

MEDIA STATEMENT

UPDATE ON TIGER SKY TOWER RIDE INCIDENT

14 August 2017, Singapore – In accordance with the closure order issued by BCA on 13 August 2017, the operator of Tiger Sky Tower is required to appoint a specialist professional engineer (SPE) in amusement ride engineering to investigate into the cause of the incident and to submit the investigation report before the end of August.

The operator is also required to carry out necessary repairs as recommended by the SPE. The SPE will have to inspect the ride after the repair works, conduct functional tests and submit a report by middle of September to seek BCA's written consent for the resumption of the operation of the ride.

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