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Dear Mr. Rubio

Information request

Our reference: FOI2019/00413

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request of 8th April 2019, which read as follows:

'As part of a personal project for a game, I would like to know which font is used for your line-side speed limit signs.

Below is an example of what I am looking for: https://ibb.co/4ZCvzPg

I notice it isn't the usual 'NR Brunel' font which is used on station signs, as the fonts do not match up.'

I have processed your request under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

I have made enquiries with a number of my colleagues within Network Rail who have advised that based on the example which you have provided, it appears that this type of font dates back to when the rail network was previously managed by British Rail. Our archives team have confirmed that we do not retain British Rail records and therefore, we do not hold the information which you have requested.

If you would like to find out whether the British Rail records contain the information that you require, then you may wish to visit the Railway Museum website to check former British Rail records (https://www.railwaymuseum.org.uk/).

You may also find it useful to visit the following websites as they provide information specifically about railway speed and safety signs.

(http://www.railsigns.uk/sect13page1/sect13page1.html)

(https://www.rssb.co.uk/rgs/standards/gkrt0033%20iss%203.pdf)

(https://www.rssb.co.uk/rgs/standards/girt7033%20iss%202.pdf)

I am sorry I could not be of more immediate help with your request but I hope the advice provided is useful to you.

If you have any enquiries about this response, please contact me in the first instance at FOI@networkrail.co.uk or on 01908 782405. Details of your appeal rights are below.

Please remember to quote the reference number at the top of this letter in all future communications.

Yours sincerely

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Appeal Rights

If you are unhappy with the way your request has been handled and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, please write to the Head of Freedom of Information at Network Rail, Freedom of Information, The Quadrant, Elder Gate, Milton Keynes, MK9 1EN, or by email at foi@networkrail.co.uk. Your request must be submitted within 40 working days of receipt of this letter.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF