

Press Release

WCT congratulates Citybus on taking another step on their reduced emissions journey

(28 November 2022, Hong Kong) - Worldwide Cruise Terminals (WCT), manager and operator of the Kai Tak Cruise Terminal, would like to applaud Citybus on launching Hong Kong's first all-electric bus route, which serves the Kai Tak District. WCT supported Citybus by providing space and facilities for its newly installed electronic bus chargers at the Kai Tak Cruise Terminal.

Bravo Transport's Chief Executive Officer, Adam Leishman said, "The first ever all-electric bus route in Hong Kong demonstrates that public buses are a real and cost-effective alternative for zero-emission mass transit systems that can be delivered at a fraction of the cost of major rail infrastructure projects such as monorail. There are an ever-increasing number of Bus Rapid Transit systems around the world that provide clean and efficient public transport networks that can seamlessly integrate with the existing bus networks. We are excited to show with this first step the unlimited future possibilities of the public bus system with the introduction of this new route. We are also glad to join hands with Kai Tak Cruise Terminal as a key entry point for visitors into Hong Kong, who have provided us with valuable space for the installation of chargers and shows our combined vision for a green and environmentally friendly future."

Jeff Bent, Managing Director for WCT, shared, "We're glad to assist Citybus on their reduced emissions journey, and believe residents and visitors to the Kai Tak District will greatly appreciate this clean and green transport."

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About Worldwide Cruise Terminals

Worldwide Cruise Terminals (or “WCT”) is a joint venture majority owned by Worldwide Flight Services (“WFS”). It is dedicated to the management and operation of Hong Kong’s new Kai Tak Cruise Terminal (“KTCT”) and development of Hong Kong as a cruise port.

WCT is committed to a more sustainable and environmentally responsible future, and has reduced the carbon footprint of the massive Kai Tak Cruise Terminal Building, a BEAM platinum-rated facility, by over 50%. It was awarded the APEC Green Port Award from 2018 to current, the Bank of China Environmental Leadership EcoPartner and EcoPioneer Award from 2016 to 2022, Hong Kong’s Green Organisation Award from 2017 to current, the Hong Kong Environmental Protection Department’s Indoor Air Quality (Excellent Class) Certificate from 2015 to 2022, Hong Kong Awards for Environmental Excellence from 2018 to current, Hong Kong Green Award’s Environmental, Health and Safety Award from 2019 to current, CLP’s Smart Energy Award 2021, Hong Kong Institute of Facility Management’s Excellence in Facility Management’s Bronze Award in Sustainability in 2020, multiple HSBC Green Achievement Awards, as well, it was one of three finalists for the Environment Initiative Award from the Seatrade Cruise Awards 2017.

WCT is an award-winning port management company, it is an ISO 9001 certified company and has been recognized with multiple port management awards including Asia Cruise Leaders Network’s Asia Best Cruise Home Port 2018 award, the biennial Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport in Hong Kong’s Service Excellence Award in 2018, Port of the Year finalist by Seatrade in 2016, CCYIA’s Best Port Management

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award in 2015, and Hong Kong Institute of Facility Management's Excellence Award in Facility Management in 2020.

As a socially responsible business, WCT was named an Equal Opportunity Employer, a Caring Company from 2015 to current, and a Barrier-Free Company from 2018 to current. It was awarded the UNSDG Achievement Awards 2022 (Recognised Organisation) in 2022, HKSAR's 7th Hong Kong Outstanding Corporate Citizenship Young Power Award, the HKSAR's 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th Outstanding Corporate Citizenship Logo Award, the HKSAR's Social Capital Builder Award from 2016 to current, as well as the GS1's Consumer Caring Company Award from 2018 to current.

Excellent rail and air connectivity to mainland China and other major source markets, visa-free access for most nationalities, exciting nearby ports of call, a tropical climate and Hong Kong's wide variety of urban and rural, modern and historical, family and sophisticated gourmet attractions, make the Kai Tak Cruise Terminal an ideal location for both homeporting and transit ship calls.

Worldwide Cruise Terminals regularly uses the terminal as the venue for many star-studded and public and private functions, including fashion shows, car launches, athletic events, exhibitions, and conventions. It has featured in a number of local and international films, TV programs, and commercials. Details are available at <http://www.kaitakcruiseterminal.com.hk/mice-venues/>

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