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Four political objectives

- Stability of the State, community peace and tranquillity, prevalence of law and
- National reconsolidation
- Emergence of a new enduring State Constitution
- Building of a new modern developed nation in accord with the new State

Four economic objectives

- Development of agriculture as the base and all-round development of other sectors of the economy as well
- Proper evolution of the market-oriented economic
- Development of the economy inviting participation in terms of technical know-how and investments from sources inside the country and abroad
- The initiative to shape the national economy must be kept in the hands of the State and the national peoples

Four social objectives

- Uplift of the morale and morality of the entire nation
- Uplift of national prestige and integrity and preservation and safeguarding of cultural heritage and national character
- Uplift of dynamism of patriotic spirit
- Uplift of health, fitness and education standards of the entire nation

People are to safeguard Myanmar society realizing value of the Union, unity, peace and sovereignty Political, economic, organizational and administrative outlooks, national characters and Union Spirit are strengths that can build the nation

Myanmar Affairs and International Studies Course No 10 concludes

YANGON, 5 Jan—The Myanmar Affairs and USDA Central Panel of International Studies Course No 10 of the General Soe Win. Union Solidarity and Development Association association in Hmawby Township, Yangon Divi-

address by member of Patrons Prime Minister

Also present on the occasion were Secretaryconcluded at the General of the USDA, Pyidaungsu Hall of the Vice-Secretary-General and the Secretaries, CEC members, guests,

The State is strictly adhering to the Five Principles of

Peaceful Coexistence and practising the policy of peace,

amity, mutual respects, equality and non-interference in

other nations' affairs. In dealing with nations of the world

Minister General Soe Win said that the USDA was formed with the youths to serve the na-

association has been in sion this morning with an supervisors and trainees. the service of the State

tional duty in building a peaceful, modern and developed nation. Since its birth, the

> in nation-building endeavours, the youths are to broaden the horizon of Myanmar and International Affairs and unlift the na-

Training and nurturing the new generation youths (See page 8)

In his address, Prime | and the people while engaged in management and organization works and constantly training and nurturing the new generation youths.

The courses are being conducted for the new generation youths to be imbued with strong belief and conviction and Union Spirit, knowledge, education, technological and vocational skills and changes and developments of the nation. To extensively take part



Prime Minister General Soe Win delivers a speech at conclusion of Myanmar Affairs and International Studies Course No. 10. -MNA

Myanmar is practising independent and active foreign policy and is also cooperating with international tional capability. organizations and social organizations including nations in the region, global nations and United Nations.



Emergence of the State Constitution is the duty of all citizens of Myanmar Naing-Ngan.

PERSPECTIVES

Friday, 6 January, 2006

Join hands in safeguarding national independence and sovereignty

The Union of Myanmar is home to various national races and they have been living together in unity and amity through thick and thin for thousands of years. Myanmar people are very patriotic and they have never taken any kind of aggression lying down.

Our country was annexed and our people kept down by colonialists for more than 100 years. However, many patriotic national people risked their life and limb to regain our national independence. It is necessary to hand down the fine traditions of love for the nation and the people to posterity.

It is necessary for the youths today to value and safeguard the national independence for which our forefathers gave their lives. To safeguard the national independence, we must be full of physical and mental abilities. Moreover, the nation should be strong politically, economically and militarily.

A ceremony to present prizes to winners in the essay, poem, TV quiz and computer arts competitions to mark the 58th Anniversary of Independence Day for 2006 was held at the Pyithu Hluttaw building on 4 January and Secretary-1 of the State Peace and Development Council Lt-Gen Thein Sein attended it and gave away the prizes.

In his address, on the occasion, the Secretary-1 said that it was known to all that the entire nation was enjoying the fruits of development in various fields such as political, economic and social fields and that, as there was the danger of destructive elements within and without the nation, it was necessary for the government, the people and the Tatmadaw to safeguard the fruits of development.

Taking lessons from the past experiences and upholding Our Three Main National Causes, the government worked for security, peace, stability and the rule of law. Then by laying down twelve objectives and relying on its own efforts. it started building the nation amidst all kinds of hardships and hindrances. As a result, the nation is now on the right path to development.

Due to the correct leadership of the government and the united strength of the entire national people, peace and stability is prevailing all over the nation now.

The national people are now enjoying higher socio-economic status and great strides are being made in the education, health, agriculture and industrial sectors.

We believe that the government, the people and the Tatmadaw will always join hands in safeguarding our national independence and sovereignty and preserving what we have already achieved in various fields.

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Resolution on 58th Anniversary Independence Day

There is no nobler task than safeguarding Independence & Sovereignty. Let us thus dedicate ourselves to safeguard Independence & Sovereignty with the strength of national unity as well as with full patriotism and Union Spirit at the risk of our lives.

Vice-President of LPDR felicitates **Vice-Senior General Maung Aye**

YANGON, 6 Jan — The following is a message of felicitations from Mr Choummaly Xayasone, Vice-President of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, sent to Vice-Senior General Maung Aye, Vice-Chairman of the State Peace and Development Council of the Union of Myanmar, on the occasion of the 58th Anniversary Independence Day of the Union of Myanmar.

Your Excellency,

On the auspicious occasion of the 58th Anniversary of the Independence Day of the Union of Myanmar, I have a pleasure to extend my warmest congratulations and best wishes to Your Excellency.

I have a full hope that the traditional relations of friendship and good neighborly cooperation

between our two countries Laos and Myanmar will be further strengthened and developed.

May I take this opportunity to wish Your Excellency good health and well-being and success in your noble task.

Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration. -MNA

Foreign Heads of Government send felicitations to Prime Minister General Soe Win

Yangon, 6 Jan — "The following are messages of felicitations from Foreign Heads of Government sent to General Soe Win, Prime Minister of the Union of Myanmar, on the occasion of the 58th Anniversary Independence Day of the Union of Myanmar.

From Mr Bounnhang Vorachith, Prime Minister of the Lao People's Democratic Republic

Your Excellency,

On the auspicious occasion of the 58th Anniversary of the Independence Day of the Union of Myanmar, on behalf of the Government and People of the Lao People's Democratic Republic and on my own behalf, I have a great pleasure to convey to Your Excellency my warmest congratulations and best wishes and through Your Excellency to the Government and the entire brotherly people of Myanmar.

I am confident that the traditional friendly relations of the close neighboring countries and cooperation existing between our two countries both in bilateral and ASEAN levels will be developed and expanded continuously for the common interests of the people of our two nations and for dynamism of the ASEAN family.

May I take this opportunity to wish Your Excellency good health, well-being and greater success in your noble tasks.

Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

From Mr Lee Hsien Loong, Prime Minister of Singapore

Excellency

On behalf of the Government of the Republic of Singapore, I would like to extend my best wishes to Your Excellency and the Government of the Union of Myanmar on the 58th Independence Day of the Union of Myammar.

Our two countries and peoples enjoy friendly relations. I look forward to working with Your Excellency to further strengthen bilateral and regional cooperation within ASEAN to meet the many challenges facing us in the region.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

From Dr Thaksin Shinawatra, Prime Minister of Thailand

Excellency,

On behalf of the Royal Thai Government, I wish to extend to Your Excellency our sincere congratulations and warmest wishes for the increasing prosperity of the Union of Myanmar

and her people on the occasion of the Independence Day.

I note with satisfaction that the Union of Myanmar and Thailand have always exchanged close cooperation in various areas of endeavour in all international frameworks. I therefore believe that, with our joint efforts, our constructive linkage will be further promoted for mutual benefit of our two countries and peoples in the years

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

From Begum Khaleda Zia, Prime Minister of the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Excellency,

On behalf of the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh and on my own behalf, I extend to Your Excellency and through you to the friendly people of the Union of Myanmar our warmest greetings and felicitations on the auspicious occasion of the Independence Day of the Union of Myanmar.

It is my firm conviction that the traditional friendship that exists between our two neighbouring countries will be further strengthened and consolidated in the years ahead to the mutual benefit of our two peoples.

May I take this opportunity to convey my best wishes for Your Excellency's good health, happiness and long life and for the continued peace, progress and prosperity of the friendly people of the Union of Myanmar.

Please, accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

From Mr Svetozar Marovic, President of Serbia and Montenegro

On the occasion of the National Day of the Union of Myanmar, I extend to you my sincere felicitations and best wishes.

I take this opportunity to express my confidence that the relations and cooperation between Serbia and Montenegro and the Union of Myanmar will develop also in future and be enriched for the benefit of our countries and peoples.

MNA

Chavez hails Bolivian ally with energy, aid deals

CARACAS (Venezuela), 4 Jan-Venezuelan President Hugo Chavez offered Bolivian president-elect Evo Morales energy and economic cooperation on Tuesday to seal ties between socialist allies united in their opposition to Washington.

The Venezuelan leader | includes Spain, France, and Morales, a former coca leaf farmer, have antagonized the US Government with their alliance with Cuba and promotion of leftist integration to counter US free-market policies in Latin America.

Chavez said the world's No 5 oil exporter would supply Bolivia with diesel fuel in exchange for farm products, help finance social programmes and support Morales' crusade to protect coca crops against US eradication campaigns.

"We can't lose a day in supporting Bolivia in any way we can," Chavez said at a media conference where he presented Morales with a replica of the sword used by Venezuelan liberation hero Simon Bolivar

Morales is the latest leftist to sweep to power on the back of regional discontent with USbacked economic policies. He stopped in Venezuela as part of a world tour that Brazil, China and South Africa before taking office on 22 January. The Bolivian leader has rejected charges from foes that he received financing from Chavez, who Washington accuses of destabilizing the region by using Venezuela's oil wealth to spread his socialist revolution to neighbouring countries.

"This is not about Evo Morales. This is about the people who are reclaiming their rights," the Bolivian leader said.

Chavez and Morales also greeted retired Peruvian army commander Ollanta Humala, a nationalist candidate for his country's presidency who has worried investors with his call to roll back pro-market policies.

Morales is the first Indian president of South America's poorest country. But he faces a nation deeply

divided between a poor Indian majority in the Altiplano mountains and wealthy eastern areas demanding more independence.

Morales, who herded llamas as a boy in his poor mountain home, calls his socialist movement a "nightmare" for Washington, criticizes US anti-drug policies and promises to nationalize Bolivia's gas resources.

MNA/Reuters



A couple stands in front of a giant ice sculpture of a ship in a park in Harbin, northeast China's Heilongjiang Province on 4 Jan, 2006. —Internet

Mexico demands US probe on fatal border shooting

Mexico City, 4 Jan — Mexico demanded a US investigation on Monday into the death of an undocumented Mexican shot by a US Border Patrol agent as he tried to cross into California last week.

Raul Martinez, a spokesman for the US Border Patrol in San Diego, confirmed that an agent had fired on a man on Friday as he tried to cross the border near San Diego, after the would-be immigrant had thrown

Austrian Airlines jet lands safely in Stockholm

Brussels, 4 Jan- An Austrian Airlines jet made a safe landing in Stockholm on Tuesday after reporting problems with its landing gear doors, Stockholm's Arlanda Airport spokesman said.

The jet, with 85 people on board, was on its way from Vienna to Stockholm when the warning system showed problems with the undercarriage

MNA/Xinhua

Mexico's Foreign Ministry named the dead as Guillermo Martinez, 18. A human rights group said Martinez was shot on US territory and then crossed back into Mexico with chest injuries and died at a Tijuana hospital the following day.

'The Mexican Government is demanding an investigation of the facts," presidential

spokesman Ruben Aguilar told a news conference.

The shooting came weeks after a US lawmaker proposed a controversial plan to fortify part of the US-Mexico border with a high-tech wall to stop illegal immigrants.

The move was slammed by the Mexican Government, which has long sought an agreement with Washington to

formalize the status of millions of Mexicans living illegally in the United States and regulate the flow of immigrants heading north.

The shooting "shows once again that only a law that guarantees organized, legal and respectful entry (to the United States) can solve the problems posed by migration", Aguilar said.

MNA/Reuters

Iraqi official says US air strike kills family

BAGHDAD, 3 Jan-A US air attack has killed 14 members of one family in the oil-refining town of Baiji in northern Iraq.

An Iraqi security force spokesman for the Joint Coordination Centre, which handles information and is a liaison between US and Iraqi forces, said that the Tuesday air raid destroyed one house, killing the people inside.

Another four houses were hit and three people were wounded in the raid on Monday night, he said.

"We have this information from the Iraqi police and army in Baiji," said the spokesman, who declined to give his name. The US military had no immediate comment. US forces have used air power increasingly throughout the past year; official military data show thatonly one strike was carried out in March, and the average in the first quarter was five strikes a month compared with more than 50 in the last quarter.—Internet

Snow in Austria disrupts electricity, traffic

VIENNA, 4 Jan-Heavy snow felled trees and set off avalanches in north-central Austria and the Salzburg area overnight on Tuesday, blocking roads and railways and cutting off electricity to 15,000 households.

"We have huge amounts of wet snow that fell overnight and continues to fall. It is cracking trees which then fall on the streets and on our power supply lines," said Walter Czetsch, spokesman for utility Energie AG. "The problem is that the risk of more trees collapsing makes it sometimes too dangerous for our technicians to fix the lines," he added. Out of Energie's 420,000 customers, 15,000 had lost their power supply, he said.

Police closed an Austrian motorway between Salzburg and Villach on the Italian border in the morning hours because of the risk of avalanches. Fallen trees blocked another motorway in north-central Austria. Around 40 secondary roads were closed.

Guerillas attack Iraq fuel convoy

BAGHDAD, 3 Jan-Militants ambushed a convov of 60 tanker trucks heading to Baghdad from Iraq's largest refinery Wednesday, destroying four of the vehicles and damaging 15 others, police said.

The attack, by insurgents with rocket-propelled grenades and machine guns, came after the Beiji refinery had reopened Sunday after being closed since 18 Dec. because of threats against tanker drivers. The drivers began carrying fuel again this week after the government promised extra protection for the convoys.

