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Press Release

PRESS STATEMENT

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MTR and High Speed Rail (Hong Kong Section) Service Update

The Hong Kong Observatory has announced that the Gale or Storm Signal No. 8 will be issued at 10:10pm. MTR will maintain normal weekend service frequencies for train, Light Rail and MTR Bus services until close of traffic.

For High Speed Rail (Hong Kong Section) services, MTR has received notifications from Chinese Mainland Railway Authorities that due to prevailing weather conditions, some of the train trips running between Hong Kong West Kowloon Station and Chinese Mainland destinations will be cancelled from today until 27 July. Passengers should check the 12306 website and app or the High Speed Rail website and app before they embark on their journeys. The Corporation will continue to closely communicate with Chinese Mainland Railway Authorities about service arrangements based on the latest weather conditions in Hong Kong and on the Chinese mainland.

MTR train service will continue under the Gale and Storm Signal No. 8. However, train service in open sections, Light Rail and MTR Bus service may be suspended without prior notice if weather conditions suddenly deteriorate and potentially affect operational safety. Passengers will be informed of the latest service arrangements as soon as possible.

Meanwhile, to ensure the safety of passengers and staff, trains that depart after the issuance of the Increasing Gale or Storm Signal No. 9 (or higher typhoon signal) will not operate in open sections and Light Rail service will also be suspended. Upon the issuance of Signal No. 9 or above, trains already operating in open sections will be arranged, under safe conditions and as far as practicable, to continue their journeys to the original destinations or stations connected to shopping malls. (Please refer to the annex for details.)

During typhoons, MTR service could be adjusted depending on the severity of the weather conditions and specific safety considerations. The Corporation calls on passengers to pay close attention to the latest service arrangements of MTR and High Speed Rail disseminated via MTR Mobile, MTR Facebook page, MTR website, High Speed Rail app and website, 12306 website and app, public announcements in stations and on trains, station notices and the media.

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