Sixth Supplemental Agreement -

between

NETWORK RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED as Network Rail

and

EAST COAST TRAINS LIMITED

as Train Operator

relating to the Track Access Contract (Passenger Services) dated 03 October 2016

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THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT is dated

BETWEEN:

- (1) <u>NETWORK RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED</u>, ("<u>Network Rail</u>"), a company registered in England under number 2904587, having its registered office at 1 Eversholt Street, London, NW1 2DN; and
- (2) <u>EAST COAST TRAINS LIMITED</u>, (the "<u>Train Operator</u>"), a company registered in England under number 08765536 having its registered office at 8th Floor, The Point, 37 North Wharf Road, London, W2 1AF.

WHEREAS:

- (A) Network Rail and East Coast Trains Limited entered into a Track Access Contract (Passenger Services) dated 3rd October 2016 following directions issued by the Office of Rail and Road pursuant to Section 17 of the Act (this track access contract is hereafter referred to as the "Contract").
- (B) The parties wish to amend the Contract in the terms described below.

IT IS HEREBY AGREED as follows:

1. INTERPRETATION

In this Supplemental Agreement, words and expressions defined in and rules of interpretation set out in the Contract shall have the same meaning and effect when used in this Supplemental Agreement except where the context requires otherwise.

2. EFFECTIVE DATE AND TERM

The amendments made to the Contract as set out in this Supplemental Agreement shall have effect from the Effective Date and shall cease to have effect on the Expiry Date or earlier termination of the Contract.

Effective Date means the date on which the ORR issues its approval pursuant to section 22 of the Act, of the terms of this Supplemental Agreement.

3. AMENDMENTS TO THE CONTRACT

In Clause 1.1 the definition of "Expiry Date" shall be deleted and replaced with:

"Expiry Date" means the Subsidiary Change Date in or around May 2033".

4. - EFFECT OF THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT ON THE AGREEMENT

The parties agree that the Contract, as amended by this Supplemental Agreement, shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with its terms, and during the period in which the amendments made by this Supplemental Agreement are to have effect, all references in the Contract to "the Contract", "herein", "hereof", "hereunder" and other similar expressions shall, unless the context requires otherwise, be read and construed as a reference to the Contract as amended by this Supplemental Agreement.

5. THIRD PARTY RIGHTS

No person who is not a party to this Supplemental Agreement shall have any right under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 to enforce any term of this Supplemental Agreement.

6. **LAW**

This Supplemental Agreement shall be governed by, construed and given effect to in all respects in accordance with English law.

7. COUNTERPARTS

This Supplemental Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which when executed and delivered shall constitute an original, but all the counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF Network Rail and the Train Operator have, by their duly authorised representatives, entered into this Supplemental Agreement on the date first above written.

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SIGNED by

Print name: Sarah Reid

Duly authorised for and on behalf of **NETWORK RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED**

SIGNED by - Andy Mchan

Print name: Andy Mellors

Duly authorised for and on behalf of **EAST COAST TRAINS LIMITED**