

# George Kent accepts RM1 bln MRT system work package

**KUALA LUMPUR:** George Kent (Malaysia) Bhd, together with its joint venture partner, China Communications Construction Company Ltd, have accepted a Mass Rapid Transit (MRT) Sungai Buloh-Serdang-Putrajaya (SSP) Line system work package, worth RM1 billion, from Mass Rapid Transit Corporation Sdn Bhd.

George Kent said the MRT SSP Line is 52.2 kilometres in length with 37 stations, along the stretch, including 11 underground, spanning from Sungai Buloh to Putrajaya, and will include Sri Damansara, Kepong, Batu, Jalan Sultan Azlan Shah, KLCC, Tun Razak Exchange, Kuchai Lama, Seri Kembangan and Cyberjaya.

“The system work package comprises engineering, procurement, construction, testing and commissioning of trackworks, maintenance vehicles and work trains for the MRT SSP Line,” it said in a statement yesterday.

It said the contract is expected to be completed by May 1, 2022 and is expected to contribute positively to the future earnings of the company over the duration period of the contract.

George Kent said the awarding of the system works package contract marked the third major rail transportation project it secured since 2012 after it was appointed as systems works contractor for the RM1.1 billion Ampang Light Rail Transit (LRT) Line extension project.

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