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### **MEDIA STATEMENT YAB PRIME MINISTER**

#### **TRANSFORMATION OF PARLIAMENT AND GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION**

The Cabinet meeting today has agreed and committed to implementing the Transformation of Parliament and Government Administration to restore the political stability to deal with the COVID-19 outbreak and revive the economy

This is in line with the advice of His Majesty, Al-Sultan Abdullah Ri'ayatuddin Al-Mustafa Billah Shah Ibni Almarhum Sultan Haji Ahmad Shah Al-Musta'in Billah, and the Malay Rulers on the importance of a stable administration that could function normally in a situation where the country is facing various crisis.

The government is of the view that focus and priority should be given by all parties to ensure the political and administrative stability of the country to fight against COVID-19 as well as economic recovery.

The offer also aims to create a new political landscape by implementing transformation and reform in government administrative governance in particular strengthening the role of Parliamentary institutions.

At the same time, the government is committed to introducing more transformation during the administration.

The Transformation of Parliament and Government Administration Offer includes;

1. The Anti-Hopping Bill will be tabled in Parliament.
2. Implementation of Vote18 in the shortest period. Thus, a Constitutional Amendment Bill will be tabled.
3. Amendment of the Federal Constitution to limit the term for the position of Prime Minister to 10 years.

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4. The balance of membership of the Parliamentary Select Committee involves Government MPs and Opposition MPs.
5. Each Bill including the Supply Bill to be tabled in Parliament will be negotiated and agreed upon together.
6. Members of the opposition parties will be involved in the National Recovery Council (NRC) to provide views and suggestions for improvement.
7. The Opposition Leader will be given equivalent remuneration and facilities of a minister.

This Government transformation affirmed pure values and consensus across various religious, racial, and cultural backgrounds in the context of the Malaysian Family. This is also in line with the spirit to continue and uphold the Federal Constitution as the supreme law which is the core of societal life and state.

Thank you

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