

Announcement of the Basic Policy on Handling of the ALPS Treated Water at the Tokyo Electric Power Company Holdings' Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station

On 13 April 2021 the Government of Japan announced the Basic Policy on handling of the ALPS (Advanced Liquid Processing System) treated water at the Tokyo Electric Power Company Holdings' Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station based on more than six years of comprehensive study by experts, reviews by the IAEA (International Atomic Energy Agency), and engagement with parties concerned,

Subject to the approval of the independent Nuclear Regulation Authority (NRA), TEPCO will conduct the discharge into the sea.

Fully taking into account the impact on the environment as well as the health and safety of people, the Government of Japan will take measures based on the international standards and international practice to ensure safety of discharge, transparency, and accountability.

For more information, please visit the following documents;

- [Announcement of the Basic Policy \(PDF\)](#)
- [Basic Policy on handling of the ALPS treated water at the Tokyo Electric Power Company Holdings' Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station <Provisional Translation>\(PDF\)](#)