

Notice Type: SAFE Notice

Location: Goobang Junction

Subject Title: Removal of Brolgan Road East Level Crossing 449.774km ID: LX1077

Corridor/line: Goobang Junction to Narromine

Control Board: TOCO Board / Hunter NW

Kilometrage: 449.114 km To: 450.767 km

Effective From: 29/03/2024 Time: 1030 hrs

Effective To: 30/03/2024 Time: 0830 hrs

Reference Documents:

Network Information Books: OGW-30-01, TOCO Board
Broken Hill to Stockinbingal (exc) and Bogan Gate to Bogan Gate Nth

OGW-03-23, Hunter Valley Northwest
Goobang Junction (exc) to Dubbo (exc) and Turrawan (exc) to North Star (inc) & Camurra West.

General Details / Operating Condition:**General**

Commencing at **1030 hours on Friday the 29th of March 2024** until **0830 hours on Saturday 30th March 2024** or until the works are completed, the following work will be carried out at the Brolgan Road East Level Crossing at 449.774 km:

- The existing Brolgan Road East Level Crossing will be permanently booked out of use, decommissioned, and removed.

Infrastructure Alterations

The following changes will be made to the signalling infrastructure:

Alterations to Level Crossing Infrastructure

Level Crossing ID/Name	Location	Change
LX1077 Brolgan Road East	449.774km	Removal of all track side infrastructure relating to the level crossing. Emergency switch / Manual and Test Switches removed. BR RD EAST Hut to remain

Alterations to Signs

Direction	Location	Signage	Comments
Down	City Side of Crossing 449.114km	Level crossing approach sign	Removed
Up	Country side of crossing 450.767km	Level crossing approach sign	Removed

Amendments to Network information book (NIB)**TOCO Board - Broken Hill to Stockinbingal (exc) and Bogan Gate to Bogan Gate North (OGW-30-01)****NIB-T0033** – page 118 of 146**Delete:**

NIB-T0033 diagram to be amended as per Drivers Diagram below.

Hunter Valley North West board - Goobang Junction (exc) to Dubbo (exc) and Turrawan (exc) to North Star (inc) & Camurra West (OGW-30-23)**Section 1.6 Level Crossings** - page 8 of 149**Delete:**

LX Number 1077 Brolgan Road, Goobang Junction, Parkes – Narromine, 449.774, Road, Public, Half Boom Flashing Lights.

Section 2.1 Goobang Junction (Exclusive) – page 20 of 149**Delete:****Brolgan Road East Level Crossing 449.774km**

Type F flashing lights, half booms and audible warning devices are provided at Brolgan Road East level crossing at 449.774km.

Down directional standard trackside signage is located at 449.114km.

Up directional standard trackside signage is located at 450.767km.

Emergency switches are provided to isolate the warning equipment in the event of a failure. The “Emergency Switch Boxes” are located on the Level crossing Equipment Hut and are opened by the emergency keys obtained from the ARTC Provisioning Centre at Parkes. The Level Crossing warning equipment must be operated in accordance with ARTC Network Rule ANGE 218 “Type F Level Crossing Management”, ARTC Procedures ANPR 715 “Protecting Type F level crossing and ANPR 717 Using Emergency Roadside Warning Equipment.

Manual operation switches are provided on the outside of the Level Crossing Equipment Hut. The manual operation switch is unlocked by SL key and provided for use by Competent Worker in accordance with ARTC Network Rule ANGE 218 "Type F Level Crossing Management", ARTC Procedures ANPR 715 "Protecting Type F level crossing.

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Safeworking Arrangements:

Additional Details:

An infrastructure Booking Advice (ANRF 003) must be compiled as per ANWT 312 and ANPR 704 to book out of use and back into of use, commission or permanently remove infrastructure.

Recipients must ensure this Notice is circulated to and understood by all personnel affected by, or needing to know, its content.

This Notice must be issued to all affected Competent Workers.

Competent Workers who receive this Notice must follow the requirements.

Contact Details:

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Approval:

Approved by: Delivery Support Manager, Network Control Centre South

Date: 25/03/2024

