# weekly notice

Monday,18 November 2024

Sunday, 24 November 2024







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## **Director Network Standards, Systems and Quality**

#### Sydney Trains



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## **PUBLICATION DEADLINES AND SUBMISSION OF ARTICLES**

Dates of the next four Weekly Notices and deadlines for articles are:

Weekly Notice	For Week	Deadline
49	25/11/2024 – 01/12/2024	22/10/2024
50	02/12/2024 - 08/12/2024	29/10/2024
51	09/12/2024 – 22/12/2024	05/11/2024

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Articles submitted after a deadline will be published in the next issue of the Weekly Notice. This may result in information not being distributed in time for it to be acted upon.

When submitting articles, please include your name, position title, telephone numbers and email address at the end of the articles as shown below:

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## NEWTOWN TO MACDONALDTOWN (CENTRAL INNER WEST) – MTMS3A HEADWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT – RELOCATION OF SY518M SIGNAL

Since 02:00 **Monday, 4 November 2024,** the following work was carried out.

- The new SY518M signal and Trainstop on the Up Main was commissioned on a new gantry at 2.745km, as advertised in Weekly Notice 43 and 44, 2024.
- The old SY518M signal, located on gantry at 2.600km, was deenergised and decommissioned, with its associated Trainstop and Up Main Yard Limit and End Yard Limit signs also decommissioned and removed. This signal has been bagged out of use with a white cross until its removal from the gantry at a later date.

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## NEWTOWN TO MACDONALDTOWN (CENTRAL INNER WEST) – MTMS3A HEADWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT – RELOCATION OF SY520S, SY522L & L1.80 SIGNALS

Commencing at 0200 hours on **Saturday 30th November 2024** and continuing until 0200 hours on Monday 2nd December 2024, the following work will be carried out:

SY520S signal and trainstop on the Up Suburban and SY522L signal and trainstop on the Up Local will be relocated from the gantry located at 2.600km to a new gantry at 2.745km. The signal aspects on the relocated SY520S and SY522L signals will remain unchanged.

L1.80 signal and trainstop on the Up Local will be removed from the gantry located at 2.907km. A new post mounted L1.80 signal and trainstop will be positioned at 3.011km, located on the down side of the Up Local, city end Newtown Station Platform 1.

The existing L1.80 Repeater signal (ground level) will be removed. A new L1.80 Co-Acting signal (ground level) will be aligned with L1.80 signal on the up side of the Up Local. The repositioned L1.80 signal and L1.80 Co-Acting signal will have low-speed aspects removed. The top and bottom heads of L1.80 will be aligned with an "A" plate fitted to the signal post. L1.80 Co-Acting signal will mimic the aspects of L1.80 signal, replacing the existing arrangement whereby L1.80 Repeater signal mimics the aspect of L2.04 signal. L2.04 signal will now step from low speed to caution when a suitable overlap is available.

New track circuits (520AT and 522AT) will be provided between the 2.600km and 2.745km gantries and existing track circuits will be renamed as required.

The Strathfield and Sydney Yard-Illawarra ATRICS maps will be updated to show the new arrangements. These are controlled from three workstations: Strathfield, Sydney Yard and Sydney Illawarra.

New signal telephones will be provided at the gantry footing below SY520S and SY522L (2.745km). A new signal telephone will be provided adjacent to the new L1.80 signal.



Up Suburban and Up Local line Yard Limit and End Yard Limit boards located at the 2.600km gantry will be removed and repositioned to the new 2.745km gantry.

