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### Press Release

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#### **MTR Launches Fare Discounts for Local Trips and Shopping Offers to Celebrate the Festive Season with Locals and Tourists 2,700 Additional Train Trips will be Provided Starting this Sunday Overnight Train Service on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve**

To support the Government in boosting local spending and the economy, MTR Corporation will launch a variety of time-limited and exciting offers starting next Monday (18 December 2023) including ride rewards for local trips, 40,000 MTR Malls and MTR Shops eCoupons as well as discounts for purchase of Adult 1-Day Tourist Day Pass for mainland visitors. The Corporation will also enhance train service starting from this Sunday (17 December 2023) and provide overnight service on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve to facilitate travel and spending by members of the public and tourists.

Starting from 18 December 2023 until 1 January 2024, the Corporation will offer the "MTR Festive Rewards" to passengers. Passengers who travel the local network on Heavy Rail (excluding journeys to or from Lo Wu and Lok Ma Chau stations on the East Rail Line, Airport Express, Light Rail and MTR Bus) five times with their Adult Octopus linked to registered accounts on MTR Mobile can get a HK\$10 coupon for domestic ride on MTR.

To encourage mainland tourists to travel on the MTR and provide them with more convenience, visitors can buy a half-priced Adult 1-Day Tourist Day Pass on the Alipay App from 18 December 2023 to 7 January 2024 and there will be over 100,000 of the discounted passes available. The day passes can be redeemed at Customer Service Centres in nine designated MTR stations<sup>1</sup>.

Meanwhile, 40,000 MTR Malls and MTR Shops eCoupons will be up for grabs via MTR Mobile at noon next Monday on a first-come, first-served basis. During the festive season, MTR Malls including ELEMENTS, The Wai and Telford Plaza will offer a wide array of promotions, and details can be found in the respective MTR Mall websites.

"With the festive spirit picking up, we are launching a series of exciting offers while also enhancing train service to celebrate the festivities with the local community and tourists. The Corporation wishes all passengers a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year," said Ms Jeny Yeung, Managing Director – Hong Kong Transport Services of MTR Corporation.

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<sup>1</sup> Passengers who have purchased Adult 1-Day Tourist Day Pass can redeem their passes at the Customer Service Centers in Fanling, Kowloon Tong, Mong Kok East, Mong Kok, Hung Hom, East Tsim Sha Tsui (near Entrance / Exit K), Austin (near Entrance / Exit C), Exhibition Centre or Causeway Bay Station until 14 January 2024.

During the festive period starting from this Sunday to New Year's Day, MTR will enhance train service during various periods on 17, 22 – 26, 30 – 31 December and 1 January, covering all Heavy Rail lines (except Airport Express) and adding a total of 2,700 train trips. The enhancements include adding train trips to peak hour frequencies starting from the afternoon on the Winter Solstice with train trips on the Tsuen Wan Line and Island Line running at around 2-minute intervals. There will be enhanced train service during the day and night on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve.

For overnight service, all local railway lines (except journeys to or from Lo Wu and Lok Ma Chau stations on the East Rail Line, Airport Express and Disneyland Resort Line) and seven Light Rail routes (505, 507, 610, 614P, 615P, 706 and 751) will operate throughout Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve. MTR buses 506, K51, and K54, meanwhile, will extend their service hours. The Corporation will continue to closely monitor train operations and suitably adjust train service when necessary. (Please refer to the annex for details about train service enhancement starting from 17 December.)

For merry festive ambiance, Christmas decorations featuring "T-Chai", "K T Chai", "Captain Go" and "Green T Baby" will be added to seven MTR stations (Hong Kong, Kowloon, Tsing Yi, Lai Chi Kok, Diamond Hill, Jordan and Kowloon Tong stations). Hong Kong West Kowloon Station of the High Speed Rail, meanwhile, features three Peter Rabbit Christmas-themed photo spots where passengers can take photos and bask in the festive vibe.

Additionally, a series of splendid art performances will be presented at the MTR "Living Art Stage" located in the Central Subway of Hong Kong Station. From 18 to 23 December, street music, a cappella singing and dance performances will be arranged while a special Christmas music performance featuring Miss Jace Chan will be held on 21 December. A number of Christmas concerts will also be held at MTR Malls. Following the music parties held at Paradise Mall and Luk Yeung Galleria last weekend (9 December), two outdoor music performances will be organised at Ocean Walk on 16 and 17 December respectively, while The Wai will host two "Night Lounge" concerts on 21 and 29 December featuring different singers to celebrate the festivities with the community. More details about the performances will be available on the websites of MTR Corporation and the relevant MTR Malls.

