**Creating service credentials**

The data required to connect an application to Object Storage is provided via a service credential and is wrapped in a JSON document.

Service IDs and new Service IDs can be generated simultaneously. Service credentials are always linked to a Service ID.

Basic authentication is carried out using the web service credentials.

1. Choosing Administration > Operations > Services .

2. Select the Credentials tab on the Services page.

3. Click New on the Service Credentials page.

4. Give the credential a name on the New Service Credential page.

❖ Spaces are not permitted in this name. Give it a name that is descriptive, but exclude the user name and password. As an illustration, use http.mysite.myservice.cred.

❖ By extending or changing this URL using the getURL callback defined in the service registry specification, you can utilise a single service configuration for a number of URIs.

Enter the username for the credential.

❖ Enter the password. The password is masked after you type it and can't

be retrieved from the Business Manager, so be sure to store the value

securely elsewhere.