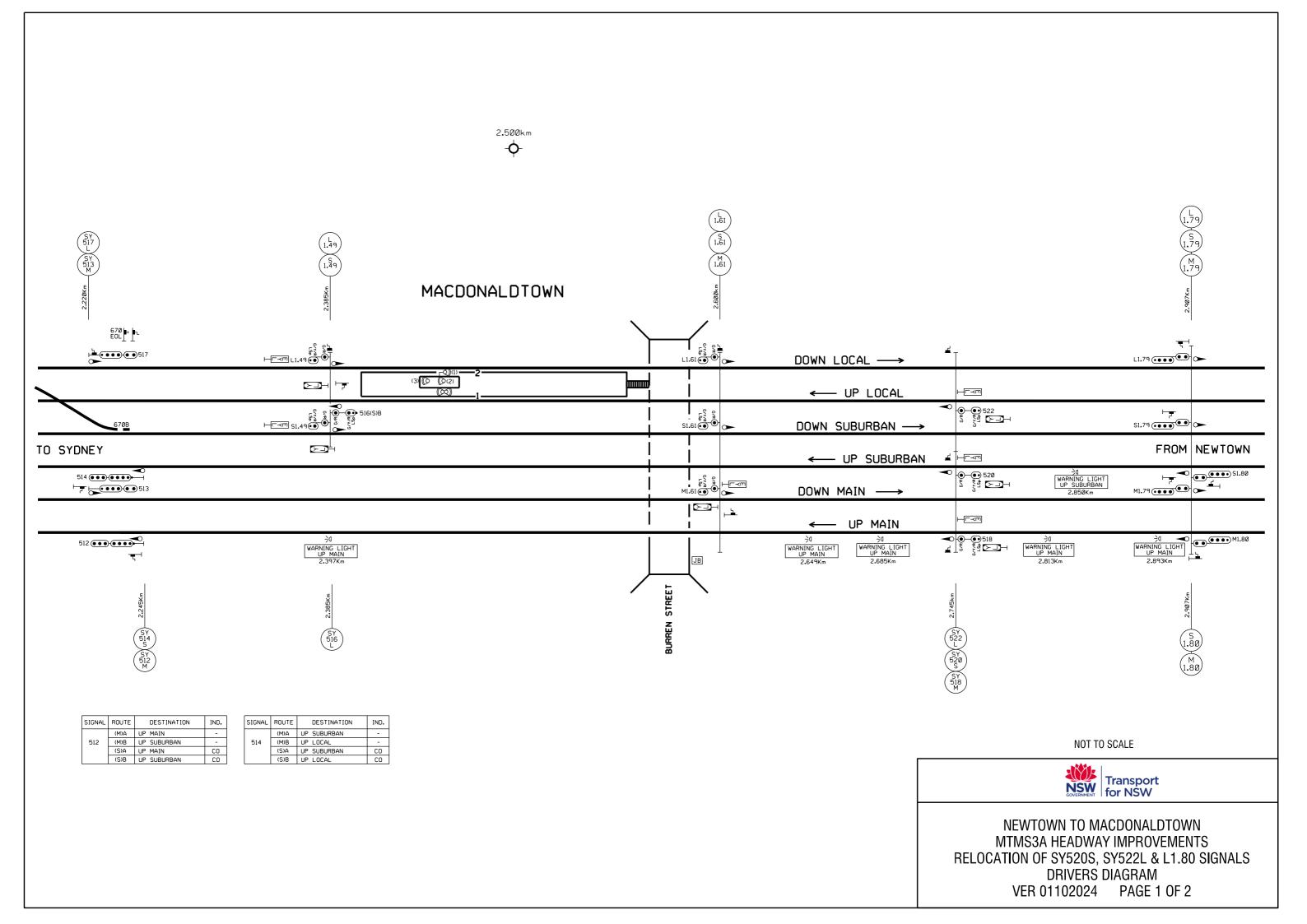
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## WOLLI CREEK (ILLAWARRA LINE) – MTMS3A ARNCLIFFE TO TEMPE HEADWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT -INSTALLATION OF NEW SIGNALS

Commencing at 0600 hours on **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2024** and continuing until 2200 hours on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2024, the following work will be carried out:

New signals associated with the headway improvements project will be installed at the following locations.

#### **Down Illawarra Main**

• New main line signal to be installed at 7.153km on the down side of the Down Illawarra Main, the signal will be bagged out of use with a white cross until commissioned at a later date.

#### **Up Illawarra Main**

• New main line signals to be installed at 7.781km and 8.027km on the up side of the Up Illawarra Main, the signals will be bagged out of use with a white cross until commissioned at a later date.