Three Iragi army vehicles, which had been guarding the convoy, were also destroyed in the attack about 25 miles north of Baghdad, police Lt Abdul Zahra Qassim said. A militant group, the Islamic army in Iraq, claimed responsibility. The claim was posted on an Internet site commonly used by militant groups and could not be independently verified. The claim said the group attacked "a convoy of tanker trucks and managed to burn and destroy 20 tankers. This was followed by the destruction of troops who were sent to rescue the tankers at Mishahida." The Beiji closure contributed to a fuel crisis caused by an acute shortage due to Iraq's decreased refinery capacity. The crisis was compounded by government decision on 18 Dec to increase fuel prices and abolish some subsidies for oil products.



Iraqi residents sift through the ruins of a house hit by an air strike in Baiji, 180 km (112 miles) north of Baghdad, on 4 Jan, 2006. —INTERNET

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(continued from yesterday) Agga Maha Saddhammajotikadhaja Title

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- Bhaddanta Narada, Dhammathukha Monastic Education School, Shwemyaingthiri Ward, Mawlamyine, Mon State
- Bhaddanta Sundarabhivamsa, Sasana Wiponlarama Kyagan Monastery, Pariyatti Monastery, Ward 1, Taungtha, Mandalay Division
- Bhaddanta Arçinna, Zeyathukha Monastery, Koehsaung Kyaungtaik, Ward 10, Myingyan, Mandalay Division
- Bhaddanta Çandima, MBOA Orphanage Missionary School, No 2 Monastic Education School, Ngasoe Taik. Chanavethazan Township. Mandalay Division
- 18. Bhaddanta Ganasethi, Hsaungtaungpyay Monastery, Theindaung Ward, Taungup Township, Rakhine State
- Bhaddanta Nandisara, Ayezedi Pariyatti Monastery, Buthidaung, Rakhine State
- Bhaddanta Ganissara, Shwehintha Kyaungthit Monastery, Kyaikkasan West Ward, Thingangyun Township, Yangon Division
- 21. Bhaddanta Kavidhaja, Mingalarama Pali Tekkatho Monastery, Ward 10, Botahtaung Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Arçinna, Tezarama Monastic Education School, Ward 16, Shwepyitha Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Sobhana, Abayarama Monastery, Ardikayon Kyaungtaik, West 7 Ward, Thakayta Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Neminda, Myoma Neimmitayon Pariyatti Monastery, Talanthit Ward, Kawhmu Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Ariyavamsa, Aryudiga PyoUyin Monastery, Pyinmabin Village-tract, Mingaladon Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Janeya, Dhammamedini Monastery, Zabuaye Monastery, Ward I, North Okkalapa Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Kusala, Natmauk Monastic Education School, Shukhintha Ward, Thakayta Township, Yangon Division
- 28. Bhaddanta Kosalla, Sanpya Missionary Monastery, Ward 8, Mayangon Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Sobhana, Shweminwun Sasana Yeiktha Monastery, Middle Shwegondaing Ward, Bahan Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Panditavara, Pyilonchantha Shwe Monastery, Yaylegale Village, Maubin Township, Ayeyawady Division

Title recipient Sayadaws from abroad

- 31. Bhaddanta Arsabha, Chiang Mai District, Watsai Mon-Myanmar Monastery, Thailand
- 32. Bhaddanta Kusala, (Ashin Shin Tauk), Linju Hill Buddhist Missionary Group, Hong Kong, China

Maha Saddhammajotikadhaja Title

- Bhaddanta Çintita, Theravada Buddhist Missionary
 Monastery, Panwa, Kachin State Special Region-1,
 Kachin State
- Bhaddanta Çandobhasa, Kyettuyway Monastery, Kyettuyway Village, Hlaingbwe Township, Kayin State
- Bhaddanta Tejaniya, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Monastery, Kawkayet Village, Papun Township, Kayin State
- Bhaddanta Sumanadipa, Dhammamin Sanaye Yeiktha Monastery, Taungsun Village, Hpa-an Township, Kayin State
- Bhaddanta Rajinda, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Monastery, Ward 1, Reedkhodar, Falam Township, Chin State
- Bhaddanta Arindama, Migyaung-in Monastery, Migyaung-in Village, Pinlebu Township, Sagaing Division
- 7. Bhaddanta Gunakitta, Sasana Weponla Monastery, Hmanbin Village, Homeli Township, Sagaing Division
- 8. Bhaddanta Paduma, Maha Kan U Monastic Education

- School, Myawady Ward, Monywa, Sagaing Division

 9. Bhaddanta Uttara, Dhammapala Monastic Education
 School, Hsinthe Village, Khamti Township, Sagaing
 Division
- Bhaddanta Manitasiri, Myoma Sasana Yeiktha Monastery, Myoma Ward, Tamu Township, Sagaing Division
- Bhaddanta Javana, Kanthaya Theravada Buddhist Missionary Centre, Kanthaya Village, Kale Township, Sagaing Division
- Bhaddanta Arsabha, Maha Bawdi Monastery, Yebyu Village, Launglon Township, Taninthayi Division
- Bhaddanta Paññavamsa, Zeyabonmi Monastic Education School, Youth Development Parahita House, Peinnetaw Ward, Dawei Township, Taninthayi Division
- Bhaddanta Viriya, Yadanatheingi Monastery, Gawin Village, Launglon Township, Taninthayi Division
- Bhaddanta Kosalla, New Nyaungzin Monastery, Nyaungzin Village, Thayetchaung Township, Taninthayi Division
- Bhaddanta Paññavamsa, Yangyiaung Monastic Education School, Pulontontone Village, Kawthoung Township, Taninthayi Division
- Bhaddanta Kesavasami, Maha Wizitarama Alanpya Phaya Monastery, Ward 5, DaikU Township, Bago Division
- Bhaddanta Gandhasara, Shwegulay Maha Paduma Monastery, Kalyani Ward, Bago Township, Bago Division
- Bhaddanta Dhammapiya, Seiktathukha Monastery, Seinkantlant Village, Minhla Township, Bago Division (West)
- Bhaddanta Vayama, Gyo Yeiktha Monastery, Hsinmyeeswe Township, Bago Division (West)
- Bhaddanta Javana, Sasana Myinzu YwaU Monastery, Kanthit Village, Yezagyo Township, Magway Division
- Bhaddanta Tejobhasa, Aungmyebon Monastery, Taungbyin Ward 1, Taungdwingyi Township, Magway Division
- Bhaddanta Kesava, Bawanar Monastic Education School, Htontaung Village, Thayet Township, Magway Division
- Bhaddanta Jagara, Mahayin Monastery, Pabedan Ward, Mawlamyine, Mon State
- Bhaddanta Tejosara, Shwe Mya Win Okkyaung, Chanthagyi North Taik, Aungmyethazan Township, Mandalay Division
- Bhaddanta Vannita, Maha Wizitayon Pariyatti Monastery, Chanayethazan Township, Mandalay Division
- Bhaddanta Janeya, Palemyint Monastic Middle School, Shwepyi Taik, Aungmyethazan Township, Mandalay Division
- Bhaddanta Nandiya, Dhammapala Okkyaung, Minkyaung Monastery, No 1 Ward, Myingyan Township, Mandalay Division
- Bhaddanta Pandiçça, Okkyaung, Monastic Education School, Yonsigyi Village, Taungtha Township, Mandalay Division
- Bhaddanta Vannita, YwaU Pariyatti Monastery, Monastic Education School, Padatsargon Village, Taungtha Township, Mandalay Division
- 31. Bhaddanta Ankura, Myatheindan Monastery, Dalat West Village, An Township, Rakhine State
- Bhaddanta Indaka, Meewa Monastic Education School, Meewa Village, Kyauktaw Township, Rakhine State
- Bhaddanta Siri, Mingalarama Monastery, Kwetthit Ward, Insein Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Pandiçça, Popa Monastery, Mingaladon Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Khemavamsa, Yangon Monastery, West 7 Ward, 3rd Aungchantha Street, Thakayta Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Ñanavamsa, Kamakalu Monastic Education School, Kayan Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Çandima, Saletheingi Monastic Education School, Ward 15, 5th Block, South Okkalapa Township, Yangon Division
- 38. Bhaddanta Ukkamsa, Dhammazeya Monastery, Patheinnyunt Ward, Mingala Taungnyunt Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Puññsetha, Pyilonchantha Monastic Education School No 8, West 7 Ward, Thakayta

- Township, Yangon Division
- Bhaddanta Kusalabhivamsa, Khemathiwun Monastic Education School, Nya-11 Ward, Shwepyitha Township, Yangon Division
- 41. Bhaddanta Silavamsa, Pyinnyaramika Maha Monastery, Ward 10, Botahtaung Township, Yangon Division
- 42. Bhaddanta Kavinda, Hmankin Monastic Education School, South 10 Ward, Thakayta Township, Yangon Division
- 43. Bhaddanta Suriya, Aung Parahita Monastic Education School, Bogyoke Aung San Street, ward 3, Hlinethaya Township, Yangon Division
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- 45. Bhaddanta Vayama, Zeyataung Monastic Education School, Ngahsutaung, No 3 Village, Hlegu Township, Yangon Division
- 46. Bhaddanta Nandavamsa, Parahita Monastic Education School, Kyaukyedwin Village, Tahnlyin Township, Yangon Division
- 47. Bhaddanta Iddhibala, Mula Hsetaungpyay Monastery, South Ward H, Thingangyun Township, Yangon Division
- 48. Bhaddanta Suriya, Kyaukgu Tawya Monastic Education School, Buta Ward, Nawngkhio Township, Shan State (North)
- Bhaddanta Tissa, MyoU Monastery, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Centre, West Market Ward, Phekhon. Shan State
- 50. Bhaddanta Sundara, Thiri Mingala Taikthit, Thameinhtaw Kondan Village, Pyapon Township, Ayeyawady Division
- Bhaddanta Aggavamsa, Dhammathukha Monastery, Inma Village, Pantanaw Township, Ayeyawady Division
- 52. Bhaddanta Paññaçakka, Parahita Monastery, Yesakhan Village, Kyonpyaw Township, Ayeyawady Division
- 53. Bhaddanta Çintavara, Zawtikayon Monastic Education School, Asugyi Village, Einme Township, Ayeyawady Division
- 54. Bhaddanta Uttama, Balathukha Monastery, Kyetphamwayzaung Village, Pyapon Township, Ayeyawady Divisio

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- Bhaddanta Aggasami, Tathagata Vipassana Monastery, Sanhosae, California State, the USA
- Bhaddanta Para Asigaradhura Pujanamaramto, Hsanpuwa Monastery, Kanchanapuri Township, Thailand
- Bhaddanta Vivekananda, Panditarama International Meditation Centre, Lumbhini Development Region, Nepal

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 Nun Daw Dhammsingi, Theravada Buddhist Missionary School, Aungmingala Ward, Leshi Township, Sagaing Division

Title recipient nun from abroad

 Nun Daw Annagarika Sakkyasila, Sakkyasila Nunnery, Lalitpur, Nepal

Laypersons

- 60. Daw Jakkob, Tatkon Missionary Ward, Myitkyina, Kachin State
- 61. Dr Khin Maung Nyunt, No 449, Moemakha Street, Bo Cho Ward, Bahan Township, Yangon Division
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- 64. Daw Khin Hla Tin, No 4, Wingabar Road, Bo Cho Ward 1, Bahan Township, Yangon Division

Saddhamma Jotikadhaja Title

- Bhaddanta Tissa, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Monastery, Sumprabum Township, Kachin State
- Bhaddanta Ñaninda, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Monastery, Lannoe 1 Village, Putao Township, Kachin State
- 3. Bhaddanta Revata, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Monastery, Waingmaw Township, Kachin State
- 4. Bhaddanta Ketu, Shwebweyan Missionary Centre, Tanai Township, Kachin State
- 5. Bhaddanta Ardiçça, Khandathein Monastery, Taungwaing Ward, Phasaung Township, Kayah State (See page 5)

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- 6. Bhaddanta Ukkamsa, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Monastery, Mahtawkhu Village, Loikaw Township, Kayah State
- 7. Bhaddanta Sethila, Lawkukhu Theravada Buddhist Missionary Monastery, Pruhso Township, Kachin
- 8. Bhaddanta Arnandasiddhi, Maha Thukhitavon Monastery, Pyasakhan Missionary Centre, Thandaung Township, Kayin State
- 9. Bhaddanta Nandasara, Kya-in Pawdawmu waboetaw Missionary Centre, Kya-in Pawdawmu Village, Hpaan Township, Kayin State
- 10. Bhaddanta Jotika, Hilly Missionary Centre, Ward 4, Myawady, Kayin State
- 11. Bhaddanta Sujana, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Centre, Barlon Village, Falam Township, Chin State
- 12. Bhaddanta Uttama (Salin), Theravada Buddhist Missionary Centre, Myoma Ward, Kanpetlet, Chin State
- 13. Bhaddanta Silananda, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Centre, Mwitwi Village, Mindat Township, Chin State
- 14. Bhaddanta Ardiçça, Zeyaaungmye Monastery, Tabinshwehti Ward, Myinmu Township, Sagaing
- 15. Bhaddanta Rohana, Shwekyaunggyi Monastery, Taungpaing Ward, Pale Township, Sagaing Division
- 16. Bhaddanta Samvara, Minma YwaU Monastery, East Minma Village, Pale Township, Sagaing Division
- 17. Bhaddanta Magindalankara, Zevathukha Monastery, In Village, Katha Township, Sagaing Division
- 18. Bhaddanta Çandima, Pyilonchantha Monastic Education School, Ywathit Village, Budalin Township, Sagaing Division
- 19. Bhaddanta Nandiya, Maha Thukhitayama Tawya Monastery, Pawmaing Ward, Khamti Township, Sagaing Division
- 20. Bhaddanta Sagara, Aungnameik YaunggyiU Monastery, Tamu Township, Sagaing Division
- 21. Bhaddanta Subodha, Zabudipa Monastic Education School, Ywathaya Village, KhinU Township, Sagaing Division
- 22. Bhaddanta Tejinda, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Centre, Nanyun Township, Sagaing Division
- 23. Bhaddanta Sunanda, Pobbayon Monastery, Kathitkon Village, Myaung Township, Sagaing Division
- 24. Bhaddanta Javana, Shwebagan Monastery, Shwenyaungbin Village, Phaungpyin Township, Sagaing Division
- 25. Bhaddanta Kusala, Thazi Parahita Okkyaung, Thazi Model Village, Kale Township, Sagaing Division
- 26. Bhaddanta Paññananda, Saddhamma Sitagu Monastery, Thawtapan Ward, Sagaing, Sagaing Division
- 27. Bhaddanta Arçaralankara, Shwehintha Taikthit Monastery, Sagaing Hill, Sagaing, Sagaing Division
- 28. Bhaddanta Arçara, Taungthit Monastery, Kyaukmyaung Ward, Thayetkyaung Township, Taninthayi Division
- 29. Bhaddanta Kumara, Myoma Kyetsarpyin Kyaunggyi Youth Development Parahita Home, Parahita Cetana Primary School, Kyetsarpyin Ward, Dawei, Taninthavi Division
- 30. Bhaddanta Sujata, Thathaya Aye Monastic Education School, Myeik, Taninthayi Division
- 31. Bhaddanta Gunasara, Mazawbyingyi Theravada Buddhist Missionary Centre, Myeik, Taninthayi
- 32. Bhaddanta Sumangala, Padetaung Monastery, Pade Village, Toungoo Township, Bago Division
- 33. Bhaddanta Pandiçça, Pangyangon Parahita Monastery, Pangyangon Ward, Bago, Bago Division
- 34. Bhaddanta Paññavara, Dhammaaungmye Monastery, Yongyi Ward, Bago, Bago Division
- 35. Bhaddanta Vilasa, Shwedaung Pariyatti Monastery, No 1 Monastic Education School, Zaingganaing North, Bago, Bago Division
- 36. Bhaddanta Vipulañana, Mingala Yokson Monastery, No 2 Ward, Pakokku Township, Magway Division

