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Dear Alex,

CSSI 9487 Narromine to Narrabri Notification of Commencement of Low Impact Works – Minister's Conditions of Approval - A7

I refer to the Minister's Conditions of Approval (**MCoA**) issued for the Critical State Significant Infrastructure (**CSSI**) Project No. 9487 Narromine to Narrabri (**N2N**), on 21 February 2023, and specifically MCoA A7 which requires the Proponent to notify the Department in writing of commencement dates for Work, Construction and Operation at least one (1) month before those dates.

The Australian Rail Track Corporation (ARTC) hereby notifies the Department of its intention to commence Work, specifically Low Impact Works (**LIW**) (as defined in MCoA Table 1) on the N2N project. The anticipated date of commencement is 1 September 2023, pending approval of the outstanding LIW requirements being the Five-Clawed Worm-Skink Management Plan (MCoA E30) and Workforce Code of Conduct (MCoA E129).

If you wish to discuss any of the above further, please contact Jasmine Walden, Principal Environmental Advisor – Regulatory Engagement on jwalden@artc.com.au on 0456 661 257 or myself on Rhamilton3@artc.com.au on 0419 799 699.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'R. Hamilton'.

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