
Subject: Mandatory stops e.g. before a level crossing (was: Obligational stop)

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Dear all,

as there has not been a final solution to the topic, I want to re-animate the discussion here in the forum:

Am 11.03.2013 um 14:38 schrieb Susanne Wunsch:

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> I summarized the new arguments in the appropriate Trac ticket. [1]

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> During the last railML conference (2013-03-06) in Berlin the use case for "mandatory stop" was questioned.

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> The described scenario is very specific to the German railway operations. In order to avoid country-specific operation rules in the context of the more general railML data exchange, the current implementation should be removed.

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> As a short-term solution, the partners may use any-Attributes instead.

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> An implementation following the idea of an operational stop would be preferred to the current implementation as a "speedChange".

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> Any comments* appreciated.

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> [1] <http://trac.assembla.com/railML/ticket/100#comment:4>

> * +1, -1, hints, questions...

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The main question to be answered:

Shall a mandatory stop e.g in front of a level crossing be modelled using the current solution with `<speedChange>@mandatoryStop [boolean]` or shall we define an operational point there?

I would like to get this topic clarified with the upcoming version 2.4.

Best regards

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