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Press Release

CMRL Flags Off Phase-II Metro Connect Service Linking One Paramount with Porur Bypass Metro Station

Chennai Metro Rail Limited (CMRL) today (02.11.2026) flagged off the Phase-II Metro Connect Service connecting One Paramount, Porur with Porur Bypass Metro Station, further strengthening first and last-mile connectivity and enhancing access to the newly operational Yellow Line corridor. Building on the success of the existing Metro Connect service between One Paramount and Alandur Metro Station, the Phase-II initiative aims to evaluate employee demand and travel preferences from the Porur corridor.

The service was flagged off by Thiru. Manoj Goyal, IRSE, Director (Systems & Operations), CMRL, in the presence of Thiru. Satheesh Prabhu, General Manager (Operations & Maintenance), senior officials from CMRL, representatives of One Paramount, and New Travel Liines Pvt. Ltd., the service operator.

The Metro Connect Service is operated using 17+1-seater Air-Conditioned Tempo Traveller vehicles equipped with:

- Mobile App-based ticket booking
- Live vehicle tracking
- Real-time ETA information
- Dedicated corporate passenger mobility support

The service provides employees working at One Paramount with a convenient, reliable, and sustainable transport option for accessing Chennai Metro services through both Alandur Metro Station and Porur Bypass Metro Station.

Speaking on the occasion, CMRL highlighted that corporate Metro Connect initiatives are important enablers for increasing public transport usage, reducing traffic congestion, and improving the overall commuting experience for employees travelling to major employment hubs.

The current introduction at Porur Bypass Metro Station is being undertaken as a First initiative and will be closely monitored. Based on employee response and ridership patterns, the services may be considered for enhancement through additional vehicles, increased trip frequency, and expanded connectivity in the future.

Invitation to Corporates, IT Parks and Institutions

CMRL invites IT Parks, Corporate Campuses, Educational Institutions, Industrial Parks, Hospitals, SEZs, and Business Parks across Chennai to partner with

CMRL for implementation of Metro Connect Services and other customized first and last-mile connectivity solutions.

Organizations interested in enhancing employee mobility, improving accessibility to their campuses, reducing dependence on private vehicles, supporting Environmental, Social and sustainability goals, and promoting public transport usage may contact the CMRL Last Mile Connectivity (LMC) Team for exploring suitable connectivity solutions.

Through such partnerships, CMRL aims to:

- Increase public transport patronage.
- Reduce private vehicle usage and traffic congestion.
- Improve employee commuting convenience.
- Promote sustainable and environmentally responsible mobility.
- Strengthen multimodal integration across Chennai.

CMRL remains committed to working with institutions and corporate stakeholders to develop innovative mobility solutions that make public transport the preferred mode of travel for Chennai's growing workforce.

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