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To Keep Cities Moving, MTR makes encounters happen and rendezvous for a more connected tomorrow. 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 Mainland China. Together, we Go Smart and Go Beyond.

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Photo Caption:

1. Christmas decorations featuring “T-Chai”, “K T Chai”, “Captain Go” and “Green T Baby” will be added to seven MTR stations (Hong Kong, Kowloon, Tsing Yi, Lai Chi Kok, Diamond Hill, Jordan and Kowloon Tong stations).



2. Hong Kong West Kowloon Station of the High Speed Rail features three Peter Rabbit Christmas-themed photo spots on Levels B1 and G for passengers to embark on delightful Christmas journeys in the festive ambiance.



Annex

Train Service Enhancement on Winter Solstice (22 December 2023)

Railway Lines	Train Frequency (mins)
	3:00pm – 5:00pm
<b>Island Line</b>	2.1
<b>Kwun Tong Line</b>	
Tiu Keng Leng – Ho Man Tin	2.3
Ho Man Tin – Whampoa	4.6
<b>Tsuen Wan Line</b>	2
<b>Tseung Kwan O Line</b>	
North Point – Tseung Kwan O	2.2
North Point – Po Lam	2.5 / 4
North Point – LOHAS Park	6.7
<b>East Rail Line</b>	
Admiralty – Tai Po Market	3.3 – 3.5
Admiralty – Lo Wu	6 – 8
Admiralty – Lok Ma Chau	12
<b>South Island Line</b>	3.3
<b>Tuen Ma Line</b>	3.3 – 3.5
<b>Tung Chung Line</b>	
Hong Kong – Tsing Yi	3 – 5
Hong Kong – Tung Chung	4 – 9

### Train Service Enhancement on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve

Railway Lines	Frequency (mins)	
	Current	Enhanced
Island Line	<b>1:00pm – 8:00pm</b>	
	3.6	3.1
	<b>8:00pm – 11:30pm</b>	
	5	4.2 (24 December) 3.6 (31 December)
	<b>11:30pm – 12:30am</b>	
	8 – 10	6 (24 December) 3.6 (31 December)
Tsuen Wan Line	<b>8:00 pm – 11:30pm</b>	
	5	3.8 (24 December) 3.6 (31 December)
	<b>11:30pm – 12:30am</b>	
	7 – 10	6 (24 December) 3.6 (31 December)
Kwun Tong Line	<b>8:00pm – 10:50pm</b>	
	5	3.8
	<b>11:30pm – 12:30am</b>	
	8 – 10	5 – 8 (24 December) 5 (31 December)
South Island Line	<b>7:00am – 9:00am</b>	
	7.5	5.5
	<b>9:00am – 5:00pm</b>	
	6 – 7.5	4.5
	<b>5:00pm – 7:00pm</b>	
	4.5	3.3
	<b>8:00pm – 11:00pm</b>	
	7.5	6

<b>Tung Chung Line</b>	<b>10:00am – 12:00nn and 5:00pm – 7:00pm</b>	
	<b>7</b>	<b>6.5</b>
	<b>10:00pm – 00:30am</b>	
	<b>10 – 12</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>East Rail Line</b>	<b>8:00am – 10:00am</b>	
	Lok Ma Chau – Sheung Shui: 12 Sheung Shui – Admiralty: 4	<b>10</b> <b>3.8</b>
	<b>10:00am – 12:00nn and 5:00pm – 7:00pm</b>	
	<b>4</b> (Sheung Shui - Admiralty)	<b>3.5</b> (Tai Po Market – Admiralty)
	<b>7:00pm – 8:00pm</b>	
	Lok Ma Chau – Sheung Shui: 12 Sheung Shui – Admiralty: 4	<b>10</b> <b>3.8</b>
	<b>Lok Ma Chau: 8:00pm – 11:00pm Lo Wu: 8:00pm – 12:00am</b>	
	Lok Ma Chau – Sheung Shui :14.5 Lo Wu – Sheung Shui: 7.2 Sheung Shui – Admiralty: 5.5	<b>10</b> <b>7</b> <b>4.6</b>

