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MASS RAPID TRANSIT (MRT): ROAD REALIGNMENT IN JALAN DAMANSARA (IN FRONT OF MUZIUM NEGARA)

To facilitate construction works for MRT, a stretch of Jalan Damansara in front of Muzium Negara will be realigned beginning 22 August 2012. The realignment works is necessary for the construction of the MRT KL Sentral station.

The realignment which will affect lanes heading towards Bangsar as well as the city centre will be in effect for a period of two years till September 2014.

An efficient traffic management plan will be implemented to ensure minimum inconvenience to road users and pedestrians. We apologize for any temporary inconvenience caused to the public during the construction of this world-class public transport facility that will benefit Malaysians at large.

Safety barriers, hoardings and traffic cones will be installed at the work site to ensure road users and pedestrians are pre-warned of on-going works.

Upon completion of the entire MRT Sungai Buloh – Kajang Line in 2017, the KL Sentral station will be connected to the existing KL Sentral Interchange via an underground linkage.

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

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