

**ICBC (Asia) Launches Self Service Banking Services
in MTR Stations, Shopping Mall and Housing Estate
to Dedicate Service to the Public**

23 August 2011, Hong Kong – ICBC (Asia)’s self service banking service achieves rapid expansion continuously and it aims to provide service to the public and tourists. At the end of July 2011, the self service banking centres and ATMs are successfully launched by ICBC (Asia) in several MTR stations, shopping mall and housing estate. The number of ATM has increased rapidly from 50 in early 2011 to 71 now. On 27 July 2011, the ATM established by the Bank in Allway Gardens officially provides service to customers. The establishment of the ATM not only solves the inconvenience of having no ATM over the years, but also indicates a big step forward to the aim of “Development of Self Service Banking Network to Benefit the Public”.

The establishment of ATM in Allway Gardens by ICBC (Asia) is welcomed and supported by the residents. The Chairman and other members of Owner’s Corporation of Allway Gardens are invited to visit the ATM with ICBC (Asia)’s representatives recently and they commended the high efficiency on the completion of renovating, installing, testing and the operation of the ATM in less than two months. In order to ensure the residents of Allway Garden can use the ATM flexibly, the Bank assigned professional staff to introduce the operation and tips of using ATM and also other banking services.

In addition to the above mentioned housing estate, the Bank set up several self service banking centres in MTR stations, shopping mall and cross-border checkpoint in the first half year. New ATMs are set up in places where citizens and Mainland tourists usually visit, such as MTR Central Station, Tai Wai Station, Lok Ma Chau Station, Lo Wu Station and Langham Place etc. It reflects the Bank’s principle of “Connect the Two Places to Realize the Opportunities”. ICBC (Asia) currently has 50 branches and 71 ATMs. It plans to continuously expand the branch network and self service banking channel. It is expected that the customers can reach the ATMs of ICBC (Asia) within five to seven minutes walk and then enjoy its thoughtful and quality financial services.

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