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**Wabtec Rail Ltd. Announces Management Appointments**

WILMERDING, Pa., May 10, 2004 -- Wabtec Rail Ltd., the United Kingdom-based subsidiary of Wabtec Corporation (NYSE: WAB), has announced three management appointments, which became effective earlier this month.

“We expect these changes will provide the additional focus needed to meet our growth and continuous improvement objectives, and to better serve our customers in every way,” said John D. Meehan, managing director of Wabtec Rail.

Chris J. Weatherall was promoted to commercial director responsible for all commercial activity, including tenders and contracts. In his previous role as operations director, he successfully integrated Wabtec’s Quality and Performance System into Wabtec Rail’s daily operations, which led to continuous improvements in efficiency and performance required to meet customer demands.

Martin Sutton was promoted to fleetcare director from contracts manager. In his new position, Sutton will build upon his established relationships with fleetcare customers to meet their needs for more sophisticated solutions.

David Haynes, manufacturing manager for Wabtec’s Vapor Stone UK subsidiary in Burton-Upon-Trent, will become operations director for Wabtec Rail. He brings essential skills and experience required to accelerate continuous improvements throughout Wabtec Rail.

Wabtec Rail Ltd., located in Doncaster, South Yorkshire, is a leading railway engineering company providing manufacturing, overhaul and repair of rolling stock and components for customers throughout the United Kingdom.

Wabtec Corporation ([www.wabtec.com](http://www.wabtec.com)) is one of North America’s largest providers of value-added, technology-based products and services for the rail industry.

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