's interests under this Agreement; or
  - (ii) an Insurance Policy is cancelled;
- (d) if required by BR, make and pursue a claim under any Insurance Policy; and
- (e) if required by BR, ensure that BR's interests are noted on the policy of public liability insurance.
- (3) Unless BR consents, the Licensee must not:
  - do or allow anything to be done which could adversely affect any insurance taken out by BR in connection with the Licensed Area or which could increase the cost of obtaining that insurance; or
  - (b) settle, compromise or waive any claim under any Insurance Policy.

## 14.2 Variation of Sum Insured

BR may give notice to the Licensee at any time requiring the Licensee to increase the maximum cover for the Licensee's public liability insurance if in the circumstances it is reasonable that the cover be increased.

# 15. Access to Services and Telecommunications Undertakings

#### 15.1 Services

The Licensee must, at all times, allow any Government Agency (including its Personnel) or any third party authorised by BR access to any Services over, under or on the Licensed Area for any purpose lawfully required by the Government Agency.

#### 15.2 Telecommunications facilities

(1) The Licensee must allow BR or any third party authorised by BR access to any telecommunications equipment or facility and associated materials over, under or on the Licensed Area at any time. (2) The Licensee must not interfere with or disturb any telecommunications equipment or facility or associated materials over, under or on the Licensed Area.

# 16. Entry and Rectification by BR

# 16.1 Right to enter

BR may enter the Licensed Area at any time without notice:

- (1) for all railway related purposes or anything which BR is required to do by Law or is permitted to do under this Agreement or under the Government Lease; and
- (2) to deal with any emergency or dangerous situations on or adjacent to the Licensed Area.

# 16.2 BR may rectify

BR may enter the Licensed Area without notice and at any time for the purpose of doing anything which should have been done by the Licensee under this Agreement but which has not been done or has not been done properly.

# 17. Indemnity and Limit of Liability

## 17.1 Indemnity by Licensee

Subject to the other provisions of this clause 17, the Licensee must promptly on demand, indemnify and keep indemnified each BR Indemnified Party from and against all Claims and Liabilities suffered or incurred by or made or brought against a BR Indemnified Party in respect of:

- (1) the death of or injury to any person; or
- any loss of, or damage to or destruction of any real or personal property (including the Network),

arising out of or as a consequence of:

- (3) any failure by the Licensee to comply with the requirements of any Law or a Government Agency in so far as they relate to the Licensed Area;
- (4) a breach or non-performance of any of the obligations of the Licensee including the requirement to return the Licensed Area in a condition not worse than the condition in Schedule 2B under this Agreement or any reasonable action properly taken by BR to remedy that failure; or
- (5) any negligent act or omission, fraud or Wilful Default of the Licensee or its Personnel,

but the indemnity will be reduced proportionately to the extent fraud, a Wilful Default or negligent act or omission of a BR Indemnified Party has contributed to the relevant loss, damage, injury or death.

#### 17.2 BR not liable

The parties agree that to the extent permitted by Law, BR is not liable to the Licensee and the Licensee must not make a Claim against BR in respect any accident, death, injury, damage (including water damage), malfunction or other event in or affecting the Licensed Area or the Licensee's Property except to the extent caused by fraud, a Wilful Default or negligent act or omission of a BR Indemnified Party.

# 17.3 BR's limit of liability

- (1) The Licensee acknowledges and agrees that, to the extent permitted by Law and subject to clause 17.3(2), the total liability of the BR Indemnified Parties to the Licensee for all Claims in connection with this Agreement is limited in aggregate to an amount equal to the aggregate Use Fee actually received by BR over the term of this Agreement.
- (2) The limit of liability in clause 17.3(1) does not apply to a Claim made by the Licensee against BR:
  - (a) under any provision of any Law which expressly prohibits the limitation of liability for Liability arising from a breach of that Law; or
  - (b) in respect of Liability arising from:
    - (i) the death of or personal injury to any person; or
    - (ii) any criminal acts, fraud or Wilful Default by BR or its Personnel.