- 37. Bhaddanta Kovida, Gunawun Monastery, MyoU Kwetthit Ward, Ngaphe Township, Magway Division
- 38. Bhaddanta Visuddhi, Kanya Tawya Monastery, Post Monastic Education School, Sale, Chauk Township, Magway Division
- 39. Bhaddanta Viçittara, Pattapaing Monastery, Phulon Village, Yezagyo Township, Magway Division
- 40. Bhaddanta Tejobhasa, Dhamma Linkara Monastic $Education\,School, Hngetpy awdaw\,Village, Kyaikto$ Township, Mon State
- Bhaddanta Varinda, Tharaggaryama Ywagyi Monastery, Ywagyar Village, Thaton Township, Mon State
- 42. Bhaddanta Tiloka, Dhamma Gawthaka Monastery, Asin Model Village, Ye Township, Mon State
- Bhaddanta Pandavamsa, Aung Zabu Monastery, Dhamma Yeiktha Thiha Street, Thirimyaing Ward, Mawlamyine, Mon State
- Bhaddanta Tejaniyya, Mondaing Le Tawya Monastery, Mondaing Village, Meiktila Township, Mandalay Division
- 45. Bhaddanta Narinda, Kyaunggyi Monastery, Zeedaw Village, Natogyi Township, Mandalay Division
- Bhaddanta Kusala, Letha Monastery, Hteedaw Moeywa, Kyarnigan Village-tract, Patheingyi Township, Mandalay Division
- 47. Bhaddanta Osadhapandita, Thitsa Aungmye Monastery, Maha Wizitayama Monastery, Chanmyathaya Ward, Pyigyidagun Township, Mandalay Division
- 48. Bhaddanta Vilasa, Mangyi Village Monastery, Shwesi National Races Youth Development Parahita Home, Ward 7, Thazi Township, Mandalay Division
- Bhaddanta Ñanita, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Monastery, Myuttakan, Yelegway Missionary Centre, Yelegway Village, Pyawbwe, Mandalay Division
- Bhaddanta Teja, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Monastery, Kyauksataing (Na-Ta-La) Model Village, Buthidaung Township, Rakhine State
- 51. Bhaddanta Dhammavudha, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Monastic Education School, Maungshin Village, Myebon Township, Rakhine State
- 52. Bhaddanta Paññaboga, Aungmingala Monastic Education School, Ward 4, Tangyan, Shan State (North)
- 53. Bhaddanta Ukkamsa, Tamoenye Theravada Hill Buddhist Missionary Centre, Waiyanbontha Monastery, Kutkai Township, Shan State (North)
- Bhaddanta Pandita, Maha Muni Centre Missionary, Laukkai, Shan State (North)
- 55. Bhaddanta Candavara, Zaytawun Pariyatti Meditation Centre, Kengphaung Village, Yanglaw Village-tract, Kengtung Township, Shan State (East)
- Bhaddanta Kumara, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Centre, Hokyin Village, Kengtung Township, Shan State (East)
- Bhaddanta Dhammapala, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Centre, Wamtaung Village, Napaw Village-tract, Kengtung Township, Shan State (East)
- Bhaddanta Nandobhasa, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Centre, Mongphyat, Shan State (East)
- Bhaddanta Paññananda, Theravada Buddhist Missionary Centre, Kengtung, Shan State (East)
- Bhaddanta Pandayamsa, No 1 Therayada Buddhist Missionary Centre, Hlyanpyay Monastic Education School, Mongshu Region, Wamkan Ward, Shan State
- Bhaddanta Pidola, Shankyaung Pariyatti Monastery, No 2 Ward, Kyaiklat, Ayeyawady Division
- 62. Bhaddanta Pandiçça, Thukhitayon Nyaungbin Monastic Education School, Yayle Upper Village, Pantanaw Township, Ayeyawady Division
- Bhaddanta Kosalla, Lamaing Pariyatti Monastery, Lamaing Village, Zalun Township, Ayeyawady Division

Nuns

- Nun Daw Medhari, Tri Yadana Nunnery, Ward 4, Hline Township, Yangon Division
- Nun Daw Kumaçari, Sasana Gonyi Nunnery and Nunnery (Women's) Education School, Nanwingon Ward, Thingangyun Township, Yangon Division Lavperson
- 66. U Myint Swe, No 28, Nwehnaw Ward, Kengtung, Shan State (East)

Agga Maha Kammathanacariva Title

1. Bhaddanta Sobhita, Myezin Tawya Monastery,

- Maunghtaung Village, Budalin Township, Sagaing Division
- 2. Bhaddanta Kalyana, Mingun Maha Meditation Centre, Tayoktan Ward, Shwegyin Township, Bago Division
- 3. Bhaddanta Ardiçça, Mahasi Sasana Yeiktha Monastery, Taungwainggale, Mawlamyine Township, Mon State
- 4. Bhaddanta Sumana, Saddhammavamsa Mahasi Sasana Yeiktha, Zabuave Monastery, Ward I, North Okkalapa Township, Yangon Division
- 5. Bhaddanta Siripaññasami, Hanthawady Meditation Centre, Sangyoung Township, Yangon Division Maha Kammathanaçariya Title
- 1. Bhaddanta Sujata, Konkha Mahasi Sasana Yeiktha, Konkha Ward, Bhamo Township, Kachin State
- Bhaddanta Nipunna, Sanmyathida Mahasi Yeiktha, Ledi Ward, Monywa, Sagaing Division
- 3. Bhaddanta Aggasara, Mahasi Sasana Yeiktha, Aungmingala Ward, Kale Township, Sagaing Division
- 4. Bhaddanta Kosalla, Mahasi Waizayanda Dhamma Yeiktha, Tawwi Model Village, Nyaunglebin Township, Bago Division
- 5. Bhaddanta Vayama, Shwelaung Ywama Dhamma Yeiktha Monastery, Shwelaung Village, Ottwin Township, Bago Division
- 6. Bhaddanta Kavidhaja, Dhammaranthi Kanbawza Dhamma Yeiktha Monastery, Ottha Myothit, Ward 8, Bago Township, Bago Division
- 7. Bhaddanta Anopama, Zeya Mingala Chaydawyin Monastery, Mogok Vipassana Monastery, Mazin Ward, Bago Township, Bago Division
- 8. Bhaddanta Viçitta, Mya Yadana Monastery, Mogok Vipassana Dhamma Yeiktha Branch No 321, Thayawady Township, Bago Division (West)
- 9. Bhaddanta Ñanobhasa, Thazin Yegyaw Monastery, Arthawady Monastery, Ward 2, North Okkalapa Township, Yangon Division
- 10. Bhaddanta Çandavara, Thukha Padipada Saddhammaramthi Yeiktha Monastery, Yankin Township, Yangon Division
- 11. Bhaddanta Visuddha, Phayagyi Monastery, Ase Village, Kyauktan Township, Yangon Division
- 12. Bhaddanta Arçarasikkha, Kathitwaing Aungchantha Dhamma Yeiktha, Aungchantha Ward 3, Thanlyin Township, Yangon Division
- 13. Bhaddanta Paññaçakka, Ayemya Yeiktha Maha Bawdi Monastery, Kywetkon Village, Thabaung Township, Ayeyawady Division

Title recipient Sayadaw from abroad

14. Ven Nanyane Ariyadhamma Maha Nayaka Thero, Nanyane Aranya Senasanaya Monastery, Sri lanka Kammathanacariva Title

- 1. Bhaddanta Indobhasa, Aungdawmu Sasana Yeiktha Monastery, Hteinchaung Village, Kyunsu Township, Taninthayi Division
- 2. Bhaddanta Janindappiya, Bawdi Yeiktha Monastery, Ponnasu Ward, Bago, Bago Division
- 3. Bhaddanta Obhasa, Mahasi Sasana Yeiktha Monastery, Kyarnigan Ward, Shwedaung, Bago Division (West)
- 4. Bhaddanta Obhasa, Mahasi Sasana Yeiktha Monastery, Ward 6, Minhla Township, Magway Division
- 5. Bhaddanta Indacariya, Maha Thatipathan Sasana Yeiktha, Ward 6, PyinOoLwin Township, Mandalay Division
- 6. Bhaddanta Samvara, Aungmingala Monastery (Prisons Department), Insein Township, Yangon

Agga Maha Thiri Thudhamma Manijotadhara Title

- 1. U Chu Than, No 99F-1, Thanlwin Road, Golden Valley Ward 1, Bahan Township, Yangon Division
- 2. U Sein Tin, No 116-D, Inva Road, Ward 9, Kamayut Township, Yangon Division
- 3. U Kyaw Min, No 10/8, Mya Yadana Road, Ward 16, Yankin Township, Yangon Division
- 4. U San Nyein, No 820, Waizayanda Road, Ward 9, South Okkalapa Township, Yangon Division
- 5. U Than Naing, No 118, Old Yedashay Road, Yedashay Ward, Bahan Township, Yangon Division Thiri Thudhamma Manijotadhara Title
- 1. U Aung Win, No 55, Arzani Road, Kanyon Ward, Dawei, Taninthayi Division
- 2. U Ngwe Thein, No 80, Myoma Ward, Yangon-Mandalay Road, Penwegon, Bago Division (See page 6)

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Thiri Thudhamma Manijotadhara Title

- 3. Dr Win Myint, Ward 3, Paukpindan Road, Minhla Township, Bago Division (West)
- 4. Dr Kyaw Zaw, No 136-B, Mandalay-Lashio Road, Ward 4, PyinOoLwin, Mandalay Division
- 5. U Hla Myint, No 77, Sangyoung Road, Sangyoung North Ward, Sangyoung Township, Yangon Division
- 6. U Than Tun, No 3-A, Pyidawaye Yeiktha, Kaba Aye Pagoda Road, Ward 7, Yankin Township, Yangon
- 7. U Shwe (Bandoola), 37, Thayawady Road, Saya San Ward, Bahan Township, Yangon Division
- 8. U Soe Han Lin, No 209, Bo Myat Tun Road, Ward 9, Botahtaung Township, Yangon Division
- 9. U Nyunt Htay, No 83, Upper Kyimyindine Road, Zaygyi East Ward, Kyimyindine Township, Yangon
- 10. U Tin Maung (Sandi Traditional Medicine), No 238/ 240, Konzaydan Road, Pabedan Township, Yangon Division
- 11. U Soe Thein, No 62, Ayeyawun Road, Ward 7, Mya Kywa Nyo Housing Estate, Thakayta Township, Yangon Division
- 12. U Naing Oo (Mibayeik), Mibayeik Saw Mill, No 1, Hlawga Road, 20/A Ward, Dagon Myothit (South) Township, Yangon Division
- 13. U Maung Hla, No 46, 14th Street, Myoma Ward 7, Mawlamyinegyun, Ayeyawady Division

Thiha Thudhamma Manijotadhara Title

- U Ngwe Shein, No 392, Ohnbindan Ward, Thanatbin Road, Bago Township, Bago Division
- 2. U Tin Maung Htwe (Natyaygan), No 17/20, Zaburit

- Road, Sangyoung Townhsip, Yangon Division
- 3. U Khin Hla, No 21-A, Bayintnaung Road, Thirimon Housing Estate, Ward 15, Hline Township, Yangon Division
- 4. U Than Zaw, Building-E, Room-7, Shwe Sabei Yeikmon Housing Estate, Bayintnaung Road, Kamayut Township, Yangon Division Thudhamma Manijotadhara Title

- 1. U Aung Mon, Building-2, Room 203, second floor, Ward 8, Thakayta Township, Yangon Division Agga Maha Thiri Thudhamma Theingi Title
- 1. Daw Than Htay, No 509, Leikpyagan Ward, 1st Street, Bago Township, Bago Division
- 2. Dr Khin Khin Seint, Ma/39, 52nd Street, 42ndx43rd Streets, Yemontaung, Mahaaungmye Township, Mandalay Division

Title recipient person from abroad

3. Maha Upasika Bonkotsitipaul (Siddhipala), Mother, Bonkot Beauty School (Principal), Kanchanapuri, Thailand

Thiri Thudhamma Theingi Title

- 1. Daw Than Than Nwe, Kyetthunkhin Ward 1, Pyay Road, Ottwin, Bago Division
- 2. Daw Tin Sein, No 755, 87th Street, 23rdx24th Street, Saingdan Ward, Aungmyethazan Township, Mandalay Division
- 3. Daw Khin Hla, Thiri Marlar East, 200th Block, corner of 26thx89th streets, Aungmyethazan Township, Mandalay Division
- 4. Daw Aye Aye Maw (a) Daw Aye Aye Mon, No Ma-24-3/Hsa, corner of 68th Street and Moe Thauk Pan Road, Myothit Ward 1, Chanmyathazi Township, Mandalay Division
- 5. Daw Mya Yin, No 6/A, Inya Yeiktha Road, Ward 10, Mayangon Township, Yangon Division
- Daw Khin Nan Mon, No 9, Anawrahta Street, Ward 14, Yankin Township, Yangon Division
- 7. Daw Khin San Kyi (a) Daw Aye Aye Khant, No 5, Aungthiri Road, Aungmingala Ward, Thanlyin Township, Yangon Division
- 8. Daw Aye Aye Than, No 31, Mahamyaing Road,