#### **Up Illawarra Local**

• New main line signals to be installed at 7.781km and 8.027km on the up side of the Up Illawarra Local, the signals will be bagged out of use with a white cross until commissioned at a later date

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## NORTH SYDNEY CAR SIDINGS – SPEED SIGN MAINTENANCE

On Thursday, 21 November 2024, the following speed sign & TOC changes will take place:

- 40km/h speed sign up direction will be installed at 7.670km as per the TOC.
- 40km/h speed sign up direction adjacent to MH 4+625 will be removed as it is not listed in the TOC.
- 40km/h speed sign down direction in front of signal NS 303 CS will be removed as it is not listed in the TOC.
- 25km/h speed sign down direction will be installed at 6.410km as per the TOC.
- 25km/h speed sign up direction will be installed at 6.065km as per the TOC.

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## STATUS OF TOM NOTICES

Number	Title	Issued	Effective
018 – 2007	Emergency equipment boxes Rail	01/11/07	19/11/07
010 – 2012	48 Class: Train Operations Manual (TOM)	25/10/12	04/11/12
003 – 2013	48 Class: Wheels	07/02/13	10/02/13
015 – 2013	OMET 200: Minimum Standards for Electric Trains	30/05/13	09/06/13
002 – 2014	OMET 220: Wheelslip light indications	20/02/14	02/03/14
004 – 2016	OMET 262: Failure of Train Management System	14/07/16	24/07/16
004 – 2017	TWP 174 Ice Radio	20/07/17	31/07/17
018 - 2017	Amendment to OMET 200	14/12/17	24/12/17
012 – 2018	OMET 228 Control Circuit Failure	23/08/18	02/09/18
005 – 2018	OMET 242 Reverser handle jams in forward or reverse	18/08/18	28/08/18
006 – 2018	OMET 250 Applying power from the rear	18/08/18	28/08/18
008 – 2018	TWP 154 Responding to incapacitated Driver/Guard	18/08/18	28/08/18
016 - 2018	Network Rules Operational standards update	17/08/18	27/08/18
003 - 2019	OMET 264: Minimum Tractive Effort Requirements	21/02/19	03/03/19
012 – 2019	TWP 192: Working Trains Out of service	21/02/19	03/03/19
007 – 2019	TWP 136 Defective wheels	06/03/19	24/03/19
008 – 2019	TWP 190 Automatic Train Protection	06/03/19	24/03/19
009 – 2019	Train crew relieved in service & relay driver	06/03/19	24/03/19
004 – 2019	TWP 118 Reporting Faults	11/04/19	28/04/19
004 - 2020	TWP 124 Defective Brakes	20/05/20	08/06/20
005 - 2020	TWP 126 Defective Automatic Brakes	20/05/20	08/06/20
012 - 2020	WAR 202 Bogie Faults	20/05/20	08/06/20
011 - 2020	TWP 162 Train Crew Bell Signals	02/06/20	15/06/20
014 - 2020	TWP 112 Changing ends	20/07/20	03/08/20
017 - 2020	Operating Tangara, OSCAR, Millenium and Waratah with	07/12/20	14/12/20
	deflated air springs in the city underground		
011 - 2021	Exception to OMET 200 & 350	17/11/21	29/11/21
005 - 2022	TWP 160 Driver procedure at stations	21/04/22	08/05/22
023 - 2022	Exception to OMET 254 Topside Preparation Locations	16/08/22	22/08/22
028 - 2022	Testing of Tangara Sets fitted with European Train	08/12/22	16/12/22
	Control System (ETCS) Level 1 & Level 2 (In cab		
	signalling) equipment at Mortdale Maintenance Centre		
027 - 2022	TWP 150: Damaged or Missing Window Glass	27/09/22	10/10/22
014 - 2023	Use of Automatic Train Protection (ATP) equipment on Millennium trains	20/02/23	05/03/23
016 - 2023	TWP 152 Disabled trains	07/03/23	20/03/23
017 - 2023	TWP 138 Assisting Trains using Emergency Couplers	07/03/23	20/03/23
022 – 2023	WB Radios on Waratah, Oscar, Millenium, Tangara and K	05/04/23	23/04/23
023 - 2023	sets OSCAR trains fitted with Automatic Train Protection (ATP) equipment	19/06/23	26/06/23
028 – 2023	TWP 176: Wayside Train Condition Monitoring	07/08/23	21/08/23