## 17.4 Liability for Consequential Loss

Notwithstanding any other provisions to the contrary in this Agreement and to the extent permitted by Law, neither party is liable to the other party in any circumstances for any Consequential Loss.

# 18. Assignment, Transfer and Encumbrances

# 18.1 Consent required

The Licensee must not and must not agree or attempt to:

- (1) assign, or attempt to assign, any of its rights;
- (2) sublicense any of its rights;
- (3) novate, otherwise transfer or attempt to transfer, any of its rights or obligations; or
- (4) grant, attempt to grant or allow to exist, a mortgage, charge or other security interest or encumbrance over any of its rights, title and interest,

under this Agreement, without the prior written consent of BR (which may be withheld in its absolute discretion).

# 18.2 Exclusion of statutory provisions

The operation of sections 80 and 82 of the *Property Law Act* 1969 (WA) are excluded from this Agreement.

#### 19. Termination

# 19.1 Termination by BR

Without limiting any other rights of termination contained elsewhere in this Agreement or at Law, BR may immediately terminate this Agreement by written notice to the Licensee if:

- (1) the Licensee repudiates this Agreement;
- (2) the Licensee abandons the Licensed Area;
- (3) the Licensee does not pay on the due date, the Use Fee or any amount due to BR under this Agreement and such failure is not remedied within 14 days of BR giving notice to the Licensee of the failure;
- (4) the Licensee fails to comply with any of its other obligations under this Agreement and that failure is not remedied within 30 days of BR giving notice to the Licensee requiring the failure to be remedied; or
- (5) an Insolvency Event occurs in respect of the Licensee.

# 19.2 Termination by BR where railway to become operational

- (1) If at any time during the Term, BR requires a change of the status of the railway within the Licensed Area from non-operational to operational:
  - (a) BR will provide the Licensee with six (6) months' prior written notice that the railway is to become operational (**Operational Notice**), such notice to include the date upon which BR anticipates that the railway will commence operations (**Operations Commencement Date**);
  - (b) the Licensee must use all reasonable endeavours to complete an ALCAM assessment of any level crossings within or proximate to the Licensed Area within two (2) months of the date of the Operational Notice;
  - (c) the Licensee will pay the costs of any ALCAM assessment referred to in clause 19.2(1)(b);
  - (d) the Licensee must, at its cost entirely and not later than two (2) months' prior to the Operations Commencement Date, engage BR to install any active protection or other measures at any level crossing deemed necessary by the Operational Railway Crossing Protection Sub-Committee;
  - (e) the Licensee must, within 30 days of the date of its receipt of the Operational Notice and at its cost entirely, engage BR (or BR's nominated rail accredited contractor) to reinstate all Railway Infrastructure, including formation, within the Licensed Area in accordance with BR's then current code of practice.

## 19.3 Effect of termination

- (1) If BR terminates this Agreement pursuant to this clause 19 it will be entitled to damages as if the Licensee had repudiated this Agreement and that repudiation had been accepted.
- (2) Termination of this Agreement under no circumstances will abrogate, impair, release or extinguish any debt, obligation or liability of one party to the other which may have accrued under this Agreement, including any such debt, obligation or liability which was the cause of termination or arose out of such cause.

# 19.4 Licensee's obligations on termination

Unless otherwise notified in writing by BR, the Licensee must vacate the Licensed Area leaving it in a condition no worse than when it took over possession of the Licensed Area and remove all the Licensee's Property by the Expiry Date or, if this Agreement is terminated before the Expiry Date, as soon as reasonably possible after this Agreement is terminated.