- Central Kyundaw Ward, Sangyoung Township, Yangon Division
- 9. Daw Hla Hla Nwe, No 870 E, Kyaung Road, 10th Mile, Insein Township, Yangon Division
- 10. Daw Mi Mi Sein, No 277, corner of Bogyoke Aung San Street and 38th Street, Ward 6, Kyauktada Township, Yangon Division
- 11. Daw Nan Mauk Lao Hsai, No 154, 19th Street, Upper Block, Ward 4, Latha Township, Yangon Division
- 12. Daw Aye Myint, No 15-B, Mya Yadana Road, Ward 16, Yankin Township, Yangon Division
- 13. Daw Myat Myat Soe, No 34-A, Inyamyaing Road, Golden Valley Ward 2, Bahan Township, Yangon Division
- 14. Daw Thuza Min, 7/3, Khabaung Road, Martin Yeiktha, Hline Township, Yangon Division

Thiha Thudhamma Theingi Title

- 1. Daw Hset Hset Htay, No 46, 19th Street, Zaybaing Ward, Bago Township, Bago Division
- 2. Daw Phyu Phyu Win, Ma-81-22 A, 35th Street, Yamontaung, Mahaaungmye Township, Mandalay
- 3. Daw Kyu Kyu Thin (a) Daw Kyin Hto, No 44, Yetama Road, Bayintnaung Brokerage, Mayangon Township, Yangon Division
- 4. Daw Than Than Sein, No 8-A, Saw Maha Road, Bo Cho Ward 2, Bahan Township, Yangon Division

Thudhamma Theingi Title

- 1. Daw Mya Shwe, Tawlan Village, Kungyangon Township, Yangon Division
- 2. Daw Nu Nu Nge, No 834, Leyashwemyay Road, Myitta Nyunt Ward, Tamway Township, Yangon Division
- 3. Daw Aye Yi, Yongyi Ward, Sibinthaya Road, Hinthada, Ayeyawady Division

By Order

Sd/-Thein Sein Lieutenant-General

Secretary-1 State Peace and Development Council

Union of Myanmar State Peace and Development 23. U Kyaw Hsan Tun, Sailor, Directorate of Water Council

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Excellent Performance in Social Field (First Class)

- 9. Dr U Khin Hlaing (Kambawza), Medical Superintendent (Retd), 1/Kha, Hseiwi Haw Compound, Ward-1, Lashio, Shan State (North).
- 10. U Than Win (a) U Aik Sam, Tanyan, Shan State (North)
- 11. U Sai Mon, Chairman, Manpan People's Malitia, Shan State (North).
- 12. U Shwe Hlaing, Managing Director, Wah Wah Win International Co Ltd, Yangon.
- 13. U Maung Maung Aye, Oil and Petrochemicals Transportation Department, Myanma Oil and Gas Enterprise, Ministry of Energy.
- 14. U Kyaw Win Naing, No 203, Dhammathukha Kyaung Road, No 13 Ward, Hline Township, Yangon.
- 15. U Tin Myint (Ma-ta-la 4300), Mandalay District Red Cross Battalion, No 45, Hta Hta 12, Sa-Ward, Pyigyitagun Township, Mandalay.
- 16. U Kyaw Win, No 1 Sawmill (Retd), No 6, Kangaw $Road, Wailuwun \, North \, Ward, Sangyoung \, Township,$ Yangon.
- 17. U Aye Lwin, Construction Worker (Retd), 10/636, Aungsan Station Lane, Sinngu Ward, Insein Township, Yangon.
- 18. U Maung Soe, Merchant, No 74, Thanthaya Aye Kyaung Road, Yangon.
- 19. No-424569, Cpl Myint Lwin, No 121, Supply and Transport Battalion, Ta Pa Ya 121, Mandalay, Ministry of Defence.
- 20. U Myo Nyunt Hsan, Account Grade-4, No 3 Sawmill, No 7 Furniture Factory (Wataya) Myama Timber Enterprise, Ministry of Forestry.
- 21. U Kyaw Thaung (Ma-3041), Sgt of Pyay Township Fire Brigade, Ministry of Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement.
- 22. U Thein Swe, Technician Grade-4, Ahlon Soft Drink

- and Ice Factory, Myanma Foodstuff Industries, Ministry of Industry-1.
- Resources and Improvement of River Systems, Ministry of Transport.
- 24. U Than Win, Head of Section, Myanma Port Authority, Ministry Transport.
- 25. U Thaung Nyunt, No 97, Yonpwe Road, North West Ward, Gyobingauk Township, Bago Division (West).
- Navy-3345 Maj Maung Tint, Central Naval Hydrographic Dept, Defence Service (Navy), Ministry of Defence
- 27. U Sein Han, No 5/1, Sibinthaya Road, Hpattan Ward, Mawlamyine Township, Mon State.
- La-68109, Police Cpl Hla Tun, Hlinethava Police Force, Myanmar Police Force, Ministry of Home Affairs.
- U Hla Soe, Technician Garde-6, Managing Director, Myanma Agricultural Produce Trading Enterprise (Head Office), Ministry of Commerce.
- U Mya Than (a) U Aung Aung, worker, 7/206, Kyaungkyisu Ward, Taunggyi, Shan State.
- U Khin Hla, Head of Section, Soap Factory No 2, Myanma Phamaceutical Industries, Ministry of Industry-1.
- U Maung Maung, Head of Section, No 2 Wheat and Foodstuff Factory, Yangon, Myanma Foodstuff Industries, Ministry of Industry-1.
- 33. U Mya Kyaing, Foreman, Civil Engineering Department, Myanma Railways, Ministry of Rail Transportation.
- U Pa Tun, Hairdresser, Thirimingala Ward, Meiktila Township.
- 35. U Ni Tut (a) U Aung Thaik, Merchant, Kha/416, 10th Road, U-poath-taw Ward, Aungmyethazan Township, Mandalay.
- Daw Yu Yu Wai, Senior Assistant Teacher, Basic Education High School No 4, Bohtataung, No 3 Basic Education Department, Ministry of Education.
- U Ohn Mying, Watch, BEMS No 2, Mingalataungnyunt, No 3 Basic Education Department, Ministry of Education.
- U Khin Maung Thwin, Technician Grade 4, Printing and Publishing Enterprise, Ministry of Information.
- U Myint Thein, Inspector-1, Minining Department, Ministry of Mines.

- 40. U Zu Taindhara, Monk, Shwekyamyaing Pariratti Monastery, Sipin Village, Natyakan Village-tract, Amarapura Township, Mandalay.
- 41. U Thaung Win, Technician Grade 4, Sarpaybeikman Press, PPE, Ministry of Information.
- 42. U Aung Myat Kyaw, Project Manager, Jute Research and Strains Planting Division, Myanma Jute Enterprise, Ministry of Agriculture and Irrigation.
- 43. U Hla Soe, Skill worker Grade 3, No 3 Furniture Factory, Myanma Woodbased Industry, Myanmar Timber Enterprise, Ministry of Forestry.
- 44. La-1604, Deputy Police Col Khin Maung Tun, Yangon Division Police Force, Myanmar Police Force, Ministry of Home Affairs.
- 45. U Kyaw Soe, Cargo Department, Myanma Port Authority, Ministry of Transport.
- 46. U Mya Han, Pa 3244, Township Administration Officer, Kyaiklatt Township General Administration Department, General Administration Department, Ministry of Home Affairs.
- 47. U Khin Maung Yin (a) U Kyaw Oo, Painting Business, Plot No 531, Hlwataung Compound, Tadanabommi East Ward, Maha Aungmyay Township, Mandalay.
- 48. U Hla Myaing, Merchant, Maha Myaing 2, 63th Road, 39x40 Street, Da 11/30, Maha Aungmyay Ward, Mandalay.
- 49. U Aye Ko, Technician Grade 4, Engineering Department, Myanma Timber Enterprise, Ministry of Forestry
- 50. U Ye Lin, Merchant, Kan Ashay Ward, Taunggyi, Shan State.
- 51. No 435577, Sgt Clerk Saw Win, General Staff Office, the Central Command (Nandwin), Ministry of Defence.
- 52. U Myo Aung, Peon, Social Welfare Department, $Ministry \, of \, Social \, Welfare, Relief \, and \, Resettlement.$

Medals for Excellent Performance in Social Field (Second Class)

- 1. UZawZaw, President, Myanmar Football Federation, Myanmar Tennis Federation.
- U Chit Khaing, President, Myanmar Sepak Takaraw Federation.
- U Than Sein, Coach, Myanmar Yacht Federation.
- 4. U Mya Thein, Vice President, Myanmar Martial Arts

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Industrial sector witnesses sustained progress

Development of industries in the time of the Tatmadaw Government

Development of industrial zones in states and divisions

The economy of Myanmar depends on the agriculture. Priority is given to the agricultural

sector and the Government is also striving for development of the industrial sector.

Industrial zones emerged in the time of Tatmadaw government				
No	State/Division	Industrial zone	1988	2005
1	Yangon	Yangon (East) Industrial Zone	-	4
		Yangon (West) Industrial Zone		
		Yangon (South) Industrial Zone		
		Yangon (North) Industrial Zone		
2	Mandalay	Mandalay Industrial Zone	-	3
		Myingyan Industrial Zone		
		Meiktila Industrial Zone		
3	Magway	Yenangyoung Industrial Zone	-	2
		Pakokku Industrial Zone		
4	Bago	Bago Industrial Zone	-	1
5	Ayeyawady	Pathein Industrial Zone	-	3
		Myaungmya Industrial Zone		
		Hinthada Industrial Zone		
6	Sagaing	Monywa Industrial Zone	-	2
		Kalay Industrial Zone		
7	Mon	Mawlamyine Industrial Zone	-	1
8	Taninthayi	Myeik Industrial Zone	-	1
9	Shan	Taunggyi (Ayethaya)	-	1
		Industrial Zone		
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Workers in action in No-2 Foundry Shop in Mandalay Industrial Zone in Mandalay Division.

In an effort to develop the industrial sector, Myanmar Industrial Development Committee was set up in 1995 and the Government encourages the industrial sector. Thanks to the relentless efforts of technicians and industrialists and encouragement of the Government, Myanmar Industrial Sector was booming.

practising the market-oriented economic system, private industries are mushrooming in the country. In 2003, the Government organized 40,000 industries scattered across the country and established industrial zones. Therefore, the number of industrial zones reached

The industries have As Myanmar is improved their rank from

blacksmith's workshop to heavy industry that can produce machinery parts. Now, efforts are being made to be able to manufacture machinery. At the time of Tatmadaw Government, it puts emphasis on development of industrial sector based on private industries.

The table shows increase in the number of industries

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WINNERS OF ASEAN RADIO QUIZ: Under the ASEAN in Action Plan, ASEAN Radio Quiz was held at Myanma Radio and Television on 3 January. The first prize went to Ma Hsu Yadana of Botahtaung Township, the second prize to Ma Thet Thet Mar of Thingangyun Township, the third prize to Maung DD Hsaing Aung of Mongkoe, Shan State (North) and the consolation prize to Maung Thein Htaik Aung of Sangyaung Township. — H

Independence Day Exhibition continues

YANGON, 5 Jan -The 58th Anniversary Independence Day Exhibition continued today attracting 5,108 people at the Tatmadaw Convention Hall here

In the booths of ministries, the health activities being carried out by the Ministry of Health in accord with the objective of uplift of health, fitness and education standards of the entire nation, communication services of the Ministry of Communications, Posts and Telegraphs and the principles of bio-gas and its procedures of Ministry of Science and Technology, are being staged. Moreover, the book shops of the News and Periodicals Enterprise and Sarpaybeikman under the Ministry of Information and the private bookshops are be-

At the exhibition. students participated in Teaching Contest with Audio Language Lab organized by Soft Guide Computer Co Ltd and winners were awarded. Anyone may visit the exhibition and it will continue up to 11 January from 9 am to 5 pm. — MNA

Minister Brig-Gen Thura Ave Myint presents a gift to leader of Thai swimming team Maj-Gen Pichit Boonyatikarn.

Dinner hosted to Thai swimming team

YANGON, 5 Jan — A dinner was hosted to Thai swimming team led by Maj-Gen Pichit Boonyatikarn at Karaweik Palace at 7 pm today, attended by Chairman of Myanmar Olympic Committee Minister for Sports Brig-Gen Thura Aye Myint.

First, the minister made a speech and Maj-Gen Pichit Boonyatikarn spoke words of thanks.

Next, the minister and President of Myanmar Swimming Federation Dr Khin Shwe presented gifts to Thai swimming team. Maj-Gen Pichit Boonyatikarn also presented souvenirs to the minister and Chairperson of Working Committee of Myanmar Women's



Foreign Heads of State send felicitations to Senior General Than Shwe

Yangon, 6 Jan — The following are messages of felicitations from foreign Heads of State sent to Senior General Than Shwe, Chairman of the State Peace and Development Council of the Union of Myanmar, on the occasion of the 58th Anniversary Independence Day of the Union of Myanmar.

Thailand

On the occasion of the Independence Day of the Union of Myanmar, I wish to extend to Your Excellency sincere congratulations and best wishes for your happiness and well-being as well as for the progress and prosperity of the Union of Myanmar and her people.

From His Majesty Akihito, Emperor of Japan

On this occasion of the Independence Day of the Union of Myanmar I have great pleasure in sending Your Excellency my heartfelt congratulations and sincere good wishes for your happiness and for the prosperity of the people of your coun-

From Mr Khamtay Siphandone, President of the Lao People's Democratic Republic

Your Excellency,

On the auspicious occasion of the 58th Anniversary of the Independence Day of the Union of Myanmar, on behalf of the people of the Lao People's Democratic Republic and on my own behalf, I have a pleasure to extend my warmest congratulations and best wishes to Your Excellency and through Your Excellency to the entire brotherly people of the Union of Myanmar.

