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### **Jul Function: MTR Operations Control Centre Integration Project**

**Date: Monday 29<sup>th</sup> Jul 2013**

**Time: 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm**

**Venue: Theatre, 2/F, Fo Tan Railway House**

The Operations Control Centre (OCC) is the “heart” of MTR train operations. For 24-hours-a-day, 7-days-a-week, OCC staff keep close watch on every train and every activity in the network to ensure the delivery of safe and reliable services for the more than four million passengers each day.

This June, operational control of the entire MTR heavy rail network is housed under one roof at Tsing Yi, which was planned as a part of the rail merger in 2007. To prepare for its new role, the Tsing Yi OCC has undergone a \$117 million facelift to upgrade facilities and equipment, including the installation of larger rear projection mimic displays and the creation of more space to accommodate the larger team.

The integration process is the result of years of detailed design, planning and actual upgrading work on the signalling and other control systems which ensures the move has zero impact to passengers and normal train operations.

#### Guest Speaker

Ronnie Tong, Operations Manager – Operation Network Control, MTR Corporation

Mr. Ronnie Tong has 31 years of experience in railway station and traffic control, delivering excellent customer services and solutions on railway incidents. He has actively involved in numerous major railway projects both locally and overseas including the migration of all operations control centers to Tsing Yi, the operations of new railway extensions which would put to business in 2014 and 2015, and consultancy works in China, Singapore and UK. He also successfully led teams which relocated the Central Control Room at Kowloon Bay Depot to Tsing Yi Operations Control Centre in 2001. He is the chartered member of the Chartered Institute of Logistics & Transport, and member of the Institution of Railway Signal Engineers (Hong Kong Section).

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Secretary, CHKRI

