STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2023 No. 815

The Rother Valley Railway (Bodiam to Robertsbridge Junction) Order 2023

PART 1

PRELIMINARY

Application of the 1991 Act

4.—(1) Works executed under this Order in relation to a highway which consists of or includes a carriageway are to be treated for the purposes of Part 3 (street works in England and Wales) of the 1991 Act as major transport works if—

- (a) they are of a description mentioned in any of the paragraphs (a), (c) to (e), (g) and (h) of section 86(3) (which defines what highway authority works are major highway works) of that Act; or
- (b) they are works which, had they been executed by the highway authority, might have been carried out in exercise of the powers conferred by section 64(1) of the Highways Act 1980 (dual carriageways and roundabouts).

(2) The provisions of the 1991 Act mentioned in paragraph (3) (which, together with other provisions of that Act, apply in relation to the carrying out street works) and any regulations made or code of practice issued or approved under those provisions apply (with the necessary modifications) in relation to the temporary stopping up, temporary alteration or temporary diversion of a street by the Company under the powers conferred by article 12 (temporary stopping up of streets) and the carrying out of works under article 10 (power to execute street works) whether or not the stopping up, alteration or diversion, or the carrying out of such works, constitutes street works within the meaning of that Act.

(3) The provisions of the 1991 Act(2) referred to in paragraph (2) are—

section 54(3) (advance notice of certain works), subject to paragraph (4);

section 55(4) (notice of starting date of works), subject to paragraph (4);

section 59(5) (general duty of street authority to co-ordinate works);

section 60 (general duty of undertakers to co-operate);

section 68 (facilities to be afforded to street authority);

section 69 (works likely to affect other apparatus in the street);

section 76 (liability for cost of temporary traffic regulation);

⁽¹⁾ Section 64 was amended by section 102 of, and Schedule 17 to, the Local Government Act 1985 (c. 51) and section 168(2) of the 1991 Act.

 ⁽²⁾ Sections 54, 55, 57, 60, 68 and 69 were amended by section 40(1) and (2) of, and Schedule 1 to, the Traffic Management Act 2004 (c. 18).
(2) Section 40(1) and (2) of, and Schedule 1 to, the Traffic Management (2004) and (2) of (2004).

⁽³⁾ Section 54 was also amended by section 49(1) of the Traffic Management Act 2004.

⁽⁴⁾ Section 55 was also amended by sections 49(2) and 51(9) of the Traffic Management Act 2004.

⁽⁵⁾ Section 59 was amended by section 42 of the Traffic Management Act 2004.

section 77 (liability for cost of use of alternative route);

and all such provisions as apply for the purposes of the provisions mentioned above.

(4) Sections 54 and 55 of the 1991 Act as applied by paragraph (2) have effect as if references in section 57 of that Act to emergency works included a reference to a stopping up, alteration or diversion (as the case may be) required in a case of emergency.