

39th SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT

Between

NETWORK RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED

-and-

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY LIMITED

**Relating to amendments to the
Track Access Contract (Passenger Services)
dated 9th April 2019**

THIS 39th SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT is dated 11th June 2025 and made;

BETWEEN

- (1) **Network Rail Infrastructure Limited**, a company registered in England under number 2904587, having its registered office at Waterloo General Office, London SE1 8SW ("**Network Rail**"); and
- (2) **South Western Railway Limited** a company registered in England and Wales under number 03266760, having its registered office at South Bank Central, 4th Floor, 30 Stamford Street, London, SE1 9LQ (the "**Train Operator**").

WHEREAS

- (A) Network Rail and First MTR South Western Trains Limited entered into a Track Access Contract (Passenger Services) dated 9 April 2019, in a form approved by the Office of Rail and Road (ORR) pursuant to directions under section 18 of the Railways Act 1993 (the Act), as amended by various supplemental agreements, each in a form approved by ORR pursuant to section 22 of the Act (which track access contract as subsequently amended is hereafter referred to as the "Contract").

On 25 May 2025, the rights and obligations of First MTR South Western Trains Limited under the Contract were transferred to the Train Operator pursuant to a transfer scheme made by the Secretary of State for Transport under schedule 2 of the Railways Act 2005.

- (B) The parties wish to amend the Contract in the terms described below.

IT IS AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

1. INTERPRETATION

In this Supplemental Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:

- a) Words and phrases 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.
- b) "Effective Date" means the date upon which the Office of Rail and Road issues its approval, pursuant to section 22 of the Act, of the terms of this Supplemental Agreement.

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.

The amendments shall cease to have effect at the Expiry Date or earlier termination of the Contract.

3. AMENDMENTS TO THE CONTRACT

In paragraph 1.1 Definitions in the front end of the Contract, delete the definition of “Expiry Date” in its entirety and replace it with the following:

“**Expiry Date**” means the Subsidiary Change Date in 2027.

4. GENERAL

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 two counterparts which, taken together, shall constitute one and the same document. Either party may enter into this Supplemental Agreement by signing either of such counterparts.

IN WITNESS of which the duly authorised representatives of Network Rail and the Train Operator have executed this Supplemental Agreement on the date first above written.

Signed by




Mark Goodall– Route Director, Wessex

Duly authorised for and on behalf of

NETWORK RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED

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James Percival – Finance Director

Duly authorised for and on behalf of

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY LIMITED