



# Class 90 Electric Loco Group

SPECIAL REPORT:

The Naming of 90008 "The East Anglian" on December 13<sup>th</sup> 2010

## WELCOME

On Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December the first day of the new National Express East Anglia timetable, 90008 were named "The East Anglian" at London Liverpool Street. In order to get the engine in question to London for her special day, she worked the reinstated "The East Anglian" which is the 07:40 Norwich to London service 1p15. This was her first run with the new nameplates prior to her official engagement at London Liverpool Street.

On arrival at London, the scene was then set for the "official" naming – after the ceremony 90008 worked the 10:00 London to Norwich 1p18 and she remained out on the GEML sporting her nameplate and clean bodywork for the rest of the day. As one would expect, I spent the entire day following this 90 around as it is my favourite engine (and has been for a number of years), so it was only right to capture her special day.

90008 at Diss enroute to London on 1p15 prior to naming



90008 at the Street just before she was named



As a special tribute to 90008s naming, I made a movie showcasing her movements throughout the day starting at Diss in the morning. This can be watched by the clicking on the YouTube link below:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X9ZWYjVaT28> Enjoy and thank you for reading this article.