

MTR welcomes Government Structure Re-organisation Proposal

The MTR Corporation welcomes the Chief Executive's proposal for government re-organisation announced earlier today (12 January 2022). Under the proposal, the Transport and Housing Bureau will be re-organised into the Transport and Logistic Bureau and the Housing Bureau, so that they could each be more focused on their respective policy areas.

The Corporation looks forward to working with the newly formed Transport and Logistic Bureau, whose primary focus will be on transport policies, facilitating the planning and development of local and cross-boundary transport infrastructure under the transport infrastructure-led approach.

In line with the Government's established policy to use railways as the backbone of the passenger transport system, the Corporation will continue to provide safe, reliable, and environmental-friendly railway service to the people of Hong Kong. We are committed to "Go Smart Go Beyond", through efforts to promote Smart Mobility, as well as inclusive services that cater for the diverse needs of our passengers. The Corporation also looks forward to contributing to the new railway projects in the pipeline, including those in the Northern Metropolis development to support the long-term development of Hong Kong.

Railway construction helps unleash the development potential of residential land. The Corporation is also committed to building communities using the transport-oriented development approach under "Railway plus Property" model. We will continue to support the government's initiatives in this regard and cooperate with the re-organised Housing Bureau.

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About MTR Corporation

Every day, MTR connects people and communities. As a recognised world-class operator of sustainable rail transport services, we are a leader in safety, reliability, customer service and efficiency.

MTR has extensive end-to-end railway expertise with more than 40 years of railway projects experience from design to planning and construction through to commissioning, maintenance and operations. Going beyond railway delivery and operation, MTR also creates and manages dynamic communities around its network through seamless integration of rail, commercial and property development.

With more than 40,000 dedicated staff*, MTR carries over 13 million passenger journeys worldwide every weekday in Hong Kong, the United Kingdom, Sweden, Australia and the Mainland of China. MTR strives to grow and connect communities for a better future.

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