I would like to express my sincere hope for the further growth of the traditional relations of friendship and trustworthy close cooperation between the peoples of our two countries, bringing about tangible benefit to our two peoples as well as making an important contribution to the cause of peace, stabil-

From His Majesty M.R. Bhumibol R., King of ity and cooperation for development in the region countries will be further strengthened and consoliand in the world.

> May I take this opportunity to wish Your Excellency good health and well-being and continued progress and prosperity for the people of the Union of Myanmar.

> Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

From Mr SR Nathan, President of Republic of Singapore

Dear Excellency,

On behalf of the people of the Republic of Singapore, I would like to congratulate Your Excellency and the people of the Union of Myanmar on the happy occasion of the 58th Independence Day of the Union of Myanmar.

As Myanmar and Singapore have enjoyed close and warm relations over many years, I am confident that our two countries can continue to work together not only for mutual benefit but also for the good of the region.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

From Professor Dr Iajuddin Ahmed, President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Excellency.

It is indeed a great pleasure for me to convey to Your Excellency our heartiest felicitations and greetings on the auspicious occasion of the Independence Day of the Union of Myanmar.

I firmly believe that the existing bond of friendship and cooperation between our two neighbouring

dated in the years ahead to the mutual benefit of our two peoples.

I take this opportunity to extend to Your Excellency our best wishes for your good health, happiness and long life and for the continued peace. progress and prosperity of the friendly people of the Union of Myanmar.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

From Mr Jacques Chirac, President of the French Republic

On the occasion of the National Day of the Union of Myanmar. I have the pleasure to convey my heartfelt wishes to the people of Myanmar.

May the links between our two people further intensify in the future.

From Mr Svetozar Marovic, President of Serbia and Montenegro

I extend to you my sincere congratulations on the occasion of the National Day of the Union of Myanmar, along with my best wishes for the further prosperity of Your Excellency's coun-

I take this opportunity to express, on behalf of the council of Ministers of the State Union of Serbia and Montenegro, its citizens and in my own name, the conviction that the relations and cooperation between Serbia and Montenegro and the Union of Myanmar will develop and be promoted in the period to come, to the mutual benefit and in the interest of peace and stability in the world.

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on whom the State and the USDA can rely amounts to shaping the future of the nation for human resources development.

At the course, the new generation youths have already studied Myanmar history, national policy, political, economic and social development, the seven-point Road Map, national defence and security and international affairs.

As the world events are undergoing changes and developments in all aspects, the youths are to make a thorough study on the situations of international affairs in order to fully realize the prevailing situations. The State is strictly adhering to the Five Principles of Peaceful Coexistence and practising the policy of peace, amity, mutual respects, equality and non-interference in other nations' affairs. In dealing with nations of the world, Myanmar is practising independent and active foreign policy and is also cooperating with international organizations and social organizations including nations in the region, global nations and the United Nations. It is safe to say that the new generation youths have realized the

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prevailing situations of the nation and international affairs to a certain extent as they studied changes and developments of the nation and international situations at the course. They are to accept knowledge, education, technology, idea and procedures obtained from the course as work guidelines and to make a constant study to be qualified and well-versed in the developments.

He said it is a country where over 100 national races have lived in unity and amity. They live through thick and thin and possess consolidated traditions, mutual understanding and Union Spirit.

National solidarity disintegrated and political, economic and social conditions were low due to servitude and divide-and-rule policy. Taking the lessons from the past, Our Three Main National Causes nondisintegration of the Union, non-disintegration of national solidarity and perpetuation of sovereignty were laid down as national policy. The basis of Our Three Main National Causes is Union Spirit, he said.

He said the people are to safeguard Myanmar society after realizing the value of the Union, unity, peace and sovereignty. Political, economic, organizational and administrative outlooks, national characters and the Union Spirit are strengths that can build the nation, he said. He said it is very important for all the nationals to have consolidated Union Spirit. The Union spirit is a genuine patriotism to be preserved by all the national races. Efforts are to be made for keeping Union Spirit alive forever.

He said the nation is now on the right path of development owing to the efforts of the government, the people and the Tatmadaw and internal national forces in accord with the twelve objectives. There are better foundations on peace, national economic development and human resource development in the country.

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Prime Minister General Soe Win cordially greets trainees at the concluding ceremony of MAISC.—MNA

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He said the government is actively taking part in the efforts for raising the living standard of rural people who constitute 70 per cent of the population, better transportation, water and power supply, development of rural economy and upgrading health standard.

The government is endeavouring for development of agriculture as the base and all round development of other sectors of the economy. For development of agriculture measures are being undertaken for full operation of farm equipment and utilization of dieselsubstitute bio-gas, he added

He said Myanmar's climate favours jetropha curcas and fuel can obtained from it. The cultivation of the jetropha should curcas be extended. Jetropha curcas oil can be used as fuel and the paste can be used as fertilizer.

Trainees are urged to cultivate jetropha curcas as a national duty with the hope of encouraging the development of the

agriculture sector of the State

In an effort to build the peaceful, modern and developed democratic nation, the Government laid down the seven-point Road Map. As part of an effort to draft the constitution, the National Convention, the first step of the Road Map, is insession with the active participation of delegates. The constitution plays a key role in building the future State.

The delegates representing the views of the people are participating at the National Convention. They express their desires frankly at the group discussions of the convention to lay down basic principles for the consti-

Only when the constitution is formulated, will the peaceful, modern and developed democratic nation emerge and will the people enjoy peace and tranquillity, freedom, social equality, unity and development.

All are to participate with national awareness for success of the National Convention.

As a gesture of hailindustrial sector and ing the National Conven-

tion, public welfare services, cash and blood donation activities are being carried out across the nation, USDA, Myanmar Women's Affairs Federation, Myanmar Maternal and Child Welfare Association, Myanmar War Veteran's Association and social organizations also participated in activities to hail the National Convention.

In conclusion, the

National Convention delegates express their desires frankly at the group meetings to lay down basic principles for the constitution. Only when the constitution is formulated, will the peaceful, modern and developed democratic nation emerge and will the people enjoy peace and tranquillity, freedom, social equality, unity and development.



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Prime Minister urged USDA members, as a strong national force, to serve the interests of the State and the people by making full use of devel-

the sense of national solidarity and equality and Union Spirit; and strive for the successful implementation of the sevenpoint Road Map of the opment fruits; to cultivate | State, five rural develop-

ment tasks and future | Prime Minister General work programmes of the association by upholding Our Three Main National Causes and the 12 objectives.

After the ceremony, divisions. — MNA

Win cordially greeted the trainees. The training course was attended by a total of 207 trainees from states and

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Representatives-elect presided over the Plenary Session of the National Convention together with Dr Paik Tin of National Convention Convening Work Committee, U Tun Yin Law of Delegate Group of Political Parties, U Mann Ohn Maung of Delegate Group of National Races, U Sai Tint Aung of Delegate Group of Peasants, U Kyaw Myo Win of Delegate Group of Workers, U Hla Myint of Delegate Group of Intellectuals and Intelligentsia, U Hla Tin of Delegate Group of State Service Personnel and U Paw Laik Kham of Other Invited Persons.

Director (Meeting) U Than Aung of the National Convention Convening Work Committee Office acted as Master of Ceremonies and Deputy Director U Aung Kyi as co-master of ceremonies.

The MC announced the validity of the meeting as 1,069 delegates out of 1,079 were present, accounting for 99.07 per cent.

Delegates to the National Convention submitted their proposals on detailed basic principles to be laid down for legislation of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, Pyithu Hluttaw, Amyotha Hluttaw and Region or State

First, the proposals of three delegates-Representative-elect Dr Hmu Htan of Thantlang Township constituency in Chin State, Representativeelect U Aung Thein of Ywangan Township constituency in southern Shan State and U Tun Kyaw of Namhsan Township constitutency in Shan State (South)— were presented to the plenary session in three parts.

Dr Hmu Htan of Thantlang Township constituency in Chin State first presented the proposals.

(The presentation will be reported.) Next, U Aung Thein of Ywangan Township con-

stituency in Shan State (South) presented the pro-

(The presentation will be reported.)

Afterwards, U Tun Kyaw of Namhsan Township constitutency in Shan State (North) presented the proposals.

(The presentation will be reported) U Shi Thi of Sagain Division also presented the proposals of Delegate Group of National Races.

(The presentation will be reported.) Next, Daw San San Htay of Ayeyawady Division presented the proposals and The Plenary Session of the National Convention took a break.

(The presentation will be reported.) When the Plenary Session of the National Convention resumed the delegates continued to present their proposals.

First, U Pyay Lay of Chin State presented proposals of Delegate Group of National Races.

(The presentation will be reported.)

Next, Daw Aye Cho Sein of Shan State (South) presented the proposals.

(The presentation will be reported.) (see page 10)



Independent representative-elect Dr Hmu Htan of Chin State reads the proposal . - MNA



Independent representative-elect U Aung Thein of Shan State (South) reads the proposal.— MNA



Independent representative-elect U Tun Kyaw of Shan State (North) reads the proposal. — MNA



U Shi Thi of Sagaing Division reads the proposal of delegate group of national races.-MNA



Daw San San Htay of Ayeyawady Division reads the proposal of delegate group of national races. - MNA



U Pyay Lay of Chin State reads the proposal of delegate group of national races. —MNA



Secretary-1 Lt-Gen Thein Sein signs attendence register of the National Convention Plenary Session. — MNA

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Afterwards, Daw Khin Lay Myint of Mon State presented the proposals.

(The presentation will be reported.) The plenary session went into recess at 11.45 am. When the plenary session of the National Convention continued, delegates presented their proposals. First, U Sai Thein Aung of Kachin State presented the proposals of Delegate Group of National Races.

(The presentation will be reported.)

Next, the proposals of Delegate Group of Peasants were presented.

First, U Min Lun Aung of Mon State presented the proposals. The plenary session went into recess. (The presentation will be reported.)

When the plenary session continued U Saw Lin Aung of Bago Division presented the proposals of Delegate Group of Peasants.

(The presentation will be reported.)

Next, U Myint Kyaw of Mandalay Division presented the proposals.

(The presentation will be reported.)

The Plenary Session of the National Convention was adjourned at 3.15 pm.

The Plenary Session of the National Convention continues tomorrow at 9 am.

NCCC Chairman Secretary-1 Lt-Gen Thein Sein and party and delegates being seen at Plenary Session of the National Convention.





Daw Aye Cho Sein of Shan State (South).—MNA



Daw Khin Lay Myint of Mon State. - MNA



U Sai Thein Aung of Kachin State. — MNA



U Min Lun Aung of Mon State. — MNA



U Saw Lin Aung of Bago Division. MNA



U Myint Kyaw of Mandalay Division. - MNA

Development facilities opened in Myaing township

Yangon, 5 Jan — To hail the 58th Anniversary Independence Day, ceremonies to open development facilities in Myaing Township took place in the township on 2 January. The ceremonies were graced by the presence of USDA CEC member Minister for Progress of Border Areas and National Races and Development Affairs Col Thein Nyunt.

First, the minister together with Chairman of Magway Division Peace and Development Council Col Phone Maw Shwe and Director-General of cilities in Ward-2. The

Development Affairs Department U Myo Myint attended the ceremony to unveil a signboard hailing the supply of drinking water to the township with 331 villages in the Town-

The water supply project costs K 169.3 million. Next, the minister and party also attended the opening of circular road in Ward-2 that was built at a cost of K 11.44 million and the opening of tube-wells, water tank with a storage capacity of 10000 gallons and other water supply fawater supply project was implemented at a cost of K 51 575 million

Later, the minister and party attended the ceremonies to open the domestic science training school of the Education Training Department in Ward-2. Then, the minister and party attended the ceremony to open collective development projects and the minister spoke on the occasion. Afterwards, the minister and party attended the ceremony to launch the nursery plantation of jetropha curcas.

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Maha Bandoola Tractor Co Ltd opened

YANGON, 5 Jan-Maha Bandoola Tractor Co Ltd was opened with a ceremony at No 125 on Mingyi Maha Minkhaung Street, Hlinethaya Industrial Zone-4 this morning, attended by departmental officials. journalists, guests and company officials. Director-General U Kyaw San Win of the Irrigation Department of the Irrigation Departunder the Ministry of Agriculture & Irrigation and Managing-Director Mr Simon HG Poh, of HCM(S) Pte Ltd formally opened the ceremony.

Next, Managing Director Daw Kyay Mone Win of Maha Bandoola Tractor Co Ltd, Director-General U Kyaw San Win ment and Managing Director Mr Simon HG Poh made speeches.

The sale of machinery and spare parts manufactured by Hitachi Construction will be made and maintenance services will be carried out by Maha Bandoola Tractor Co Ltd.



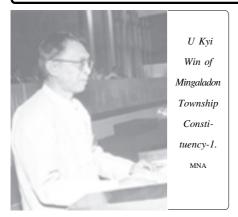
Opening ceremony of Maha Bandoola Tractor Co Ltd being held. — MNA

Centenary anniversay of Yangon Zoological garden to be held

Central Committee meeting of Forest Department under the Ministry of Forestry to mark the centenary anniversary of zoological gardens (Yangon) was held yesterday morning at In-

YANGON, 5 Jan - A | ternational Bussiness Centre (IBC) on Pyay Road with an address by Chairman of the Central Committee Minister for Forestry Brig-Gen Thein Aung. Present at the meeting were managing-directors, directors-generals and directors. and officials from Yangon City Development Committee. After the members of the committee had discussed progress of wook the minister attended to the needs.--MNA

The first session of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw should be held within 15 days after the beginning of the first session of the Pyithu Hluttaw



YANGON, 5 Jan-The following is a translation of the proposals submitted to the plenary session of the National Convention by U Kyi Win of Mingaladon Township Constituency-1 regarding the detailed basic principles for legislative functions of the Pvidaungsu Hluttaw, the Pyithu Hluttaw, the Amyotha Hluttaw, and Region or State Hluttaw in formulating the State Constitution collectively presented by the six Independent Representatives-elect — UTin Win of Kyaiklat Township constituency-2, UThein Kyi of Taungdwingyi Township constituency-1, U Hla Soe of Minbu Township constituency-2, U Mya Hlaing of Twantay Township constituency-2, U Kyi Win of Mingaladon Township constituency-1 and U Tin Tun Maung of Mingaladon Township constituency-2—on 3 January at Nyaunghnapin Camp in Hmawby Township, Yangon

Unity is the main requirement for the nation where various nationalities are living together. The essential need for the flourishing of justice, freedom and equality in the nation is the Constitution. All the national people have the duty for emergence of the Constitution, and the delegates to the National Convention have greater responsibility in this matter.

