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PARTIAL CLOSURE OF PEDESTRIAN CROSSING AT JALAN BUKIT BINTANG

Kuala Lumpur, 9 May 2013: Mass Rapid Transit Corporation (MRT Corp) wishes to announce a partial closure of pedestrian crossing at Jalan Bukit Bintang, located between the Yayasan Selangor building and McDonald's restaurant, beginning from **15 May 2013 until December 2016**.

The closure is necessary to ensure the safety of the pedestrians. Alternative pedestrian crossings are available as indicated in the map attached. Pedestrians are reminded to be extra cautious when crossing the road and to follow directional signs.

The closure is a key part of our safety practice at all MRT construction sites. It will ensure that any risk of public injury is minimised. Motorists are reminded to drive carefully near MRT worksites.

Safety barriers, hoardings and traffic cones will be installed at the work sites to ensure road users and pedestrians are well-informed of on-going works. In addition, a 24-hour MRT Ronda will be patrolling along the routes to attend to any emergencies.

MRT Corp wishes to apologise for any temporary inconvenience caused to the public during the construction of this world-class public transport facility that will benefit Malaysians at large.

The Sungai-Buloh Kajang Line will comprise 31 stations, and serve 1.2 million people along the route. It will also have strategic integration with KL's existing rail transport network, namely the LRT, Monorail and KTM Komuter, as well as intra and inter-city bus routes. The end result will be better connectivity for KL and its surrounding cities, while reducing the number of cars that enter the capital.

For more information on traffic diversion, the public can visit the MRT website at www.mymrt.com.my or www.mymrt-underground.com.my, twitter @MRTMalaysia or twitter @MyMRT Underground or call the MRT Hotline at 1-800-82-6868.



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