

## **MRT CORP ANNOUNCES NEW APPOINTMENTS, KEY MOVEMENTS**

- **Haris Fadzilah Hassan heads new commercial division**
- **Mahmood Abdul Razak leads new operations set-up**
- **Najmuddin Abdullah joins as new communications chief**
- **Zainal Adam seconded from MACC to head integrity role**

**Kuala Lumpur, 13 August 2015:** Mass Rapid Transit Corporation Sdn Bhd (MRT Corp) has announced several changes and additions to its senior management team.

The Stakeholder Relations & Land Management Division has been renamed Commercial & Stakeholder Relations Division (CSRD) with effect from 16 July 2015. Within the CSRD, the Business Development Department has been set-up to handle all business-related matters of the project once service commences. Encik Haris Fadzilah Hassan is the Director of CSRD.

A new division has been set-up to oversee matters relating to operations. The Operations & Assets Management Division (OAMD) will be formalised on 17 August 2015 to oversee the operator of the Sungai Buloh – Kajang (SBK) Line. The division will also be managing all project assets including rolling stock, guideways, depots et cetera. Rapid Rail Sdn Bhd, a division of Prasarana Malaysia Berhad is the appointed operator of SBK Line.

Also under OAMD will be the feeder bus services for the SBK Line. Encik Mahmood Abdul Razak, who is currently heading the Strategic Communications & Public Relations (SCPR) Division, will spearhead the new division.

Dato' Najmuddin Abdullah joins MRT Corp on 1 September, 2015 as the new Director of SCPR. Najmuddin joins MRT Corp from Malaysia Airlines, where he was the Senior VP of Strategic Communications.

Prior to his stint at Malaysia Airlines, Najmuddin was the Chief Executive Officer of Kontena Nasional Global Logistics, which is the freight forwarding arm of Kontena Nasional. Prior to that, he held the position of Vice President of Corporate Communications at Celcom Axiata Berhad. He holds master and bachelor degrees in Economics from the University of Toledo, Ohio, USA.



Meanwhile, a Chief Integrity Officer has been appointed at MRT Corp. Encik Zainal Adam is seconded from the Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission (MACC) with effect from 15 August 2015. His appointment is for two years.

Zainal's last posting was as Terengganu Director for the Commission.

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