### JOB DESCRIPTION

Jol	o Details									
Job	Job Title: Payroll Implementation Manager									
Fur	nction:	Route Services								
Job	Reports To:	Senior Payroll Operations Manager								
Loc	cation:	Manchester								
Job	Number:									
Family: Lev				4	Band:	4B				
(Full details on Family, Level and Band can be obtained from Human Resources)										
Job Purpose										
Implement the planned strategic payroll projects within Network Rail Shared Services, delivering to the agreed timescales, budget and quality in line with Network Rail standards and change governance.										
Safety Details										
1.	This job MANAGES EMPL identified in the Managers' Ha	OYEES (review and undertake the management accountability andbook)	ties YES		NO					
2.	This is a KEY SAFETY POST (Section 4.1.2 of the Health & Safety Management System)		n) YES		NO 🗸					
3.	This job requires SECURI	TY CLEARANCE (e.g. Running of Special Trains)	YES		NO 🗸					
4.	This is a SAFETY CRITIC Management System)	AL WORK POST (Section 4.1.3 of the Health & Safety	YES		NO V					
5.	The job holder is required	to hold a relevant TRACK SAFETY competence	YES		NO 🗸					
	(refer to the Job Description guidelines for detailed information on TRACK SAFETY competences)									

## **Key Accountabilities**

- Deliver a professional, consistent, and effective project implementation service within Payroll Shared Services in accordance with Network Rail and Route Services governance processes and standards.
- 2. Develop, maintain, and drive credible project plans and timelines along with pre-emptive and skilled risk management to avoid issues throughout the project lifecycle.
- 3. Proactively manage and take the lead on payroll continuous improvement projects, using technical knowledge whilst engaging specialist expertise as required.
- 4. Support Senior Payroll Operations Manager with payroll projects to deliver all related activities within project timeline to incorporate continuous improvements, training, UAT testing and parallel runs.
- 5. Identify efficiencies and continuous improvement taking appropriate action to resolve issues and escalate as appropriate.
- 6. Manage project timelines, change control, and progress reporting to Senior Payroll Operations Manager, providing all cost, contingency and project / programme details to demonstrate traceability of costs to the project.
- Develop and continually improve relations with key stakeholders within the HR and Reward teams), define and embed a customer centric culture where all team members consider the impact on customers and their future requirements.
- 8. Build and maintain quality relationships with business representatives (SMEs) and stakeholders so that expectations are managed. Resolve any issues and concerns concerning payroll projects as the principal point of contact within the payroll team.
- 9. Operate within the pre-agreed control framework; embed a control mind set amongst all stakeholders to reduce risk and control costs. Continually reviewing the framework for adherence, where gaps are identified, take personal ownership to define, socialise and embed improvements.

# **Job Skills, Experience and Qualifications**

#### Essential

- Project Management Qualification (e.g. PMI, Prince, MSP, Agile, APM Project, PFQ)
- Knowledge and experience as a Project Manager within a similar operation
- Exceptional customer focus/engagement/stakeholder management skills
- Proven influencing and networking skills at a management level.
- Organised and self-starter with a keen eye for detail.
- Proven analytical skills; ability to produce, interpret and work comfortably with management information in a KPI driven environment.
- Have the ability to make tough decisions needed to succeed and having the courage to honestly communicate those decisions.
- Demonstrable experience in leading service, process and system improvements applying LEAN or equivalent methodology.
- Excellent communication skills both written and verbal (comfortable presenting to senior stakeholders and/or customers)

### Desirable

- Operational knowledge of payroll subject areas
- Educated to CIPP level or equivalent.
- ORACLE eBusiness Suite experience

Job Description Briefing							
Date Job Description issued to, discussed with and understood by Post Holder							
Name of Post Holder: Signature: Signature: (I confirm I have been briefed on the requirements of this Job Description and other related documents)							
Name of immediate superior: Signature:							
I confirm I have briefed the Post Holder on the requirements of this Job Description and other related documents)							
Nominated Deputies							
If this is a KEY SAFETY POST (2 in Safety Details above is YES) at least one nominated deputy must be identified. The Job Holder must confirm that the Nominated Deputy(ies) receives a copy of, and is briefed on this Job Description.							
Name of Nominated Deputy: Date: Date:							
(As the Nominated Deputy for this post, I confirm I have been briefed on the requirements of this Job)							
If there are more nominated deputies, they should sign further copies of this Job Description.							

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