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LONG-TERM ROAD REALIGNMENT AT INTERSECTION OF JALAN CHERAS-JALAN 1/91, SHAMELIN NEAR MALURI LRT STATION

Kuala Lumpur, 19 April 2013: A long-term road realignment will be implemented along Jalan Cheras towards the intersection of Jalan 1/91 Shamelin, commencing on **25 April 2013** and will be in effect until **31 October 2016**.

This realignment is necessary to facilitate underpinning works for the MRT Project's underground section which is being carried out by the underground works package contractor MMC Gamuda KVMRT (T) Sdn Bhd.

The road realignment will have no impact on the existing number of lanes serving motorists. Please see Map attached for the location of the road realignment.

Lane or road closures and diversions such as this are a key part of our safety practice at all MRT construction sites. The realignment will ensure that any risk of public injury is minimised. It is an essential process in the construction of the MRT project.

Motorists are reminded to drive carefully near the MRT worksites and to follow directional signs. Safety barriers and traffic cones will be installed and flagmen will be stationed at the work site to ensure road users and pedestrians are well-informed of on-going works.

MRT Corp wishes to 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.

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 the lane closure, members of the public can visit the MRT website at www.mymrt.com.my or www.mymrt-underground.com.my, Twitter [@MRTMalaysia](https://twitter.com/MRTMalaysia) or Twitter [@MyMRT Undergound](https://twitter.com/MyMRTUnderground) or call the MRT Hotline at **1800-82-6868**.

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