

Joint Ministerial Statement on Lynas

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The Cabinet today reaffirmed the joint statement made by the four ministers which was issued on the 10th of December 2012.

Reiterating public health and safety as the highest priority, the Government will ensure that all related Government agencies to closely monitor the operation of LAMP, especially on the handling and the management of the residue generated by LAMP.

There will be no change in the Government's position to demand LYNAS to remove the residue generated by LAMP out of Malaysia, consistent with the conditions stated in the Temporary Operating Licence (TOL).

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