

## QR 1007, Composite Sleeping Car (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Class Cabins)

JCS 1007 originally entered service with Queensland Rail in 1921. It worked between Brisbane and Cairns, sleeping sixteen travellers, and later worked on the Dirranbandi Mail.



Obviously major repairs were required, 2004. [lz 2617] JCS 1007 was decommissioned in 1992, became part of QR's Heritage Fleet and was to be restored. Because of budget restraints QR sold off some rolling stock, including JCS 1007. JSC 1007 is on a 12 year loan from a rail enthusiast in Ipswich so that it could be restored.



Even prior to restoration some areas of the carriage were still in good repair: upper berth folded down for use. [lz 0295]

One of our volunteers, an ex-Station Master, worked on the car over fifty years ago as he was beginning his QR career.



Restoration completed and carriage open for inspection, May 2012. [lz P0190]