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Track & Civil

General Appendix to ARTC Track & Civil Code of Practice

Specification Clauses

Railway Signs

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Western Jurisdiction	✓
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11.7. Railway Signs

11.7.1 Responses for Signage Defects

The responses for the repair or replacement of missing, damaged or unreadable signs should be as given in Table 11.1.

Table 11.1

Sign Category	Response Time for Repair or Replacement
Operational signs such as:- <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Location boards• Block point sign• Permanent speed sign• Clearance point sign• Whistle sign• Yard limit sign• Limit of shunt sign• Attend to derail sign• Change of operational systems or operational parameters (such as CTC, radio channels etc)	28 days
Other signs such as:- <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kilometre post sign• Half kilometre post sign• Structure and equipment identification signs	28 days
Level Crossing Signage for road users	7 days
Engineering advice signs such as:- <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Do not lift track account restricted clearance	28 days
Administrative signs such as:- <ul style="list-style-type: none">• No trespassing• Property boundary signage• Maintenance boundary signage	28 days
Temporary signs such as:- <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Temporary Speed restrictions• Worksite protection	7 days

NOTE

The response times shown in the table 11.1 are the absolute maximum. The actual response times should be as short as practicable, taking into account the risk profile involved.