Notice concerning train timetable changes on March 14, 2020

JR Hokkaido will change train timetable on March 14, 2020.

1. The rail access to New Chitose Airport will be improved.
   - The number of Rapid Airport will be increased, from 4 trains to 5 trains every hour, and from 116 trains to 148 trains a day. The train will run approximately every 12 minutes and the travel time between Sapporo and New Chitose Airport will be 37-39 minutes.

   - The “Special Rapid Airport” will be operated four times a day between Sapporo and New Chitose Airport. The fastest travel time is 33 minutes.

   Sapporo 6:56 dep / Sapporo 8:02 dep / New Chitose Airport 20:46 dep / New Chitose Airport 21:55 dep
   Stops: Shin-Sapporo, Minami-Chitose
For transfers between Rapid Airport and the limited express trains at Minami-Chitose Station, please use the bridge. (Except some trains)

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2. All the “Super” will be removed from the name of the limited express trains.

3. Others
   A method of opening and closing the train doors will be changed at each station between Otaru and Oshamambe. Please push the button next to the very front door by yourself to open the door when you get on or off the train. (All door buttons can be available to use at some stations and on some trains.)

   Stations with less passengers will be abolished.
   Furuse Station (K46), Minami-Teshikaga Station (B63)
   *The service of Sassho Line between Hokkaido-Iryodaigaku and Shin-Totsukawa will end on May 6, 2020.