# 19.5 Abandonment by the Licensee

- (1) If the Licensee does not remove all of the Licensee's Property in accordance with clause 19.4, BR may demolish or otherwise remove and dispose of any of the Licensee's Property.
- (2) The Licensee must promptly on demand indemnify BR against any Liability incurred by BR in demolishing, removing and disposing of any of the Licensee's Property in accordance with this clause.

#### 19.6 Risk

The Licensee's Property, including the security of it is at the Licensee's risk at all times, including after the termination of this Agreement.

# 19.7 Damage caused by vacating

- (1) The Licensee must repair any damage to the Licensed Area, the Corridor Land, Railway Property or any Railway Infrastructure caused by the Licensee:
  - (a) using the Licensed Area;
  - (b) vacating the Licensed Area; or
  - (c) removing the Licensee's Property,

within 3 Months after the Expiry Date or, if this Agreement is terminated before the Expiry Date, within 3 Months after the date of termination of this Agreement (whichever is earlier).

(2) The Licensee's obligations under this clause continue after the Expiry Date until all damage to the Licensed Area, the Corridor Land, Railway Property or any Railway Infrastructure caused by the Licensee has been repaired to BR's satisfaction.

# 20. Costs and Expenses

# 20.1 Preparation of this Agreement

The Licensee will pay BR's costs and expenses (including legal costs and expenses) incurred in connection with the preparation, negotiation and signing of this Agreement.

# 20.2 Managing agent's fees

The Licensee must, as and when required by BR, pay or reimburse BR for any fees or other expenses payable by BR to any managing agents that are appointed to manage the Licensed Area on behalf of BR.

#### 20.3 Amendment and enforcement costs

The Licensee must, as and when required by BR, pay or reimburse BR for all of BR's costs and expenses (including legal costs and expenses on a full indemnity basis) incurred in relation to:

- (1) any document assigning, varying or surrendering this Agreement;
- giving any waiver, consent or approval under this Agreement at the Licensee's request;
- (3) any default under this Agreement by the Licensee; or
- (4) the enforcement of, or the preservation of any rights under, this Agreement.

# 20.4 Government imposts

The Licensee must pay when due or earlier if required in writing by BR or reimburse BR for, all duty, registration fees and other government imposts (including fines and penalties attributable to an act or omission of the Licensee) payable in connection with this Agreement and all other documents referred to in this Agreement.

# 21. Confidentiality

# 21.1 Acknowledgment of confidentiality

Each party acknowledges that the terms of this Agreement and all information provided by one party to the other under this Agreement are secret and must be treated as confidential. Any Confidential Information provided by a party to the other remains the property of the party providing it.

# 21.2 Confidentiality obligation

- (1) A party must not advertise or issue any information, publication, document or article (including photographs or film) for publication or media release or other publicity relating to the other party's Confidential Information without the prior written consent of the other party.
- (2) A party must not, without the prior written consent of the other party:

- (a) use Confidential Information of the other party other than as necessary for the performance of this Agreement; or
- (b) other than as permitted under clause 21.3, disclose Confidential Information of the other party.

# 21.3 Permitted disclosure

- (1) Subject to compliance with clauses 21.3(2) and 21.3(3), a party may disclose Confidential Information of the other party:
  - (a) to any financier in connection with the provision or potential provision of financial accommodation to that party or any Related Body Corporate of that party;
  - (b) if required by Law or the rules of any stock exchange or any Government Agency;
  - (c) as required or permitted by this Agreement;
  - (d) to a ratings agency;
  - to its insurers, auditors, legal advisors or other advisors or consultants under a duty of confidence;
  - in connection with the management and control of trains on the Network or the efficiency of the Network generally;
  - (g) to enable a party to perform its obligations under or in connection with this Agreement;
  - (h) in relation to the enforcement of its rights under or in connection with this Agreement;
  - (i) to its Related Bodies Corporate and its and their respective Personnel;
  - (j) to its Personnel to enable a party to perform its obligations under this Agreement or to make or defend any claim under this Agreement;
  - (k) in any proceeding arising out of or in connection with this Agreement; or
  - (I) with the prior written consent of the other party, which must not be unreasonable withheld.
- (2) Even if a party is entitled to disclose Confidential Information of the other party without the prior written consent of the other party, the first party must:
  - (a) otherwise keep the Confidential Information confidential; and
  - (b) use reasonable endeavours to ensure that the recipient of the Confidential Information is made aware that the Confidential Information must remain confidential at all times in accordance with this clause 21.
- (3) Before making any disclosure pursuant to clause 14(1)(b), a party must, if reasonably practicable and to the extent possible without breaching nay Law or rules of any relevant stock exchange:

