

SPECIAL NOTICE

PERMANENT WAY AND SIGNALLING ARRANGEMENTS

YOKER

RESIGNALLING

YOKER SIGNALLING CENTRE EXTENSION OF AREA OF CONTROL

(ELIMINATION OF BOWLING, DUMBARTON AND CRAIGENDORAN BOXES)

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YOKER S. C. EXTENSION OF AREA OF CONTROL

OPENING ARRANGEMENTS

The altered permanent way and signalling arrangements shown on the accompanying diagram and described herein will be brought into use on a date to be advised in the Weekly Operating Notice.

DESCRIPTION OF SCHEME

Bowling, Dumbarton and Craigendoran boxes will be closed and Yoker Signalling Centre extended to cover the area previously controlled from these boxes.

The Up and Down main lines between Dalmuir and Helensburgh will be designated Up and Down Helensburgh lines.

The Down Goods loop at Dumbarton will be redesignated Down RCE line.

Bowling level crossing will be converted to a CCTV (Closed-Circuit Television) installation controlled from Yoker Signalling Centre.

METHOD OF WORKING

The Track Circuit Block Regulations will apply throughout the extended area of control of Yoker Signalling Centre and on the West Highland single line to and from Helensburgh Upper.

The Regulations for One Train Working on Single Lines where a Train Staff is not provided will apply on the single Balloch branch.

SIGNALLING ARRANGEMENTS

The description of all new signals shown on the accompanying diagram is as follows: -

Signals prefixed by the letters 'YC' and 'YD' will be controlled from Yoker Signalling Centre.

(All signals previously controlled by Craigendoran and prefixed 'C' will now be controlled by Yoker Signalling Centre and will be prefixed 'YC').

The application of all running signals, with the exception of those detailed on the accompanying diagram, is to the next running signal capable of displaying a red aspect.

The application of the undernoted existing signals will be altered as under: -

YY549 and YY597 at Dalmuir will now apply to YD605 (Down Helensburgh).

YC632 (former C632) will now apply to YD630 (Up Helensburgh).

NOTE:

The undernoted signalling alterations will be carried out in association with the above arrangements at the locations shown.

BOWLING

Existing ground position light signal BW19 (Up Helensburgh) will be re-numbered YD903.

(The existing 5 lever Dunglass siding uncontrolled ground frame is not affected by the resignalling arrangements).

DUMBARTON CENTRAL

The existing 2 lever ground frame in the former Down Goods loop (redesignated Down RCE line) will be converted to a 4 lever ground frame, released from Yoker Signalling Centre and designated "High Bank Siding GF." A derailer will be provided at the exit from the High Bank sidings controlled by the ground frame. Trains may shut in.

LEVEL CROSSINGS

The undernoted existing level crossings, presently controlled/supervised from Craigendoran signal box, will now be controlled/supervised from Yoker Signalling Centre:—

Cardross—CCTV
Geilston—manned gates
Ardmore East—AHB
Moss Road—occupation/accommodation crossing with telephone.

NOTE:

So far as Woodend occupation/accommodation crossing (West Highland) is concerned, telephone communication will continue to be to Banavie SC.

AWS EQUIPMENT

AWS track equipment is provided as outlined on the accompanying diagram and is shown immediately on the approach side of the signal to which it applies. A single arrowhead associated with the symbol indicates that the equipment is operative only for the direction shown.

TELEPHONES

Although not shown on the accompanying diagram, telephones with black and white diagonal striped signs will be provided at all new signals capable of displaying a red aspect.

Telephones with St. Andrew's Cross signs will be provided in accordance with regional practice.

PERMANENT SPEED RESTRICTION WARNING INDICATORS (RULE BOOK, APPENDIX 2)

In association with the resignalling arrangements, adjustments will be made to the existing permanent speed restriction warning indicators as under:— $\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)$

Line	Existing Location	New Location
Down Helensburgh	300 yards before reaching existing signal D34 (between Dumbarton East and Dumbarton Central stations)	400 yards nearer Dumbarton Central station
Up Balloch single Line	240 yards before reaching existing signal D7 (between Renton and Dalreoch Jn)	100 yards nearer Balloch (associated AWS Cancelling Indicator will be repositioned accordingly)

The associated AWS track equipment will be repositioned accordingly.



