

NSG 600 Running signals

Signal designations

Description

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Running signals, except for distant signals that cannot show **STOP**, are used to protect the block ahead.

Running signals are designated according to their purposes.

Operation	Designation	Description
Controlled	Outer home or accept	Used to control entry to the block ahead, but not otherwise protect points or other identified risks.
	Home	Used to protect points and other identified risks. Some home signals are kept permanently at STOP .
	Starting	Used to authorise departure from a controlled area.
	Home/starting	Functions as home and starting signal.
	Distant	Usually shows only CLEAR or CAUTION and cannot be used to protect the portion of line to the next signal. Some controlled distant signals can show STOP and can be used to protect the portion of line to the next signal.
Automatic	Automatic	Protects the block ahead. Displays a PROCEED indication only if the block ahead is unoccupied
	Distant	Usually shows only CLEAR or CAUTION and does not protect the portion of line to the next signal. Some automatic distant signals can show STOP and can be used to protect the portion of line to the next signal