



MEDIA RELEASE

REMAINS OF VICTIMS TO BE FLOWN HOME

Kuala Lumpur, 20 August 2014: The remains of the three victims of Monday's night incident which occurred at the MRT worksite within the former Rubber Research Institute near Kota Damansara will be returned to their home country, Bangladesh tomorrow.

Three MRT workers were trapped beneath the span of the MRT guideway which had dislodged from its piers and fallen on the ground below. The next day, three bodies were recovered, that of Mohamad Faruk Khan, aged 38, Mohammad Alauddin Mollik, aged 34 and Mohammad Elahi Hossain, aged 27.

Mass Rapid Transit Corporation Sdn Bhd (MRT Corp) and Syarikat Muhibbah Perniagaan dan Pembinaan Sdn Bhd (SMPP), the contractor for Package V1 where the incident occurred, are liaising closely with the Bangladesh High Commission to make the necessary arrangements for repatriation of the remains.

Family members of the victims have been informed of the incident. SMPP held tahlil prayers for the victims last night, and will be performing *solat jenazah ghaib* before they are flown to Bangladesh.

The remains will be flown to Shahjalal International Airport in Dhaka, Bangladesh and are scheduled to arrive tomorrow morning. The families will be at hand to receive the remains.

MRT Corp extends its deepest condolences to the families over this unfortunate incident, and is currently investigating the incident with the authorities, to determine the cause.

Faruk, Alauddin and Elahi started work in Malaysia in March 2014.

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