

Licence Exemption

1. The Office of Rail and Road (ORR) exempts under section 7(3) of the Railways Act 1993:

DBI Holdings Ltd

registered in **England and Wales** with number **07262491**

from the requirement to be authorised by licence to operate the railway assets described in paragraph 2 below.

2. This exemption applies to:

- (a) the network located at Longport Down sidings, Longbridge, Hayes Road, Stoke-on-Trent, ST6 4NF *together* known as “the exempt network”; and
- (b) any train operated on the exempt network.

3. This exemption is valid from 10 November 2025.

4. ORR may revoke the whole or any part of this exemption:

- (a) if the exemption holder is granted another licence or exemption for the operation of all or some of the railway assets to which this exemption applies; or
- (b) if ORR suspects on reasonable grounds that the exemption holder has operated a railway asset without a necessary licence or exemption; or
- (c) if all or some of the railway assets to which this exemption applies are not used for at least one year; or
- (d) if the exemption holder ceases to be the operator of all or some of the assets to which this exemption applies; or
- (e) by agreement in writing with the exemption holder.

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Signed by authority of ORR

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