



Railway Fires Act 1905

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4 Definitions and application.

In this Act—

The expression “agricultural land” includes arable and meadow land and ground used for pastoral purposes or for market or nursery gardens, and plantations and woods and orchards, and also includes any fences on such land, but does not include any moorland or buildings;

The expression “agricultural crops” includes any crops on agricultural land, whether growing or severed, which are not led or stacked;

The expression “railway” includes any light railway and any tramway worked by steam power.

[^{F1}The expression “railway company” includes any person—

- (a) who holds a licence under Part I of the Railways Act 1993; or
- (b) who is exempt, by virtue of a licence exemption under section 7 of that Act, from the requirement to be authorised by licence under that Part to be the operator of a railway asset;

The expressions “light maintenance depot”, “network”, “operator”, “railway asset”, “station” and “track” have the same meaning as they have in Part I of the Railways Act 1993.]

This Act shall apply to agricultural land under the management of [^{F2}the Crown Estate Commissioners] and to agricultural crops thereon.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 4 inserted (E.W.S.) (1.4.1994) by 1993 c. 43, ss. 150(1)(o), 152(1), **Sch. 12 para. 2(2)**; S.I. 1994/571, **art. 5**
- F2** Words substituted by virtue of S.R. & O. 1924/1370 (Rev. V, p. 443; 1924, p. 228), **Crown Estate Act 1956 (c. 73), s. 1(1)(7)** and **Crown Estate Act 1961 (c. 55), s. 1**

Status:

Point in time view as at 01/04/1994. This version of this provision has been superseded.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Railway Fires Act 1905, Section 4.