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SMRT LAUNCHES NEW EXPRESS BUS SERVICE 868
Connecting morning peak hour commuters in the west to the city

- 1 From 28 September 2010, SMRT Buses will introduce Express Bus Service 868 to bring greater comfort and connectivity to commuters living in the west and heading towards Robinson Road, Collyer Quay, Esplanade Drive, Raffles Boulevard and Temasek Avenue. This is in support of the Government's effort to make public transport a choice mode for commuters.
- 2 Express Bus Service 868, a parallel bus service to existing MRT lines, operates on weekday mornings during peak hours, and connects commuters from Bukit Gombak, Bukit Batok, Jurong East Central and Toh Guan Road to the city. Fares will cost between \$1.31 and \$2.35 (CEPAS card) and \$1.80 and \$2.60 (cash).
- 3 With a total journey time of around 60 minutes, Service 868 is comparable to taking a feeder bus service to a MRT station and transferring to a train into the city. With less bus stops and a route that utilises the Ayer Rajar Expressway, this service offers commuters—a viable and attractive alternative to the MRT. Please refer to Annex 1 for details of the new service.
- 4 Passengers may contact SMRT Customer Relations at 1800-336-8900 on weekdays during office hours from 7.30am to 6.30pm or visit www.smrt.com.sg for more information.

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Annex 1



**EXPRESS
868**

Starting from 28 September 2010!

从 2010 年 9 月 28 日起!

BOARD EXPRESS BUS SERVICE 868 FOR A DIRECT RIDE TO TEMASEK AVENUE

搭乘快捷巴士868直达谈马锡道

Direction : From Bukit Batok West Ave 5, Blk 347 to
Temasek Ave, Opposite Millenia Tower (One Way Only)

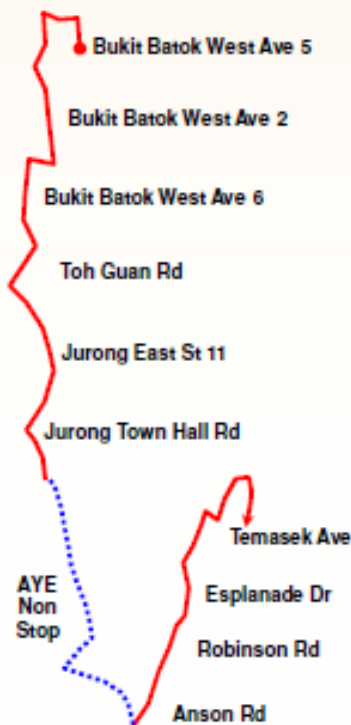
Operating Time

1st Trip : 7.30am

2nd Trip : 7.45am

✓ Operating on weekdays only (excluding Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays)

✓ 2 Trips per day only



Bus Stop Code	Road Name	Bus Stop Description
43581	Bukit Batok West Ave 5	Blk 347
-	Bukit Batok West Ave 7	Non-Stop
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43491	Bukit Batok West Ave 4	Blk 331
43481	Bukit Batok West Ave 2	Blk 315
43471	Bukit Batok West Ave 2	Blk 306
-	Bukit Batok West Ave 2	Non-Stop
43401	Bukit Batok West Ave 3	Bukit Batok Polyclinic
43321	Bukit Batok West Ave 6	Opp Blk 144
43371	Bukit Batok West Ave 6	Blk 109
43699	Bukit Batok Ave 1	Blk 298
28629	Jurong East Central	Blk 266
28631	Toh Guan Rd	Opp Blk 288D
28641	Toh Guan Rd	Blk 284
28229	Jurong Town Hall Rd	Int'l Business Park
-	AYE	Non-Stop
03222	Anson Rd	Hub Synergy
03111	Robinson Rd	Opp SIA Bldg
03071	Robinson Rd	Opp The Ogilvy Ctr
03031	Robinson Rd	Opp AIA Twr
03011	Fullerton Rd	Fullerton Square
02111	Esplanade Dr	Esplanade Bridge
02151	Temasek Blvd	Suntec Convention Ctr
02161	Temasek Ave	Opp Millenia Twr

* The above information is correct at time of print