The laying down of the detailed basic principles for executive power includes the fixing and reducing the number of ministers and ministries with the approval of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw after the election of the President and the Vice-Presidents, the nomination of the Pyidaungsu ministers, the attorney-general and auditorgeneral, the nomination of the chief minister, other high level officials and judges of the Pyidaungsu supreme court, the powers of the President for activating the administrative and judicial machinery and the convening of the first session of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw.

In our view the detailed basic principles "The first session of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw should be held within 15 days after the beginning of the first session of the Pvithu Hluttaw".

"The Speaker of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall convene the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw.

"The Speaker of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall call the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw session at least once a year. The maximum time limit between one meeting and another should not exceed 12 months" should be laid down.

As we have approved the clarification of the National Convention Convening Work Committee Chairman concerning the following tasks to be carried out at the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw meetings, we proposed the following be laid down as detailed basic principles:

- "(a) Recording the address delivered by the Presi-
- "(b) Reading out and the recording the message sent by the President and other messages permitted by
- "(c) Submitting and discussing and making decision on a bill
- "(d) Discussing and deciding the opinion and remarks of the President concerning a bill approved by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw
- (e) Discussing and deciding the matter the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw has to implement in accord with the provisions contained in the Constitution
- (f) Discussing, deciding and recording the reports presented to the Pvidaungsu Hluttaw
- "(g) Submitting proposals, and making discus-
 - "(h) Asking questions and replying answers
- "(i) Implementing the matters permitted by the Speaker of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw."

In accordance with the explanation of the Work Committee Chairman the detailed basic principles "The Speaker of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall call a special session or an emergency session of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw as necessary" and "The Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Speaker shall convene a special session or an emergency session of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw soonest when the President informs the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Speaker to convene a special session or an emergency session of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw" should be laid down.

We support the Work Committee Chairman's clarification concerning the laying down of the following detailed basic principles:

"The Speaker of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall convene a special session of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw when at least one fourth of the total number of members of the Pvidaungsu Hluttaw ask to convene the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw"

- (a) "The first day session of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall be valid if more than half the number of members, who have the right to attend the Pvidaungsu Hluttaw meeting, are present. The meeting if invalid, shall be adjourned.
- (b) "The meetings that are adjourned due to invalidity in accord with the sub para (a) as well as the valid meetings that are extended will be valid if at least one third of the Hluttaw members are present."

Concerning the voting and the absence of the members from the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw meetings without leave, we are in support of the laying down of the detailed basic principles "(a) Save as otherwise provided by this Constitution, a matter that should be decided through voting, shall be determined by a majority of votes of the members present and voting. (b) The Speaker of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw or the Deputy Speaker acting as such, shall not vote in the first instance, but shall have and exercise a casting vote in the case of an equality of votes." and "If for a period of 15 consecutive days a member of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw is without permission of the Speaker absent from all meetings of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, Speaker shall inform the Hluttaw concerned to take action against the member according to the prescribed rules. Provided that in computing the said period of 15 days on account shall be taken of any period during which the Chamber is prorogued, or is adjourned."

We see the detailed basic principles "Although there are vacant seats, the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall have the right to carry out its tasks. Moreover, the session shall not be annulled, if the acts of some person who was not entitled to do so sat or vote or took part in the proceedings are discovered later" "The functions and records of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall be published for public information. But the functions and records restricted by a law or decisions of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall not be published" clarified by the Work Committee Chairman appropriate for the Constitution.

As regards the legislative power of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, we agree that the detailed basic principle "(a) The Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall have the right to make laws for the whole or any part of the Union concerning the matters stated in the Union Legislative List. (b) If a bill initially presented at the Pyithu Hluttaw or the Amyotha Hluttaw is approved by both Pyithu Hluttaw and Amyotha Hluttaw, it shall be presumed that the bill is approved by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw." should be laid down.

After studying the Work Committee Chairman's clarification concerning the enactment of laws by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, we find the following detailed basic principle suitable for the Constitution: (a) When the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw enacts a law, it shall –

- (i) entrust the right to issue rules, regulation and bylaws concerning the law to the Union level organizations formed according to the Constitution.
- (ii) authorize the respective organizations or authority to issue notifications, orders, directives and procedures.
- (b) The rules, regulations, notifications, orders, directives and procedures issued with the right vested by an Act shall be consonant with the stipulations contained in the Constitution and the law concerned.
- (c) If both the Pyithu Hluttaw and the Amyotha Hluttaw decide to annul or amend any one the rules, regulations or bylaws, it shall be presumed that the rules, regulations or bylaws are annulled or amended by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw.
- (d) If there is any disagreement between the Pyithu Hluttaw and the Amyotha Hluttaw concerning the said rules, regulations or bylaws, it shall be decided by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw.
- (e) If a decision is made to annul or amend any of the rules, regulations or bylaws according to the para (c) or para (d), the decision shall be without prejudice, however, to the validity of any action previously taken under the rules, regulations or bylaws.

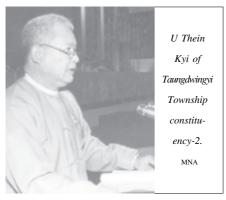
To enable the President to facilitate his work in the matters concerning the international treaties, the following basic principle should be laid down:

"The Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall —

"(a) give the decision on matters in connection with ratifying, cancelling and withdrawing from international agreements, regional treaties or bilateral agreements submitted by the President.

"(b) fix the international, regional or bilateral agreements that do not need Pyidaungsu Hluttaw's approval and delegate the President to ratify, cancel and withdraw from them." -- MNA

The reports, papers and Hluttaw records published by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw or under its authority shall be privileged



Yangon, 5 Jan—The following is a translation of the proposals submitted to the plenary session of the National Convention by U Thein Kyi of Taungdwingyi Township Constituency-1 regarding the detailed basic principles for legislative functions of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, the Pyithu Hluttaw, the Amyotha Hluttaw, and Region or State Hluttaw in formulating the State Constitution collectively presented by the six Independent Representatives-elect — UTin Win of Kyaiklat Township constituency-2, U Thein Kyi of Taungdwingyi Township constituency-1, U Hla Soe of Minbu Township constituency-2, U Mya Hlaing of Twantay Township constituency-2, U Kyi Win of Mingaladon Township constituency-1 and U Tin Tun Maung of Mingaladon Township constituency-2—on 3 January at Nyaunghnapin Camp in Hmawby Township, Yangon Division.

We are in support of the explanations made by Work Committee Chairman regarding to matters that require Pyidaungsu Hluttaw's decisions, agreement and approval

(a) Matters that require the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw's

"Except the bills that are prescribed by the Constitution to be discussed and decided exclusively at the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, the bills submitted by the Union level organizations formed under the Constitution, to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall be discussed initially at the Pyithu Hluttaw or the Amyotha Hluttaw according to the prescribed provisions."

"If a need arises to scrutinize the bills, that are to be discussed and approved exclusively at the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, they are to be scrutinized jointly by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw bill committee and the Amyotha Hluttaw bill committee, and the bills together with the findings and comments of the joint committee can be submitted to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw in accordance with prescribed provisions.'

"If there arises disagreement between the Pyithu Hluttaw and the Amyotha Hluttaw concerning a bill, the bill should be discussed and approved at the Pyidaungsu

Moreover, we also find the following detailed basic principles concerning the bills appropriate for the Constitution

"(a) Within 14 days after the date the President receives the bills sent to him by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw after approving them and the bills in like manner as if the Pvidaungsu Hluttaw has approved them, he shall sign the bills and shall promulgate them into law.

'(b)The President shall send a bill back to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw together with his comments within the fixed time to sign and promulgate it into an Act."

"(c) Although the President does not send a bill back to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw together with his comments within the fixed time, if the Bill is not signed by the President within 14 days after the date of presentation, the same shall become an Act in like manner as if he had signed it on the last of the said 14 days.'

promulgated in the gazette. The Act shall come into force on the date of such promulgation unless the contrary intention is expressed."

After studying the clarification made by the Work Committee Chairman concerning the Union level organizations, and the powers and functions of the Speaker, we would like to suggest that the following detailed basic principles should be laid down:

"Members of the organizations representing the Union level organizations formed under the Constitution while attending the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw with the permission of the Speaker shall explain the bills and other matters in connection with their respective organizations.

The Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Speaker shall -

"(a) supervise the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw sessions"

"(b) invite the President, if the President informs him of his desire to address the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw'

"(c) have the power to invite organization and persons representing any Union level organizations formed under the Constitution to attend and give clarifications on one of the matters of the ongoing discussions of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw session if necessary'

"(d)implement his other powers and functions designated by the constitution or any law"

The Union level organizations formed under the Constitution shall submit their general condition, necessary to be presented to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, with the permission of the Speaker.'

As we have come to understand the clarifications made by the Work Committee Chairman in connection with the privileges of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw members, we agree that the following detailed basic principles should be laid down.

'(a) Subject to the provisions contained in the constitution, and the provisions stipulated in the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw law, members of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall have freedom of speech and voting at the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw and the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Joint Committee. Concerning the discussions and functions of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw and the Joint Committee, a Pyidaungsu Hluttaw member shall be absolutely privileged, except under the laws of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw

"(b) Subject to the provisions contained in the constitution, and the provisions stipulated in the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw law, members of organizations or persons representing any one of the Union level organizations invited to attend the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw have the freedom of speech. No action shall be taken against such persons for their speeches, except under the law of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw."

"(c) However, if the persons mentioned in the above para (a) and para (b) commit physical assaults, they shall be liable to punishment according to the existing law."

"If there arises a need to arrest a Pyidaungsu Hluttaw member attending a Pyidaungsu Hluttaw session or a person attending the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw session at the invitation of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Speaker, the reliable evidence shall be submitted to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Speaker. He shall not be arrested without the prior permission of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Speaker.'

The reports, papers and hluttaw records published by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw or under its authority shall be privileged." — MNA

We are in support of the explanations made by Work Committee Chairman regarding matters that require Pyidaungsu Hluttaw's decisions, agreement and approval

decisions, agreement and approval should be implemented

- (i) If the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw is in session, the matter shall be decided at that session.
- (ii) If the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw is not in session, the discussion and decisions on the matter shall be made at the nearest Pyidaungsu Hluttaw session.
- (iii) A special session or an emergency session shall be convened to discuss and decide the matters which need prompt action in public interest.
- (b) When the President after issuing an ordinance having the force of law submits it to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw for approval, the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw shall
 - (i) make a decision to approve it or not.
- (ii) fix the ordinance's expiary date if the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw approves the ordinance.
- (iii) The ordinance shall cease to have effect from the date on which it is disapproved by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw

Concerning the submission, approval and sending of bills, we find the following detailed basic principles appropriate for the Constitution:

(a) Of the matters included in the Union legislative list, the Union level organizations formed under the Constitution, shall have the right to submit bills on matters under their management, to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw in accord with the rules.'

"(b)Bills on national plans, annual budgets and taxation, which are to be submitted exclusively by the Union government shall be presented to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw in accord with the prescribed provisions for

"(a) If the President sends back the bill to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw together with his comments within the fixed time, the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw after studying the President's comments, can accept his comments or can decide to amend the bill, or shall make a decision to approve the bill in its original state if it does not agree to the President's comments."

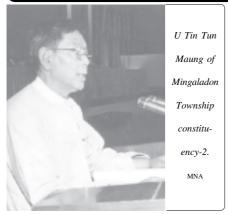
"(b) The President shall sign the bill and enact it on the last of the said seven days if the bill so amended according to his comments or his comments are not accepted and the bill approved in its original state is sent back to him with the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw's decision."

"(c) If the bill sent back to the President by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw is not signed by the President within the fixed time, the same shall become an Act in like manner as if he had signed it on the last date of the said

"The Acts signed by the President and the Acts deemed to have been signed by the President shall be

Members of the organizations representing the Union level organizations formed under the Constitution while attending the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw with the permission of the Speaker shall explain the bills and other matters in connection with their respective organizations.

