

STAFF GO ON OCBC CYCLE MALAYSIA ROUTE “TESTING”

KUALA LUMPUR, 23 September 2011 – Staff of OCBC Bank (Malaysia) Berhad and OCBC Al-Amin Bank Berhad pedaled the streets of KL recently on a route “test” in conjunction with the upcoming *OCBC Cycle Malaysia*.

The cyclists, including Director & CEO of OCBC Al-Amin Syed Abdull Aziz Syed Kechik, were eager to check out the actual event route before anyone else, and each gave the thumbs up to not just the terrain but the sights as well.



All Geared Up: OCBC staff are all set for the test-ride.

OCBC Cycle Malaysia, which takes place from 14-16 October 2011 starting at Dataran Merdeka, Kuala Lumpur, is set to become the largest mass participation cycling event in the country providing an avenue for anyone to ride on closed roads.

Organised by Spectrum Worldwide and title-sponsored by OCBC Bank, the event is targeting 3,000 participants for this inaugural year.



According to Mr Jeffrey Chew, Director & CEO of OCBC Bank, the route is enchanting with its numerous iconic landmarks such as the Petronas Twin Towers, KL Tower, Dataran Merdeka, Putra World Trade Centre and the green lungs of Bukit Tunku.

“My team and I have been looking forward to trying out part of the actual route ahead of the event in order to gain a first taste of what’s in store and enhance our training programme. Those who went on this round were pleased with the experience and are confident the remainder of the route will be just as exciting or even more,” he said.

Mr Chew, who has been actively training with the team for the 52km Challenge category, added that so far over 2,500 have already registered for *OCBC Cycle Malaysia* and he is looking forward to seeing the target of 3,000 breached before registration closes at the end of the month.

The Minister of Youth & Sports Dato’ Sri Ahmad Shabery Cheek is scheduled to flag off the event on 16 October 2011 and also participate.