

GERT8000 Rule Book Handbook Issue History, Issue 21

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HB1	General duties and track safety for track workers	9	Re-issue	06/12/25
HB2	Instructions for track workers who use emergency protection equipment	2	Re-issue	05/12/15
HB3	Duties of the lookout and site warden	4	Re-issue	06/12/25
HB4	Duties of a points operator and route-setting agent - moving and securing points by hand	2	Re-issue	06/12/14
HB5	Handsignalling duties	3	Re-issue	06/12/25
HB6	General duties of an individual working alone (IWA)	8	Re-issue	07/12/24
HB7	General duties of a controller of site safety (COSS)	10	Re-issue	06/12/25
HB8	IWA, COSS or PC blocking a line	10	Re-issue	07/12/24
HB9	IWA or COSS setting up safe systems of work within possessions	9	Re-issue	06/12/25
HB9 ERTMS	IWA or COSS setting up safe systems of work within possessions on ERTMS lines where lineside signals are not provided	3	Re-issue	06/12/25
HB10	Duties of the COSS and person in charge when using a hand trolley	5	Re-issue	02/12/23
HB11	Duties of the person in charge of the possession (PICOP)	11	Re-issue	07/12/24
HB11 ERTMS	Duties of the person in charge of the possession (PICOP) on ERTMS lines where lineside signals are not provided	2	Re-issue	05/12/15
HB12	Duties of the engineering supervisor (ES) in a possession	11	Re-issue	06/12/25

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HB12 ERTMS	Duties of the engineering supervisor (ES) in a possession on ERTMS lines where line side signals are not provided	4	Re-issue	06/12/25
HB13	Duties of the person in charge of the siding possession (PICOS)	4	Re-issue	02/12/23
HB14	Duties of the person in charge of loading and unloading rail vehicles during engineering work	3	Re-issue	05/06/21
HB15	Duties of the machine controller (MC) and on-track plant operator	7	Re-issue	07/12/24
HB15 ERTMS	Duties of the machine controller (MC) and on-track plant operator on ERTMS lines where lineside signals are not provided	3	Re-issue	02/12/17
HB16	AC electrified lines	7	Re-issue	06/06/26
HB17	DC electrified lines	6	Re-issue	06/06/26
HB18	Duties of a level crossing attendant	4	Re-issue	05/12/15
HB19	Work on signalling equipment - duties of the signalling technician	6	Re-issue	06/12/25