- (a) give the other party details of the reasons for the disclosure and a copy of the information it proposes to disclose; and
- (b) provide the other party with all assistance and co-operation which the other party considers reasonably necessary to minimise the extent or effect of the disclosure, including by making such amendments (if any) as requested by the other party to the terms of the disclosure.

#### 21.4 Survival

This clause 21 survives termination of this Agreement.

# 22. Dispute Resolution

# 22.1 Procedure to settle disputes

- (1) If a bona fide dispute arises between the parties in relation or in connection with this Agreement (**Dispute**) a party claiming that a Dispute has arisen must give notice to the other party or parties to the Dispute specifying the Dispute and requesting its resolution in accordance with this clause 22 (**Notice of Dispute**).
- (2) Subject to clause 22.1(3) the procedure that the parties must strictly follow to settle a Dispute is as follows:
  - (a) first, negotiation of the Dispute in accordance with clause 22.2;
  - (b) second, mediation of the Dispute in accordance with clause 22.3; and
  - (c) third, litigation of the Dispute.
- (3) Nothing in this clause 2:
  - (a) prevents either party seeking urgent injunctive or declaratory relief from a court in connection with the Dispute without first having to attempt to negotiate and settle the Dispute in accordance with this clause 22; or
  - (b) requires a party to do anything which may have an adverse effect on, or compromise that party's position under, any policy of insurance effected by that party.
- (4) The parties' obligations under this Agreement will continue notwithstanding any Dispute between the parties or the submission of a Dispute to mediation or referral of a Dispute to litigation under this clause 22.
- (5) This clause 22 continues in force even where this Agreement has been fully performed, terminated or rescinded or where the parties or any of them have been discharged from the obligation to further perform this Agreement for any reason.
- (6) This clause 22 applies even where the Agreement is otherwise void or voidable.

# 22.2 Negotiation

- (1) Senior representatives from each party must meet, within 5 Business Days after the Notice of Dispute is given, and act in good faith to try and resolve the Dispute by joint discussions.
- (2) If the Dispute is not resolved within 14 days after the Notice of Dispute is given, the Dispute will be referred to the chief executive officers of the parties who must meet, within 21 days after the Notice of Dispute is given, and act in good faith to try and resolve the Dispute by joint discussions.

#### 22.3 Mediation

- (1) If the Dispute is not resolved within 28 days after the Notice of Dispute is given, the Dispute is by this clause submitted to mediation.
- (2) The mediation must be conducted in Perth, Western Australia by a single mediator. The Institute of Arbitrators and Mediators Australia Mediation and Conciliation Rules (at the date of this Agreement) as amended by this clause 21 apply to the mediation, except where they conflict with this clause 21.
- (3) If the parties have not agreed upon the mediator and the mediator's remuneration within 5 Business Days of the Dispute being referred to mediation:
  - (a) the mediator is the person appointed by; and
  - (b) the remuneration of the mediator is the amount or rate determined by,

the President of the Institute of Arbitrators & Mediators Australia (WA Chapter) (**Principal Appointor**) or the Principal Appointor's nominee, acting on the request of either party.

- (4) Unless the parties otherwise agree:
  - (a) each party may appoint a person, including a legally qualified person to represent it or assist it in the meditations;
  - (b) each party must bear its own costs relating to the preparation for and attendance at the mediation; and
  - (c) the costs of the mediator will be borne equally by the parties.