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029 - 2023	Testing of an OSCAR Set (H5) with ETCS Level 2 equipment	01/09/23	04/09/23
026 – 2023	TWP 156: Operating doors	15/09/23	25/09/23
032 - 2023	TWP 100 Responsibilities of Train Crews	19/09/23	30/09/23
031 - 2023	Operation of Tangara trains fitted with ATP with Automatic Train Protection (ATP)	10/10/23	16/10/23
033 - 2023	Waratah (A and B SET) trains fitted with Automatic Train Protect equipment	17/10/23	23/10/23
034 - 2023	Testing Tangara trains fitted with ETCS Level 2	02/11/23	03/11/23
001 – 2024	TWP 182 Digital Train Radio	12/02/24	26/02/24
002 – 2024	Testing of a Millennium set (M31) with ETCS level 2 equipment	22/04/24	23/04/24
003 – 2024	Transition of NSW TrainLink Intercity Drivers and Guards to Sydney Trains	12/06/24	01/07/24
004 - 2024	Transfer and Testing of OSCAR Train (H5 set) with the Automatic Train Protection Protection(ATP) Trackside System	28/06/24	01/07/24



## STATUS OF PERMANENT SAFE NOTICES

Number	Title	Issued	Effective
008 - 2024	Use of Signal Key Switches	10/10/24	24/10/24
004 – 2024	Transition of NSW TrainLink Operations to Sydney Trains	12/06/24	01/07/24
005 - 2024	New Trackside Signage associated with Digital Systems Train Testing	07/08/24	24/08/24
006 - 2024	Compiling NRF 008 – Pilot Staff Notice	14/08/24	30/08/24
007 - 2024	Instructions Related to the Use of Digital Forms for The Network Rules and Network Procedures	12/09/24	12/09/24

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Network Manuals

Network Local Appendices	RailSafe Website	Online documents
<b>Operator Specific Procedures</b>	RailSafe Website	Online documents
Network Rules	RailSafe Website	Online documents
Network Procedures	RailSafe Website	Online documents
Forms	RailSafe Website	Online documents (or order as applicable)



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#### Title

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#### Train Working Procedures

TWP 100	TN 006 - 2021	April 2021
TWP 102	3	May 2012
TWP 108	4	May 2012
TWP 110	TN 009 - 2019	March 2019
TWP 112	TN 014 - 2020	August 2020
TWP 114	4	November 2015
TWP 116	3	May 2012
TWP 118	TN 004 - 2019	April 2019
TWP 120	3	May 2012
TWP 122	3	May 2012
TWP 124	TN 004 - 2020	May 2019
TWP 126	TN 005 - 2020	May 2019
TWP 128	3	May 2012
TWP 130	3	May 2012
TWP 132	3	May 2012
TWP 134	3	May 2012
TWP 136	TN 007 - 2019	March 2019
TWP 138	TN 017 - 2023	March 2023
TWP 142	3	May 2012
TWP 144	5	May 2012
TWP 146	3	May 2012
TWP 148	3	May 2012
TWP 150	TN 005 - 2017	April 2017
TWP 152	TN 016 - 2023	March 2023
TWP 154	TN 008 - 2018	July 2018
TWP 156	TN 011 - 2019	March 2019
TWP 158	3	May 2012
TWP 160	TN 005 - 2022	May 2022
TWP 162	TN 011- 2020	May 2019
TWP 164	4	May 2012
TWP 166	3	May 2012
TWP 168	3	May 2012
TWP 170	3	May 2012
TWP 172	4	May 2012
TWP 174	TN 004 - 2017	July 2017
TWP 176	TN 008 - 2017	July 2017
TWP 182	1	November 2015
TWP 188	1	November 2015
TWP 190	TN 008 - 2019	March 2019
TWP 192	TN 012 - 2019	March 2019



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