### Overnight Service for MTR and Light Rail on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve

Railway Lines	Frequency (mins)		
	12:30am – 2:30am	2:30am – 3:30am	3:30am – 6:00am
Island Line	6 (24 December)	12 (24 December)	15
Tsuen Wan Line	3.6 (31 December)	8 (31 December)	
Kwun Tong Line	8 (24 December)	12 (24 December)	15
	5 (31 December)	8 (31 December)	
South Island Line	8	12	15
Tseung Kwan O Line			
North Point – Po Lam	8	12	15
Tiu Keng Leng – LOHAS Park	12		
Tung Chung Line	8	15	15
	12:30am – 2:30am	2:30am – 3:30am	3:30am – 5:30am
East Rail Line			
Admiralty – Sheung Shui	6.5	9	15
Tuen Ma Line	6.5	9	15
	(Only applies to 31 December )		
	12:40am – 2:00am		
Disneyland Resort Line	5		

Light Rail Routes	Frequency (mins)
	1:00am – 5:30am
505, 507, 610, 614P, 615P, 751	20
706	15

**MTR Bus Service Hours Extension on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve**

<b>Bus Routes</b>	<b>Direction</b>	<b>Service Extension Period</b>	<b>Frequency (mins)</b>
506	Siu Lun	12:30am – 1:30am	15 – 20
	Tuen Mun Ferry Pier	12:50am – 1:50am	
K51	Tai Lam	11:45pm – 12:45am	
	Fu Tai		
*K54 (Circular)	Tuen Mun Town Centre and Wo Tin	11:15pm – 12:45am	

\*The last bus to Wo Tin of K54 will depart from Tuen Mun Town Centre at 1:00am and later depart from Siu Hong Station at 1:15am.



**Train Service Enhancement on Seven Railway Lines During  
Weekends and Public Holidays Starting from 17 December 2023**

Railway Lines	17 December (Sunday)		23 and 30 December (Saturday)		25, 26 December and 1 January (Sunday and Public Holidays)	
	Frequency (mins)		Frequency (mins)		Frequency (mins)	
	Current	Enhanced	Current	Enhanced	Current	Enhanced
Island Line	1:00pm – 8:00pm		7:15am – 7:00pm		1:00pm – 8:00pm	
	3.6	3.1	2.8 – 3.6	2.3 – 3	3.6	3.1
			8:00pm – 11:00pm			
			5	4.2		
Tsuen Wan Line	8:00pm – 11:30pm		7:15am – 5:00pm		8:00pm – 11:00pm	
	5	4.2	2.8 – 3.1	2.5	5	4.3
			8:30pm – 11:30pm			
			4.2	3.8		
South Island Line	8:00pm – 11:00pm		9:00am – 7:00pm		7:00am – 7:00pm	
	7.5	6	4 – 6	3.3 – 4.5	4.5 – 7.5	3.3 – 5.5
			8:00pm – 11:00pm		8:00pm – 11:00pm	
			7.5	6	7.5	6

Railway Lines	17, 23, 25, 26, 30 December and 1 January (Saturday, Sunday and Public Holidays)	
	Frequency (mins)	
	Current	Enhanced
Tung Chung Line	10:00am – 12:00nn and 5:00pm – 7:00pm	
	7	6.5
East Rail Line	8:00am – 10:00am	
	Lok Ma Chau – Sheung Shui: 12 Sheung Shui – Admiralty: 4	10 3.8
	10:00am – 12:00nn and 5:00pm – 7:00pm	
	4 (Sheung Shui – Admiralty)	3.5 (Tai Po Market – Admiralty)
	7:00pm – 8:00pm	
	Lok Ma Chau – Sheung Shui: 12 Sheung Shui – Admiralty: 4	10 3.8
	Lok Ma Chau: 8:00pm – 11:00pm Lo Wu: 8:00pm – 12:00am	
	Lok Ma Chau – Sheung Shui: 14.5 Lo Wu – Sheung Shui: 7.2 Sheung Shui – Admiralty: 5.5	10 7 4.6
	Disneyland Resort Line	20 December to 1 January
9:00am – 9:30am and 6:00pm – 7:00pm		
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Railway Lines	23 and 30 December (Saturday)	
	Frequency (mins)	
	Current	Enhanced
Kwun Tong Line	7:15am – 7:00pm	
	2.5 – 3.1	<b>2.3 – 2.5</b>
	8:00pm – 10:50pm	
	4.2 – 5	<b>3.8</b>
Tuen Ma Line	1:15pm – 4:30pm	
	7	<b>6</b>
	5:30pm – 6:30pm	
	4.7	<b>4.4</b>