# 22.4 Litigation

Irrespective of whether or not a Mediation Notice has been issued, if the Dispute is not resolved within 1 Month after the Notice of Dispute is given, either party may commence legal proceedings in respect of the Dispute in a Court of competent jurisdiction.

## 23. Notices

## 23.1 Notices in connection with this Agreement

(1) A notice, approval, consent nomination, direction or other communication (**Notice**) in connection with this Agreement:

- (a) must be in legible writing and in English addressed as shown in Item 7 of Schedule 1 or as specified to the sender by a party by notice;
- (b) may be given by:
  - delivery in person, in which case the Notice is regarded as given by the sender and received by the addressee when delivered to the addressee;
  - (ii) post, in which case the Notice is regarded as given by the sender and received by the addressee 2 Business Days from the date of postage: or
  - (iii) a copy of the Notice may be sent by email, in which case the Notice is regarded as being given by the sender and received by the addressee when the email 'read receipt' is received by the sender, which 'read receipt' must be retained to evidence receipt of the email Notice

but if the delivery or receipt is on a day which is not a Business Day or is after 4.00 pm (addressee's time) it is regarded as received at 9.00 am on the following Business Day; and

- (c) can be relied upon by the addressee and the addressee is not liable to any other person for any consequences of that reliance if the addressee reasonably believes it to be genuine, correct and authorised by the sender.
- (2) A Notice sent or delivered in a manner provided by clause 23.1(1)(b) must be treated as validly given to and received by the party to which it is addressed even if:
  - (a) the addressee has been liquidated or deregistered or is absent from the place at which the Notice is delivered or to which it is sent; or
  - (b) the Notice is returned unclaimed.
- (3) In this clause 23.1, a reference to an addressee includes a reference to an addressee's Personnel.

#### 23.2 Change of address

A party may change its address for service by giving notice of that change to the other party.

## 24. Governing Law

## 24.1 Law of this Agreement

This Agreement takes effect, is governed by and is be construed in accordance with the Laws for the time being of the State of Western Australia.

#### 24.2 Jurisdiction

(1) The parties submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts exercising jurisdiction in the State of Western Australia.

(2) BR and the Licensee irrevocably waive any objection to the venue of any legal process brought in the courts exercising jurisdiction in the State of Western Australian on the basis that the process has been brought in an inconvenient forum.

# 25. Risk and Cost of Performing Obligations

#### 25.1 Risk and cost

Unless otherwise expressly stated in this Agreement, each party bears the sole risk and must pay the costs and expenses of performing or complying with all of its obligations under this Agreement.

# 25.2 BR may appoint agents

BR may appoint any person or persons to represent it in relation to this Agreement and any person so authorised by BR may exercise the rights and powers of BR under this Agreement.

# 25.3 Licensee's Liability

The Licensee is liable for the acts and omissions of the Licensee's Personnel and other persons authorised by the Licensee (including without limitation members of the public) to enter onto or use the Licensed Area (including Corridor Land used for access), as if those acts or omissions were those of the Licensee.

# 26. General

# 26.1 Survival of obligations

Each indemnity in this Agreement is a continuing obligation, separate and independent from the other obligations of the relevant party and survives termination of this Agreement.

# 26.2 Civil Liability Act

The parties agree that to the extent permitted by Law, the operation of Part 1F of the *Civil Liability Act 2002* (WA) is excluded in relation to all and any rights, obligations and liabilities arising out of or in connection with this Agreement whether such rights, obligations or liabilities are sought to be enforced as a breach of contract or a claim in tort or on the basis of quantum meruit, quasi contract or of any other principle of Law.

