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MTR Celebrates 75th National Day and its 45th Anniversary by Offering 25% Train Fare Discount and Giving Away MTR Points

Celebrating the 75th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China and the 45th anniversary of MTR metro service commencement, the Corporation is pleased to announce today (17 September 2024) a 25% fare discount for all Octopus passengers on 1 October. MTR Malls will also offer a series of exciting rewards and privileges to encourage the public to enjoy the festivities.

"On the occasion of the 75th National Day, MTR extends heartfelt congratulations and best wishes for the nation's prosperity. 1 October this year also marks the Corporation's 45th year of service in Hong Kong, representing a significant milestone for the Corporation as we continue to drive the development of communities through the development of our extensive railway network. On behalf of the Corporation, I sincerely thank all sectors for their continuous support, and we look forward to making further contributions to Hong Kong and all communities connected by our network," said Dr Jacob Kam, Chief Executive Officer of MTR Corporation.

On 1 October¹, passengers can enjoy a 25% discount for every trip with their Octopus on the MTR network as well as Light Rail and MTR Bus services running in the Northwest New Territories^{2,3}. The 25% fare discount also applies to cross-boundary trips running to and from Lo Wu and Lok Ma Chau stations on the East Rail Line.

MTR Malls has been growing with the community and will offer shopping privileges to the public to celebrate National Day. On 30 September, the MTR Mobile "Click & Grab" event will give away 45,000 MTR eCoupons, totalling HK\$10.5 million. The "Happy Point-Share Rewards" event, also launching in October, will reward customers with a total of 75,000,000 MTR points. Along with various shopping privileges throughout September and October, the Corporation wishes to enhance the festive atmosphere across communities. Further details will be announced in due course.

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¹ Applies to the daily traffic hours of the MTR network, starting from the first train in the morning on Tuesday until the last train which departs after midnight.

² Airport Express, High Speed Rail, East Rail Line First Class Premium, and MTR Feeder Bus are excluded from the offer. The 25% fare discount on National Day is not applicable to MTR rides paid with QR code, e-Single Journey Ticket, Single Journey Ticket, contactless credit card, or debit card.

³ Passengers can also enjoy the discounted fare together with any interchange discount, Fare Saver discount and the 25% discount on connecting journeys with Monthly Pass.

Since the opening of the Kwun Tong Line in 1979, the MTR railway service has gradually developed into a network of 98 heavy rail stations over ten lines. With the Northwest New Territories' Light Rail network, the railway network extends across all 18 districts in Hong Kong. Embracing "Rail plus Community", the Corporation has built integrated communities along the railway network. Beginning with early developments such as Telford Gardens, Luk Yeung Sun Chuen, and Heng Fa Chuen, MTR has established vibrant communities across Hong Kong over the years. The Corporation also offers cross-boundary train services that strengthens the connection between Hong Kong and the mainland. Today, MTR's presence extends beyond Hong Kong and the Mainland of China to Australia, the United Kingdom, and Sweden, fulfilling our mission to "Keep Cities Moving".

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About MTR Corporation

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 45 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 50,000 dedicated staff*, MTR carries over 10 million passenger journeys worldwide every weekday in Hong Kong, Mainland China, Australia, the United Kingdom and Sweden. Together, we Go Smart and Go Beyond.

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