The State Peace and Development Council shall call the first regular session of the Pyithu Hluttaw after the constitution has come into effect



Yangon, 5 Jan — The following is a translation of the proposals submitted to the plenary session of the National Convention by U Tin Tun Maung of Mingaladon Township constituency-2 regarding the detailed basic principles for legislative functions of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, the Pyithu Hluttaw, the Amyotha Hluttaw, and Region or State Hluttaw in formulating the State Constitution collectively presented by the six Independent Representatives-elect — U Tin Win of Kyaiklat Township constituency-2, U Thein Kyi of Taungdwingyi Township constituency-1, U Hla Soe of Minbu Township constituency-2, U Mya Hlaing of Twantay Township constituency-2, U Kyi Win of Mingaladon Township constituency-1 and U Tin Tun Maung of Mingaladon Township constituency-2- on 3 January at Nyaunghnapin Camp in Hmawby Township, Yangon Division

In our view, the following detailed basic principles should be laid down:

- (a) The first session that gives birth to the tenure of the Pyithu Hluttaw shall be convened not later than 90 days after the commencing date of general elections.
- (b) (1) The day the tenure of the Amyotha Hluttaw comes into force is the day the tenure of the Pyithu Hluttaw starts.
 - (2) The first session of the Amyotha Hluttaw shall be convened not later than seven days after the start of the tenure of that Hluttaw
- (a) (1) The State Peace and Development Council shall call the first regular session of the Pyithu Hluttaw after the constitution has come into
 - (2) The incumbent speaker of the Pyithu Hluttaw in service shall call first regular sessions for the next terms of the Pyithu Hluttaw in line with the provision of this constitution
- (b) (1) The State Peace and Development Council shall call the first regular session of the Amyotha Hluttaw after the constitution has come into
 - The Speaker of the Amyotha Hluttaw shall call first regular sessions for the next terms of the Amyotha Hluttaw in line with the provision of this constitution

As regards the taking of oath by the Hluttaw members, we find the following basic principle appropriate:

- (a) (1) Members of the Pyithu Hluttaw shall take oaths before the Speaker of the Pyithu Hluttaw at the first regular session of the Pyithu Hluttaw
 - (2) The members of the Pyithu Hluttaw, who have not taken oaths, shall take oaths before the Speaker of the Hluttaw at the session of the Pvithu Hluttaw they first attend
- (b) (1) Members of the Amyotha Hluttaw shall take oaths before the Speaker of the Amyotha Hluttaw at the first regular session of the Amyotha Hluttaw
 - (2) The members of the Amyotha Hluttaw, who have not taken oaths, shall take oaths before the Speaker of the Hluttaw at the session of the Amyotha Hluttaw they first attend

As we are in support of the clarification made by the Work Committee Chairman concerning the regular sessions and other sessions of the hluttaws, we would like to suggest to lay down the following detailed basic princi-

- (a) The Speaker of the Pyithu Hluttaw shall call regular session of the Pyuthu Hluttaw at least once a year. The interval between two regular sessions shall not exceed 12
- (b) The Speaker of the Amyotha Hluttaw shall call regular session of the Amyotha Hluttaw at least once a year. The interval between two regular sessions shall not exceed 12 months
- (a) The following matters are carried out at the sessions of the Pyithu Hluttaw.
 - (1) Recording speeches delivered by the President
 - (2) Reading and recording the messages sent by the President and the messages permitted by the Speaker
 - (3) Submitting bill, holding discussions, and making decisions
 - (4) Holding discussions and making decisions regarding the matters the Pyithu Hluttaw shall implement them in accord with the provisions of the Constitution
 - Assessing, approving and recording the reports presented to the Pyithu Hluttaw
 - (6) Submitting, discussing and approving proposals
 - (7) Raising questions and answering queries
 - Carrying out the matters permitted by the Speaker of the Pyithu Hluttaw
- (b) The following matters are carried out at the sessions of the Amyotha Hluttaw.
 - (1) Recording speeches delivered by the President
 - (2) Reading and recording the messages sent by the President and the messages permitted by the Speaker
 - (3) Submitting bill, holding discussions, and making decisions
 - (4) Holding discussions and making decisions regarding the matters the Amyotha Hluttaw shall implement them in accord with the provisions of the Constitution
 - (5) Assessing, approving and recording the reports presented to the Amyotha Hluttaw
 - Submitting, discussing and approving proposals
 - Raising questions and answering queries
 - (8) Carrying out the matters permitted by the speaker of the Amyotha Hluttaw
- The first day meeting of the Pyithu Hluttaw shall be considered to be valid if more than half the number of members who have the right to attend the Pyithu Hluttaw meeting, are present. If the meeting is not valid it shall be postponed
 - (2) The meetings that are postponed due to invalidity and the valid meetings that are extended shall be considered to be valid if at least one third of the Pyithu Hluttaw members are present.
- (b) (1) The first day meeting of the Amyotha Hluttaw shall be considered to be valid if more than half the number of members who have the right to attend the Amyotha Hluttaw meeting, are present. If the meeting is not valid it shall be postponed
 - (2) The meetings that are postponed due to invalidity and the valid meetings that are extended shall be considered to be valid if at least one third of the Amyotha Hluttaw members are present

I would like to suggest that the following detailed basic principles in connection with the voting for decisions, the absence without leave, vacant seats, and records of the hluttaws:

- (a) (1) Save as otherwise provided by this Constitution, a matter that should be decided through voting shall be determined by a majority of votes of the members present and voting.
 - (2) The Speaker of the Pyithu Hluttaw or the Deputy Speaker discharging duties as the Speaker at the Pvithu Hluttaw shall not vote in the first instance, but shall have and exercise a casting vote in the matters of equal number of votes.
- (b) (1) Save as otherwise provided by this Constitution, a matter that should be decided through voting shall be determined by a majority of votes of the members present and voting.
 - The Speaker of the Amyotha Hluttaw or the Deputy Speaker discharging duties as the Speaker

- at the Amyotha Hluttaw sessions shall not vote in the first instance in the sessions of the Amyotha Hluttaw, but shall have and exercise a casting vote in the matters of equal number of votes.
- The Pyithu Hluttaw may declare the seat of a member vacant in accord with the rules prescribed if he is absent, without asking the Pyithu Hluttaw for leave, from a session for 15 days in succession. In computing the absence for at least 15 days from a session of the Pyithu Hluttaw, the postponed period of the session shall not be included.
 - (2) The Pvithu Hluttaw shall take action against a member in accord with the rules prescribed if the Speaker of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw informed the Pyithu Hluttaw that member, without asking permission from the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, has failed to attend a session of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw for 15 days in a row
- The Amyotha Hluttaw may declare the seat of a member vacant in accord with the rules prescribed if he is absent, without asking the Pyithu Hluttaw for leave, from a session for 15 days in a row. In computing the absence for 15 days from a session of the Amyotha Hluttaw, the postponed period of the session shall not be included.
 - (2) The Amyotha Hluttaw shall take action against a member in accord with the rules prescribed if $the\,Speaker\,of\,the\,Pyidaungsu\,Hluttaw\,informed$ the Amyotha Hluttaw that member, without asking permission from the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, has failed to attend a session of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw for 15 days in a row.
- (a) The Pyithu Hluttaw has the power to act despite some vacancies in the membership. Furthermore, any functions in the Hluttaw shall be valid notwithstanding that it is exposed subsequently that an entitled person attended a session, voted, or took part in the functions
- (b) The Amyotha Hluttaw has the power to act despite some vacancies in the membership. Furthermore, any functions in the Hluttaw shall be valid notwithstanding that it is exposed subsequently that an entitled person attended a session, voted, or took part in the function.
- (a) The activities and records of the Pyithu Hluttaw shall be released for the knowledge of the people. However, the activities and records that shall be restricted under an act or the order of the Pyithu Hluttaw shall not be released (b) The activities and records of the Amyotha Hluttaw shall be released for the knowledge of the people. However, the activities and records that shall be restricted under an act or the order of the Pyithu Hluttaw shall not be released

In connection with the legislative of the Pyithu Hluttaw and Amyotha Hluttaw, the following detailed basic principle should be laid down:

- (a) Except the matters prescribed in the constitution that must be submitted to and judged only at the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, with respect to the remaining matters prescribed in the Union Legislation List, bills should be submitted initially to the Pyithu Hluttaw
- (b) Except the matters prescribed in the constitution that must be submitted to and judged only at the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, with respect to the remaining matters prescribed in the Union Legislation List, bills should be submitted initially to the Amyotha Hluttaw.

Regarding bylaws, rules and regulations enacted under a law, the points-

Pvithu Hluttaw

- (a) After issuing a bylaw, rule or regulation in line with the law enacted by the Pvidaungsu Hluttaw, the organ concerned shall distribute the bylaw, rule or regulation to the Pyithu Hluttaw members at the nearest regular session of Pyithu Hluttaw under the arrangements permitted by the Speaker of the Pvithu Hluttaw.
- (b) If it is found that a bylaw, rule or regulation is not in conformity with the provisions of the law concerned, Hluttaw members can submit a proposal to annul or amend the bylaw, rule or regulation to the Pyithu Hluttaw within 90 days from the date that bylaw, rule or regulation is circulated.

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(c) If the Pyithu Hluttaw and the Amyotha Hluttaw do not reach a consensus in making a decision to annul or amend a bylaw, rule or regulation, it shall be presented to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw.

Amyotha Hluttaw

- (a) After issuing a bylaw, rule or regulation in line with the law enacted by the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, the organ concerned shall distribute the bylaw, rule or regulation to the Amyotha Hluttaw members at the nearest regular session of Amyotha Hluttaw under the arrangements permitted by the Speaker of the Amyotha Hluttaw.
- (b) If it is found that a bylaw, rule or regulation is not in conformity with the provisions of the law concerned, Hluttaw members can submit a proposal to annul or amend the bylaw, rule or regulation to the Amyotha Hluttaw within 90 days from the date that bylaw, rule or regulation is circulated.
- (c) If the Amyotha Hluttaw and the Pyithu Hluttaw do not reach a consensus in making a decision to annul or amend a bylaw, rule or regulation, it shall be presented to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw.

are proper, so they should be adopted as detailed basic principles.

Regarding the submission of bills to the Pyithu Hluttaw and the Amyotha Hluttaw, the points-

Pvithu Hluttaw

- (a) If the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw sends the bills submitted by a Union level organization formed under the Constitution to the Pyithu Hluttaw in accordance with prescribed provisions, they shall be presumed that the bills are initiated in the Pyithu Hluttaw and shall be discussed and passed resolution in the Pyithu Hluttaw.
- (b) Of the matters stated in the Union Legislation List, except the matters prescribed in the Constitution for which bills shall be submitted to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw to make a decision, members of the Pyithu Hluttaw have the right to initiate the bills related to the remaining matters in the Pyithu Hluttaw. Such bills shall be under discussion at the Pyithu Hluttaw in line with the prescribed provisions.
- (c) The bills approved by the Pyithu Hluttaw shall be forwarded to the Amyotha Hluttaw for holding discussions and making a decision.

Amyotha Hluttaw

- (b) (1) If the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw sends the bills submitted by a Union level organization formed under the Constitution to the Amyotha Hluttaw in accordance with prescribed provisions, they shall be presumed that the bills are initiated in the Amyotha Hluttaw and shall be discussed and passed resolution in the Amyotha Hluttaw.
- (2) Of the matters stated in the Union Legislation List, except the matters prescribed in the Constitution for which bills shall be submitted to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw to make a decision, members of the Amyotha Hluttaw have the right to initiate the bills related to the remaining matters in the Amyotha Hluttaw. Such bills shall be under discussion at the Amyotha Hluttaw in line with the prescribed provisions.
- (3) The bills approved by the Amyotha Hluttaw shall be forwarded to the Pyithu Hluttaw for holding discussions and making a decision.

are proper, so they should be adopted as detailed basic principle.

Regarding the right of a Hluttaw after receiving a bill sent by another Hluttaw, the points-

Pvithu Hluttaw

- (a) After receiving a bill sent by the Amyotha Hluttaw, the Pyithu Hluttaw can make a decision that it agrees or disagrees, or agrees with amendments. The Pyithu Hluttaw shall return the bill together with its decision to the Amyotha Hluttaw.
- (b) When the Amyotha Hluttaw returns the bill, sent by the Pyithu Hluttaw to the Amyotha Hluttaw, with amendments, the Pyithu Hluttaw shall forward the bill to the Speaker of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw if it accepts the amendments of the Amyotha Hluttaw.
- (c) The Pyithu Hluttaw shall seek the decision of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw if it disagrees with the Amyotha Hluttaw in dealing with the bill sent by the Pyithu Hluttaw to the Amyotha Hluttaw.

Amyotha Hluttaw

- (a) After receiving a bill sent by the Pyithu Hluttaw, the Amyotha Hluttaw can make a decision that it agrees or disagrees, or agrees with amendments. The Amyotha Hluttaw shall return the bill together with its decision to the Pyithu Hluttaw.
- (b) When the Pyithu Hluttaw returns the bill, sent by the Amyotha Hluttaw to the Pyithu Hluttaw, with amendments, the Amyotha Hluttaw shall forward the bill to the

Speaker of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw if it accepts the amendments of the Pyithu Hluttaw.

(c) The Amyotha Hluttaw shall seek the decision of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw if it disagrees with the Pyithu Hluttaw in dealing with the bill sent by the Pyithu Hluttaw to the Amyotha Hluttaw

are proper, so they should be adopted as detailed basic principles.

Regarding the points the Work Committee Chairman explained that the right of members representing a Union level body formed under the Constitution to hold discussions at sessions of the Pyithu Hluttaw or the Amyotha Hluttaw, and sessions of Hluttaw committee, commission and joint committee of the two Hluttaws-

Pvithu Hluttaw

- Members of a Union level body formed under the Constitution shall have the right—
- (a) to explain and discuss the bills and other matters of their bodies while attending a session of the Pyithu Hluttaw with the permission of the Speaker of the Pyithu Hluttaw
- (b) to explain and discuss the bills and other matters of their bodies while attending sessions of the committee, commission and bodies of the Pyithu Hluttaw with the permission of the heads of these committee, commission and bodies

Amvotha Hluttaw

Members of a Union level body formed under the Constitution shall have the right —

- (a) to explain and discuss the bills and other matters of their bodies while attending a session of the Amyotha Hluttaw with the permission of the Speaker of the Amyotha Hluttaw
- (b) to explain and discuss the bills and other matters of their bodies while attending sessions of the committee, commission and bodies of the Amyotha Hluttaw with the permission of the heads of these committee, commission and bodies are proper, so they should be adopted as detailed basic principles.

Regarding the rights of the Pyithu Hluttaw Speaker and the Amyotha Hluttaw Speaker, the points-

Pyithu Hluttaw

The Speaker of the Pyithu Hluttaw shall have the

- (a) to supervise sessions of the Pyithu Hluttaw
- (b) to invite the President of the Union if he informs his desire to deliver a speech at a session of the Pyithu
- (c) to invite members or persons representing a Union level body formed under the Constitution to a session of the Pyithu Hluttaw if necessary for a matter under way at a session of the Pyithu Hluttaw
- (d) to discharge other duties and functions prescribed under the Constitution or a law

Amyotha Hluttaw

- The Speaker of the Amyotha Hluttaw shall have the right
 - (a) to supervise sessions of the Amyotha Hluttaw
- (b) to invite the President of the Union if he informs he wishes to deliver a speech at a session of the Amyotha Hluttaw
- (c) to invite members or persons representing a Union level body formed under the Constitution to a session of the Amyotha Hluttaw if necessary for a matter under way at a session of the Amyotha Hluttaw
- (d) to discharge other duties & functions prescribed under Constitution or a law

are proper, so they should be adopted as detailed basic principles.

