

SAFE Notice 2021

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USE OF NWT 308 ABSOLUTE SIGNAL BLOCKING (ASB) ON THE NETWORK

From 1600 hours Friday, 16 April 2021

THIS SAFE Notice cancels and replaces SAFE Notice Telegram 1003 – 2021.

Effective from 1600 hours, Friday, 16 April 2021, this SAFE Notice cancels and replaces SAFE Notice Telegram 1003 – 2021 for use of NWT 308: Absolute Signal Blocking (ASB) on the Network until further notice.

In exception to NWT 308: Absolute Signal Blocking and NPR 703: Using Absolute Signal Blocking, Signallers must not authorise the ASB method of protection where the ATRICS Control System is **not** in use.

Staff performing work on track will be required to implement a higher form of protection than ASB in non-ATRICS controlled areas to provide a safe system of work for activities that would normally be undertaken using ASB.

SYDNEY, 16 APRIL 2021

DIRECTOR SAFETY AND STANDARDS SYDNEY TRAINS

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