

## More Locomotives for ROG

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ROG have acquired more class 37 locomotives. Following the success of its existing class 37 operation, ROG have acquired two more of the class through its locomotive leasing partner Europhoenix. With a further locomotive expected in the summer this will bring ROG's class 37 fleet size to five. The three additional locomotives will be fitted with EMU translating equipment similar to that fitted to 37800 and 37884 providing additional capacity to ROG's rolling stock engineering, manufacturing and leasing customers.



*Class 37 number 37611, one of the latest editions to ROG's locomotive fleet.*

### New Operations & Planning Centre

ROG have acquired an additional suite of offices in Derby. Located in Wyvern House at the north end of Derby station, the offices will accommodate ROG's expanding Operations & Planning Centre and also a new train driver training facility. ROG's City based offices in Farringdon will continue to be the company's commercial and administrative headquarters.

### Passenger Operating Licence

ROG have applied to the ORR for a licence to operate passenger services. ROG will be operating a small number of specifically selected, low risk, 'specialist' charter services. Plans are being developed to widen the scope of passenger

operations in the future. ROG commence their passenger operation in May.

### ROG Management Services

As well as a growing train operation, ROG's Management Services business unit also continues to expand with additional 'consultancy' contracts. As well as undertaking station devolution work for Jacobs Engineering, ROG are also supporting the Rail Delivery Group with a rolling stock depot facilities project.

### ROG's Safety Performance

On 03 March, ROG celebrated one year as a train operating company. In its first year, ROG had operated 27 different traction types employing 7 different brake systems to/from 34 destinations. ROG completed its first year of operations having experienced zero incidents or accidents of any description. Given the often bespoke and complex nature of ROG's operations, this is a significant achievement but demonstrates the maturity, commitment and deeply embedded safety culture which is integral to ROG's organisation.

### Other News in Brief

- ROG's team continues to grow with the appointment of a new Financial Controller and Operations Control Manager.
- ROG pursue ISO9001 accreditation.

### Making Contact

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