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Jul Function : Site Visit – MTR Rail Milling Train

Date: Sunday 26th July 2015

Time: 10:00 am to 12:00 noon

Venue: MTR Kowloon Bay Depot

MTR has recently introduced two Rail Milling Trains (RMT). The new trains polish the rail with state-of-the-art precision, offering a 40% increase in efficiency compared with existing grinding machines as they are designed to finish the process in one pass and re-profile 1km of rail in three hours. This frees up more time for other inspection and maintenance works. The RMT will be responsible for re-profiling tracks to maintain the proper shape and surface of rails on all 10 MTR heavy rail lines.

CHKRI will organize a visit to the operation of the RMT in MTR Kowloon Bay Depot. In this visit, you will have the chance to see how the train operates.

Attendees shall wear their own PPE including helmets, reflective vest and safety shoes during the visit. The maximum number of participants for this visit is 20. In the event of oversubscription, a ballot will be held.

Paid-up members will be given the first priority to participate the visit and eligible for attendance certificate.

The itinerary is as follows:

10:00	Assemble at MTR Kowloon Bay Depot Entrance
10:10	Safety Briefing
10:30	Brief introduction to RMT
11:00	Visit to the operation of RMT
12:00	Group Photo. Visit ends.

For application, each participant has to confirm to CHKRI his/her name, employer and contact telephone no. You should also provide your membership number and grade when returning your application to the Secretary by e-mail to "secretary@chkri.hk". The application deadline is **17th Jul 2015**.

Successful applicants will be notified by **21st Jul 2015**.

Anthony Tong
Secretary, CHKRI

