

# Prep4Winter

## IMMINENT COLD WEATHER ALERT

Time to get properly prepared



### Site Preparation

- Be aware of underfoot conditions
- Spread rock salt at access points and SAC cabins where possible (not on rails)
- Does the new ballast have anti-icer?
- Put contingencies in place should the weather worsen and affect safe delivery
- Water pipes suitably lagged?

### Welfare & Fatigue

- Make sure teams have access to hot food and drinks
- Colder temperatures exacerbate tiredness and increase fatigue, avoid standing around whilst waiting to access the track

### Clothing & PPE

- Wear layers of clothing under your PPE to stay warm
- Keep your hands warm as cold hands will affect dexterity, insulated Cut 5 gloves and glove liners are available



### Winter Driving

- Drive with due care and attention
- Top up your windscreen wash
- Pack de-icer and an ice scraper in your vehicle
- Pack spare clothes/blanket and food/ drink for emergencies
- Sufficient fuel for journey and emergencies