



## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **MyHSR Corporation Awarded Membership from UIC, the Worldwide Railway Organisation**

**Kuala Lumpur, 11 December 2017:** MyHSR Corporation (MyHSR Corp) received the prestigious UIC membership during the 91<sup>st</sup> UIC General Assembly held in Paris last week.

Incorporated since 1922, UIC is a worldwide professional association representing the railway sector and promoting rail transport globally, by developing and facilitating all forms of international cooperation among members and sharing best practices.

“We are indeed honoured to be a member of UIC and being able to work closely with international industry players to be able to influence policies on issues such as mobility, sustainable development and the environment, and tackle future challenges of the railway industry together,” said Dato’ Mohd Nur Ismal Mohammed Kamal, CEO of MyHSR Corp.

As a UIC member, MyHSR Corp will be part of technical cooperation amongst railways and will be able to actively participate in proposing new ways to improve technical and environmental performance of rail transport, subsequently leading to improved competitiveness and reduced cost.

MyHSR Corp is currently undergoing a 3-month Public Inspection from 1 November 2017 to 31 January 2018 with 43 booths along the HSR alignment. Additionally, MyHSR Corp has recently called for a tender to appoint the Project Delivery Partner (PDP) for the KL-SG HSR with the role to develop the detailed design and construction of the infrastructure works and assist with interface management, land acquisition processes and stakeholder engagement activities.

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### **About the Kuala Lumpur – Singapore High Speed Rail**

The Kuala Lumpur – Singapore HSR is a strategic project between the Governments of Malaysia and Singapore that aims to facilitate a 90-minute travel time between Kuala Lumpur and Singapore. The project is expected to enhance business linkages and bring the people of both countries closer together. The Governments of both countries signed a Bilateral Agreement on 13 December 2016, which captured the key points of agreement on the project, including the technical parameters, commercial model, customs, immigration and quarantine



clearance, safety and security matters, regulatory framework and project management approach.

As part of the next phase in project preparation, the Governments of Malaysia and Singapore have tasked MyHSR Corp and the Land Transport Authority (LTA) of Singapore respectively to implement the project.

### **About MyHSR Corporation**

MyHSR Corp is a company incorporated in 2015, wholly owned by the Minister of Finance Incorporated. As the Government of Malaysia's project delivery vehicle for the Kuala Lumpur – Singapore HSR project, MyHSR Corp is responsible for the development and implementation of the project.

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