## 26.3 Exercise of rights

- (1) A party may exercise a right, power or remedy at its discretion, and separately or concurrently with another right, power or remedy.
- (2) A single or partial exercise of a right, power or remedy by a party does not prevent a further exercise of that or of any other right, power or remedy.
- (3) Failure by a party to exercise or delay in exercising a right, power or remedy does not prevent its exercise.

#### 26.4 Remedies cumulative

The rights, powers and remedies provided in this Agreement are cumulative with and not exclusive of the rights powers or remedies provided by Law independently of this Agreement.

#### 26.5 Further assurances

Each party agrees, at its own expense, on the request of the other party, to do everything reasonably necessary to give effect to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated by it, including the signing of documents.

#### 26.6 Variation

This Agreement may not be varied except in writing signed by all parties.

#### 26.7 Severability

If any provision of this Agreement is voidable, void, illegal, or unenforceable, or if this Agreement would, if a particular provision were not omitted be void, voidable, illegal or unenforceable, that provision must (without in any way affecting the validity, legality and enforceability of the remainder of this Agreement) be severed from this Agreement and this Agreement must be read and construed and take effect for all purposes as if that provision were not contained in this Agreement.

## 26.8 No partnership or agency

Nothing in this Agreement will constitute or be deemed to constitute a partnership between the parties or be deemed to constitute the Licensee as agent of BR for any purpose whatever and the Licensee has no authority or power to bind BR or to contract in its name or to create a liability against it in any way or for any purpose.

# 26.9 Counterparts

This Agreement may be signed in any number of separate counterparts, which taken together are deemed to comprise the one instrument.

# 26.10 Execution by attorney

If an attorney executes this Agreement, the attorney declares that the attorney has no notice of revocation, termination or suspension of the power of attorney under which the attorney executes this Agreement.

# 26.11 Suspension

Except as expressly provided for in this Agreement, neither party has a right to suspend its obligations under this Agreement for any reason.

## 26.12 Survival

Clauses 2, 7, 19, 19 and 26 and any rights or obligations which accrued in respect of a prior breach of this Agreement, survive the expiry or termination of this Agreement.

# 26.13 Entire understanding

This Agreement:

- is the entire agreement and understanding between the parties on everything connected with the subject matter of this Agreement; and
- (2) supersedes any prior agreement or understanding on anything connected with that subject matter.

# Schedule 1 - Details

#### Item 1 Licensed Area

That part of the Corridor Land delineated in blue on the plan in Schedule 2 and includes any Railway Infrastructure on that part of the Corridor Land, together with a right to pass over Corridor Land as is necessary for the purpose of access to and from that part of the Corridor Land delineated in blue on the plan in Schedule 2 but excluding any Reserved Area if BR has exercised its rights under clause 2.5.

Item 2 Commencement Date

1 July 2017

Item 3 Term

Five (5) years from the Commencement Date with an option for the Licensee to extend on the same terms and conditions for a further five (5) years on giving BR no less than three (3) month's notice that it is exercising its option.

Item 4 Use Fee

\$500.00 per annum

Item 5 Permitted Use

Skate Park, picnic tables and chairs, playground facilities, walk trails and other community use

Item 6 Reserved Areas

N/A

Item 7 Address for service of each party

BR's postage address for service is:

