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Testing and Trial run in Corridor 4 of Phase 2

On April 28, 2025, CMRL successfully commenced testing and trial runs on a 10 km stretch from Mullai Thottam Metro Station to Porur Junction Metro Station in Corridor 4 of the Phase 2 project. The event was witnessed by Thiru. M.A. Siddique, I.A.S., Managing Director, CMRL, along with Thiru. T. Archunan, Director (Projects), Thiru. S. Krishnamoorthy, Director (Finance) and Thiru. Manoj Goyal, Director (Systems & Operations). Other senior officials and staff of CMRL were present on the occasion.







CMRL Awards Operation and Maintenance Contract for Phase II to DMRC



On April 2, 2025, CMRL awarded the Letter of Acceptance (LoA) to Delhi Metro Rail Corporation Ltd (DMRC) for the Operation and Maintenance of the Phase 2 network at a value of Rs.5,870 crores. **Thiru. M.A. Siddique, I.A.S., Managing Director, CMRL** handed over the LoA to **Dr. Vikas Kumar, Managing Director of DMRC**, in the presence of **Thiru. S. Krishnamoorthy, Director (Finance), CMRL, Dr. Amit Kumar Jain, Director (Operations & Services), DMRC** and other senior officials of CMRL and DMRC.

"Normally Open" AFC Gate Mode at Thousand Lights Metro Station

To reduce congestion during peak hours, CMRL introduced the 'Normally Open' mode for Automatic Fare Collection (AFC) gates at Thousand Lights Metro Station on April 24, 2025.

In this mode, the gates remain open by default, allowing quicker access. Passengers must validate their tickets at the gate. A green light indicates successful validation,



while a red light or no response means re-validation or assistance is needed.

If a passenger attempts to enter without a valid ticket, the AFC gates will automatically close.



Sponsored Metro Rides for IPL 2025

CMRL, in collaboration with CSK Cricket Limited, offered sponsored Metro rides for IPL 2025 on April 5, 9, 24, and 28. Cricket fans with valid match tickets enjoyed exclusive round-trip Metro rides between any Metro station and Government Estate Metro Station, ensuring a convenient travel experience.





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