

Ma On Shan Line Modifications Explained

A new interactive corner - "Station Information Zone" (Info Zone) will be available at MTR stations along the Ma On Shan Line to provide passengers with the latest information of the upcoming modification works at these stations. The Info Zone will be manned by engineers to allow direct communications with passengers and residents concerning works to be carried out in the stations that the latter commute every day.

Touring along the 9 stations of the Ma On Shan Line, the Info Zone opens from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm on specific dates between 10 October and 15 November 2012. (See Annex for schedule of Info Zone)

"To tie in with the future 8-car train operation configuration of the 'East West Corridor' of the Shatin to Central Link (SCL), extension of platforms and noise absorptive roofs, retrofitting of automatic platform gates, and enhancement of electrical and mechanical facilities will be carried out along the Ma On Shan Line stations. The works will be conducted during non-traffic hours to keep impact to train service to the minimum," said Mr Philco Wong, General Manager - Shatin to Central Link of MTR Corporation.

The modification works started in September and are expected to be completed in 2017 to allow the operations of the East West Corridor of the SCL and take place in 2018.

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Photo Captions:

1. Officiating at the kick-off ceremony were Mr Ho Hau-cheung, Chairman of Sha Tin District Council (3rd left); Mr Philco Wong, General Manager - Shatin to Central Link of MTR Corporation (3rd right); Mrs Do Pang Wai-ye, District Officer, Sha Tin District Office (2nd left); Mr Pang Cheung-wai, Vice-Chairman of Sha Tin District Council (2nd right); Mr Benjamin Chang, Station Services Manager - East Rail Line & Ma On Shan Line of MTR Corporation (1st left); and Mr Yiu Ka-chun, Chairman of Traffic and Transport Committee, Sha Tin District Council (1st right). (10 Oct 2012)



2. A warm greeting to passengers at the Station Information Zone at Tai Wai Station.



3. Automatic platform gates will be retrofitted at stations along the Ma On Shan Line (Photomontage).



Schedule for Station Information Zone on Ma On Shan Line Modification Works

Station	Date	Time
Tai Wai	10 October 2012 (Wed)	6:00 pm – 7:30pm
Sha Tin Wai	16 October 2012 (Tue)	6:00 pm – 7:30pm
City One	18 October 2012 (Thu)	6:00 pm – 7:30pm
Shek Mun	25 October 2012 (Thu)	6:00 pm – 7:30pm
Heng On	30 October 2012 (Tue)	6:00 pm – 7:30pm
Tai Shui Hang	6 November 2012 (Tue)	6:00 pm – 7:30pm
Ma On Shan	8 November 2012 (Thu)	6:00 pm – 7:30pm
Che Kung Temple	13 November 2012 (Tue)	6:00 pm – 7:30pm
Wu Kai Sha	15 November 2012 (Thu)	6:00 pm – 7:30pm