



OFFICE OF RAIL REGULATION

Consultancy spend exceptions – April 2015

During **April 2015**, the following exceptions to the consultancy freeze above £20,000 have been considered by the Chief Executive in his capacity as Accounting Officer; and the requests for consultancy below £20,000 have been considered by the Director of Corporate Operations.

Approval date	Ref: No. & Directorate	Summary of application	Decision
05/04/2015	26C(3) RME	Embedded policy support for the Retail Market Review, (extension to ref: 26C(2)), £20,000	Approved
07/04/2015	18C(4) RME	Assessment of aspirations for track access on the East Coast Main Line, (extension to ref: 18C(3)), £14,850	Approved
09/04/2015	56C RME	Evidence of revenue generation and abstraction from historical open-access entry and expansion, £150,000	Approved
21/04/2015	57C Legal	Senior Salary Review, £10,000	Approved