

Public Seminar on

The Abolition of the Death Penalty in Malaysia



Admission is Free.
Limited Seats Available!

13 Oct 2011 (Thursday) | 3:00 pm – 7:30 pm
Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre
Kuala Lumpur City Centre, 50088 Kuala Lumpur

Malaysia is among one of the 58 countries in the world that still maintains the death penalty in its criminal justice system. At the moment, 95 countries across the globe have already abolished the death penalty.

Will Malaysia follow suit and abolish the death penalty? Why did the 95 countries abolish the death penalty? Does the death penalty have a deterrent factor for crimes like drug trafficking and murder?

To find out the answers and learn more about this issue, we cordially invite you to a public seminar on "The Abolition of the Death Penalty in Malaysia".

Programme

02:00 pm	Registration
03:00 pm	Welcome Speech by HE Vincent Piket, <i>Ambassador and Head of the Delegation of the European Union ("EU") to Malaysia</i>
03:10 pm	Keynote Address by Dato' Seri Mohd Nazri Abdul Aziz <i>Minister in the Prime Minister's Department</i>
03:25 pm	Trailer screening of a documentary on the death penalty in Malaysia
03:30 pm	Panel session Moderator: Professor Datuk Dr Khaw Lake Tee <i>Vice-Chairman of Human Rights Commission of Malaysia ("SUHAKAM")</i> Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Lord Alf Dubs, <i>All-Party Parliamentary Group on the Abolition of the Death Penalty, House of Lords, United Kingdom</i> ◆ Representative from Attorney General's Chambers (to be confirmed) ◆ Charles Hector, <i>Member of the Malaysian Bar and Coordinator of Malaysians Against Death Penalty and Torture ("MADPET")</i> ◆ Nora Murat, <i>Executive Director of Amnesty International Malaysia ("AIMalaysia")</i>
	Q & A
05:50 pm	Closing Remarks by Lim Chee Wee, <i>President of the Malaysian Bar</i>
06:00 pm	Refreshments and full screening of a documentary on the death penalty in Malaysia

This is the first public seminar under the Anti-Death Penalty Campaign, a collaborative effort by the Bar Council Human Rights Committee, Delegation of the EU to Malaysia and SUHAKAM. Partners in support of this public seminar, among others, are AIMalaysia, Kuala Lumpur Selangor Chinese Assembly Hall and MADPET.

I would like to register for the public seminar:

Name : _____

Email Add : _____

Name of Organisation : _____

Address : _____

Telephone : _____ Fax : _____

Date : _____ Signature : _____

There are limited places available and registration is on a first-come, first-served basis.

Please note that this public seminar has been made possible with funding from Bar Council, Delegation of the EU to Malaysia and SUHAKAM. Should you change your plans and decide not to come, kindly send a replacement or inform us by **7 Oct 2011 (Friday)** to allow us to offer the seat to other participants. Your cooperation will be much appreciated.

Completed forms are to be forwarded to:

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