Address: Level 3, 1 George Wiencke Drive, Perth Airport, Western Australia 6105

Email address: legal@brookfieldrail.com

Attention: Legal

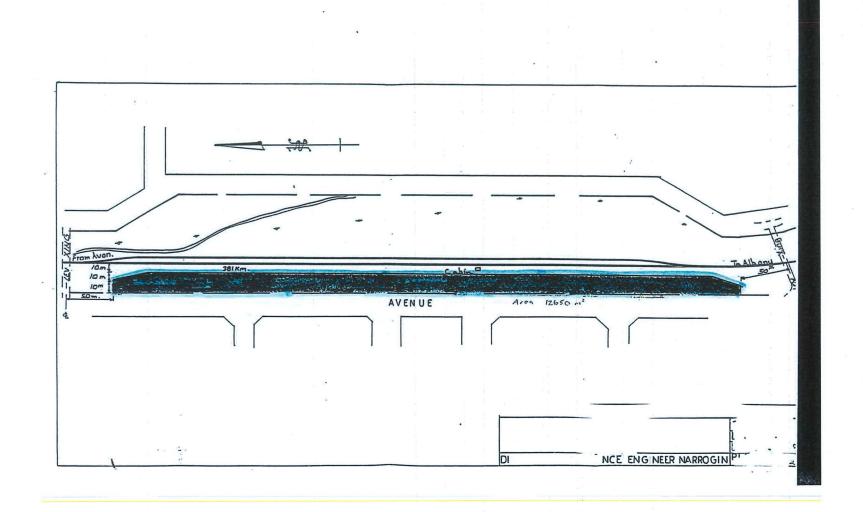
Licensee's postage address for service is:

Address: PO Box 48, Mt Barker, WA 6324

Email address: mcs@sop.wa.gov.au

Attention: Manager – Community Services

# Schedule 2 - Licensed Area



# Schedule 2A – Buildings and other structures on Licensed Area

Picnic Chairs and Tables

# Schedule 3 – Building Works, Cleaning, Maintenance and Fencing Undertakings

# 1. Building work

The Licensee must not alter, modify, remove or demolish any building or other improvement on the Licensed Area or carry out any other structural work on the Licensed Area or make any other improvements on the Licensed Area, unless the Licensee:

- obtains any prior consent required by Law for the proposed work, including the consent of the Rail Corridor Minister under section 47 of the Rail Freight System Act 2000 (WA);
- (b) obtains BR's prior written consent, which will be granted or withheld in BR's absolute discretion:
- (c) complies with all requirements of any relevant Government Agency and all Laws and standards affecting the work;
- (d) carries out the work in a safe and proper manner;
- (e) uses its best endeavours to minimise any damage caused to the Licensed Area;
- (f) uses only good quality materials; and
- (g) employs only qualified and competent persons.

The Licensee acknowledges any improvements made by the Licensee to the Licensed Area will be at the risk of the Licensee.

# 2. Cleaning

The Licensee must:

- (h) keep the Licensed Area clean and free of pests at all times; and
- (i) regularly remove any waste or garbage from the Licensed Area.

## 3. Maintenance

The Licensee must:

- (j) at its own cost, carry out structural work and all remedial works required by Law or any Government Agency as a result of the use to which the Licensee puts the Licensed Area;
- (k) at its own cost, properly repair and maintain the Licensed Area, including any buildings or structures not being used by BR and the Licensee's Property;

- (I) promptly make good to the satisfaction of BR any damage to the Licensed Area caused by the Licensee or its Personnel;
- (m) in the case where the building or structure is being used in whole or in part by BR the maintenance and upkeep of the building or structure being used by BR will be carried out by BR and the costs of that maintenance or upkeep will be apportioned to reflect the area used by BR over the whole area of the building or structure; and
- (n) at its own cost, maintain the Licensed Area to ensure the requirements of the *Occupiers' Liability Act 1985* (WA) and the *Bushfires Act 1954* (WA) are met.

and at all times comply with the requirements of this Schedule 3.

## 4. Fences

The Licensee must, at its cost, erect fences on any boundary of the Licensed Area and within the Licensed Area:

- (o) if necessary for safety reasons given the purpose of the Licensee's use; or
- (p) if directed to do so by BR,

The fences must be of a type and quality and erected in the manner and location agreed by BR.

The Licensee must properly repair and maintain any fences on the Licensed Area or within the Licensed Area, including the Fences.

# Signing page

# Executed as an Agreement

Executed by Brookfield Rail Pty Ltd ABN 42 094 721 301

in accordance with section 127 of the Corporations Act 2001

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Name of Chief Executive Officer	Name of Shire President