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MTR Expresses Profound Sorrow Over the Passing of Mr Tung Chee Hwa, Former Vice-Chairman of CPPCC National Committee and the First Chief Executive of HKSAR

MTR Corporation is deeply grieved by the passing of Mr Tung Chee Hwa, former Vice-Chairman of the National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference (CPPCC) and the first Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR).

"Mr Tung dedicated his life to serving the country and Hong Kong, making significant contributions to national development and Hong Kong's long-term prosperity and stability. With a lifelong commitment to society, he fully recognised the importance of robust railway and transport infrastructure to a city's long-term development," said Dr Jacob Kam, Chairman of MTR Corporation.

"During his tenure as Chief Executive, Mr Tung attached great importance to Hong Kong's long-term transport planning and infrastructure development. He actively promoted a public transport network with railways as its backbone and officiated at the commissioning ceremonies of key railway projects, including the Airport Express and the Tseung Kwan O Line, leveraging railway development to foster the growth of communities along the railway network and the wider economy. Because of his forward-looking vision and leadership, Hong Kong continued to build an efficient, convenient and sustainable public transport system, contributing to the city's economic prosperity," added Ms Jeny Yeung, Chief Executive Officer of MTR Corporation.

All MTR colleagues deeply mourn the passing of Mr Tung and extend our heartfelt condolences to his family.

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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 over 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 46,000 dedicated staff*, MTR carries over 13 million passenger journeys worldwide every weekday in Hong Kong, Chinese Mainland and beyond. Together, we Go Smart and Go Beyond.

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