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Cabinet nod for KLIA opening ceremony panel

KUALA LUMPUR, Wed. - The Cabinet has approved the establishment of a committee which will organise the opening ceremony of the RM9-billion KL International Airport.

Transport Minister Datuk Seri Dr Ling Liong Sik said the committee comprised officials from the Prime Minister's Department, KL International Airport Berhad, Department of Civil Aviation and his ministry.

"If necessary, the committee will invite officers from other relevant agencies for input."

Dr Ling told reporters before chairing his ministry's post-Cabinet meeting that the opening date of the international airport had been set but did not elaborate.

He said the opening ceremony would be by the Yang di-Pertuan Agong Tuanku Ja'afar.

Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad would also present a policy speech at the event.

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