Regarding the privileges of members of the Pyithu Hluttaw and the Amyotha Hluttaw, vesting the privileges in a member representing a body formed under the Constitution, or the privileges of a member or person invited, and privileges of a member of a commission or body formed by the Hluttaw, the points-

Pyithu Hluttaw

- (a) Members of the Pyithu Hluttaw shall have the freedom of speech and vote in the Pyithu Hluttaw and the committee of the Pyithu Hluttaw, subject to the provisions of the Constitution and the Pyithu Hluttaw. No action shall be taken against such persons for their speeches, except under the law of Pyithu Hluttaw.
- (b) Members or persons representing a Union level body formed under the Constitution who are permitted to attend or invited to a session of the Pyithu Hluttaw or a committee of the Pyithu Hluttaw shall have the freedom of speech in the Pyithu Hluttaw or the committees of the Pyithu Hluttaw, subject to the provisions of the Constitution and the Pyithu Hluttaw. No action shall be taken against such persons for their speeches, except under the law of Pyithu Hluttaw.

(c) Action shall be taken against those members stated in sub-paras (a) and (b) in accordance with the existing laws if they make physical assault in enjoying the privileges.

Amyotha Hluttaw

- (a) Members of the Amyotha Hluttaw shall have freedom of speech and vote in the Amyotha Hluttaw and the committee of the Amyotha Hluttaw, subject to the provisions of the Constitution and the Amyotha Hluttaw. No action shall be taken against such persons for their speeches, except under the law of Amyotha Hluttaw.
- (b) Members or persons representing a Union level body formed under the Constitution who are permitted to attend or invited to a session of the Amyotha Hluttaw or a committee of the Amyotha Hluttaw shall have the freedom of speech in the Amyotha Hluttaw or the committees of the Amyotha Hluttaw, subject to the provisions of the Constitution and the Amyotha Hluttaw. No action shall be taken against such persons for their speeches, except under the law of Amyotha Hluttaw.
- (c) Action shall be taken against those members stated in sub-paragraphs (a) and (b) in accordance with the existing laws if they make physical assault in enjoying the privileges.

are proper, so they should be adopted as detailed basic principles.

Regarding the methods to be taken when need arises to arrest a member of the Pyithu Hluttaw or the Amyotha Hluttaw or a member of commission and bodies formed by a Hluttaw, the points,

Pyithu Hluttaw

- (a) If there arises a need to arrest a Pyithu Hluttaw member attending a Pyithu Hluttaw session or a person attending the Pyithu Hluttaw session with the permission or at the invitation of the Pyithu Hluttaw Speaker, the reliable evidence shall be submitted to the Pyithu Hluttaw Speaker. He shall not be arrested without prior permission of the Pyithu Hluttaw Speaker.
- (b) If there arises a need to arrest a member of a committee or commission or organization formed by the Pyithu Hluttaw attending a session of the committee or commission or organization, the reliable evidence shall be submitted to the Pyithu Hluttaw Speaker through the head of the committee or commission or organization concerned. He shall not be arrested without prior permission of the Pyithu Hluttaw Speaker.
- (c) If there arises a need to arrest a member of Pyithu Hluttaw or committee, commission or organization when the Pyithu Hluttaw or the committee or the commission or the organization is not in session, reliable evidence in support of such arrest shall promptly be submitted to the Pyithu Hluttaw Speaker.

Amyotha Hluttaw

- (a) (1) If there arises a need to arrest a Amyotha Hluttaw member attending a Amyotha Hluttaw session or a person attending the Amyotha Hluttaw session with the permission or at the invitation of the Amyotha Hluttaw Speaker, the reliable evidence shall be submitted to the Amyotha Hluttaw Speaker. He shall not be arrested without prior permission of the Amyotha Hluttaw Speaker.
- (b) If there arises a need to arrest a member of a committee or commission or organization formed by the Amyotha Hluttaw attending a session of the committee or commission or organization, the reliable evidence shall be submitted to the Amyotha Hluttaw Speaker thorough the head of the committee or commission or organization concerned. He shall not be arrested without prior permission of the Amyotha Hluttaw Speaker.
- (c) If there arises a need to arrest a member of Amyotha Hluttaw or committee, commission or organization when the Amyotha Hluttaw or the committee or the commission or the organization is not in session, reliable evidence in support of such arrest shall promptly be submitted to the Amyotha Hluttaw Speaker.

are proper, so they should be adopted as detailed basic

Regarding the reports and documents published by the Pyithu Hluttaw and the Amyotha Hluttaw or under its authority, the points-

Pyithu Hluttaw

(a) The reports, publications and records published by the Pyithu Hluttaw or under its authority shall be privileged.

Amyotha Hluttaw

(b) The reports, publications and records published by the Amyotha Hluttaw or under its authority shall be privileged.

are proper, so they should be adopted as detailed basic principles.

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- Crush all internal and external destructive elements as the common enemy

CLAIMS DAY NOTICE M.V. YANGON STAR VOY: NO (395)

Consignees of cargo carried on M.V. YANGON STAR VOY NO (395) are hereby notified that the vessel will be arriving on 6.1.06 and cargo will be discharged into the permises of M.I.T.T where it will lie at the consignee's risk and expenses and subject to the byelaws and conditions of the Port of Yangon.

Damaged cargo will be surveyed daily from 8 am to 11:20 am and 12 noon to 4 pm up to Claims Day now declared as the third day after final discharge of cargo from the Vessel.

No claims against this vessel will be admitted after the Claims Day.

Shipping Agency Department Myanma Port Authority Agent for: M/S EAGLE SHIPPING CORPORATION Phone No: 256908/378316/376797

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Internet service on boats in Bangladesh

Dнака.4Jan — Shidhulai Swanirvar Sangstha (SSS), an innovative organization in Bangladesh, has been imparting education on information technology to the deprived and poor people in North Bengal on 12 boats equipped with computers with Internet service, mobile phones and libraries.

The organization has been carrying out such activities for the last two years. It has recently won the Access to Learning Award-2005 of Gates Foundation in recognition of their innovative work. They received the prize worth about one million US dollars from the foundation.

Sources was quoted by the local newspaper The Daily Star Tuesday as saying, the organization provided education on information technology to 86,500 families in north Bengal in 2004.

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Weather Map of Myanmar and Neighbouring Area:

WEATHER

Thursday, 5 January, 2006

Summary of observations recorded at 09:30 hours MST: During the past 24 hours, except for the isolated light rain in Taninthayi Division and weather has been generally fair in the whole country. Night temperatures were (3°C) to (4°C) below normal in Eastern Shan State, upper Sagaing and Yangon Divisions, (3°C) to (4°C) above normal in Mon State and Taninthayi Division and about normal in the remaining areas. The significant night temperatures were Haka, Mogok and Pinlaung (2°C) each, Namsam and Heho (3°C) each and Kengtung (5°C). The noteworthy amount of rainfall recorded was Myeik (0.20) inch.

Maximum temperature on 4-1-2006 was 90°F. Minimum temperature on 5-1-2006 was 58°F. Relative humidity at 09:30 hrs MST on 5-1-2006 was 78%. Total sunshine hours on 4-1-2006 was (8.4) hours approx.

Rainfalls on 5-1-2006 were nil at Mingaladon, Kaba-Aye and central Yangon. Total rainfalls since 1-1-2006 were nil at Mingaladon, Kaba-Aye and central Yangon. Maximum wind speed at Yangon (Kaba-Aye) was (4) mph from North at (11:20) hours MST on 4-1-2006.

Bay inference: Weather is partly cloudy in the South Bay and generally fair elsewhere in the Bay of Bengal

Forecast valid until evening of 6-1-2006: Isolated light rain are likely in Taninthayi Division, weather will be partly cloudy in Rakhine and Mon States and generally fair in the remaining areas. Degree of certainty is (60%).

State of the sea: Seas will be slight to moderate in Myanmar waters.

Outlook for subsequent two days: Likelihood of slight decrease of nitht temperatures in the Northern Myanmar areas.

Forecast for Yangon and neighbouring area for 6-1-2006: Fair weather.

Forecast for Mandalay and neighbouring area for 6-1-2006: Fair weather.

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Friday, 6 January View on today

7:00 am

1. Recitation of Parittas by Missionary Sayadaw U Ottamathara

7:25 am 2. To be healthy exercise

7:30 am

3. Morning news 7:40 am

4. သသာရှိအေ 7:50 am

5. လှုပ်ရှားပုံပြင် စိတ်ဖျော်ရွှင် 8:00 am 6. အတီးပြိုင်ပွဲ

8:10 am 7. The mirror images of the musical oldies

8:20 am 8. ကျောက်တစ်လုံးရေကူ ရေလှောင်တမဲ

8:30 am 9. International news 8:45 am

10. English for Everyday Use

4:00 pm 1. Martial song 4:15 pm

2. Songs to uphold National Spirit

4:30 pm 3. Musical programme 4:45 pm

4. အဝေးသင်တက္ကသိုလ်ပညာရေး ရုပ်မြင်သံကြား သင်ခန်းစာ တတိယနစ် (ဓာတုဗေဒအထူးပြု) (ဓာတဗေဒ)

5:00 pm 5. Song of national

races 5:15 pm 6. အကပြိုင်ပွဲ

5:25 pm 7. "လှေခါးသုံးထစ် ဆင်းတဲ့အခါ' (အရိုင်း၊ မင်းသူ၊ အေးသီတာ၊) (ဒါရိုက်တာ–သိန်းဟန်(ဖီးနှစ်)

5:30 pm 8. Musical programme 5:35 pm

9. စစ်ကိုင်းတိုင်း၊ မြင်းမူမြို့နယ်၊ ထီးဆောင်းကျေးရွာ ဓမ္မစကြာ ဝတ်အသင်း၏ ဓမ္မစကြာ

ဒေသနာတော်အမေးအဖြေ 5:40 pm

10. The great voyages of Zhang He 6:00 pm 11. Evening news

6:30 pm 12. Weather report

6:35 pm 13. သုတစုံလင် ရွှေဉာဏ်ရှင် 7:15 pm

14. Song of yesteryears 7:35 am

15.**အချုပ်အခြာအာဏာ မွန်.ရှည်** ကြာ **ခိုင်မာစေမှု ဒို့ရေ့ရှ** "မြန်မာ့အားမာန် ဆည်တမဲ" 8:00 pm

16. News

17. International news

18. Weather report

19. ရှစ်မြင်သံကြားဧာတ်လမ်း ီရအောင်ယူမြဲအောင်ထိန်း" (ထွန်းထွန်းဝင်း၊ ညီညီနေနိုင်၊ ဆုမြတ်ရွှေစင်၊ သူသူဟံသာ) (ဒါရိုက်တာ–သက်တင်)

20 မင်းကွန်းဆရာတော်ဘုရားကြီး ဦးဝိစိတ္ကသာရာဘိဝသ၏ အရပ်ဆယ်မျက်နှာ မေတ္တာ ဘာဝနာပွားများခြင်း တရားတော်

21. The next day's programme

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Delegate groups submit suggestions on detailed basic principles for legislation of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, Pyithu Hluttaw, Amyotha Hluttaw, and Region and State Hluttaws to the Plenary Session of the National Convention



Members of panel of chairmen seen at the ongoing National Convention in Pyidaungsu Hall of Nyaunghnapin Camp. — MNA

Yangon, 5 Jan — The Plenary Session of the National Convention continued at Pyidaungsu Hall of Nyaunghnapin Camp in Hmawby Township, Yangon Division, at 9 am today.

It was attended by Chairman of the National Convention Convening Commission Secretary-1 of the State Peace and Development Council Lt-Gen Thein Sein and Commission members, Chairman of the National Convention Convening Work Committee Chief Justice U Aung Toe and Work Committee members, Chairman of the National Convention Convening Management Committee Auditor-General Mai-Gen Lun Maung and Management Committee members, chairmen and officials of the respective subcommittees, delegates of National Unity Party, Union Pa-O National Organization, Mro (or) Khami National Solidarity Organization, Lahu National Development Party, Union Kayin League, Kokang Democracy and Unity Party, and Wa National Development Party, representatives-elect of National Unity Party and Mro (or) Khami National Solidarity Organization, independent representativeselect, delegates of national races from Kachin, Kayah, Kayin, Chin, Mon, Rakhine, Shan State (South), Shan State (North), and Shan State (East), Sagaing, Taninthayi, Bago, Magway, Mandalay, Yangon and Ayeyawady Divisions, delegates of peasants from Kachin, Kayah, Kayin, Chin, Mon, Rakhine, Shan State (South), Shan State(North), and Shan

State (East), Sagaing, Taninthayi, Bago, Magway, Mandalay, Yangon and Avevawady Divisions, delegates of intellectuals and intelligentsia and delegates of workers from Kachin, Kayah, Mon, Kayin, Chin, Rakhine, Shan State (South), Shan State (North), and Shan State (East), Sagaing, Taninthayi, Bago, Magway, Mandalay, Yangon and Ayeyawady Divisions,

delegates of State service personnel from the State Peace and Development Council Office, the President's Office, the Pvithu Hluttaw Office, the Government Office, the Supreme Court, the Attorney-General's Office, the Auditor-General's Office. the Multi-party Democracy General Election Commission Office, the Office of Civil Service Selection and Training Board, the Yangon City

Development Committee, the Mandalay City Development Committee, and ministries concerned, other invited delegates, delegates of national race groups that have returned to the legal fold and exchanged arms for peace.

Before the Plenary Session of the National Convention at 7.30 am, Chairman of the NCCC Secretary-1 Lt-Gen Thein Sein and Commission members, NCC Work Committee Chairman Chief Justice U Aung Toe and Work Committee members, NCC Management Committee Chair-

Auditor-General Maj-Gen Lun Maung and Management Committee members, chairmen of sub-committees, officials, delegates of political parties, representatives-elect, delegates of national races, delegates of peasants, delegates of workers, delegates of intellectuals and intelligentsia, delegates of State service personnel, and other invited delegates signed in the attendance books at the Pyidaungsu Hall and recreation hall for the delegates.

U San Tha Aung of Delegate Group of (See page 9)

Proposals to be published

Yangon, 5 Jan — Proposals on detailed basic principles for legistation of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw, Pyuthu Hluttaw, Amyotha Hluttaw, and Region or State Hluttaws made by Representatives-elect Dr Hmu Htan of Thantlang Township constitutency of Chin State, U Aung Thein of Ywangan Township constituency of Shan State (South) and U Tun Kyaw of Namhsan constituency of Shan State (North), U Shi Thi of Sagaing Division, Daw San San Htay of Ayeyawady Division, U Pyay Lay of Chin State, Daw Aye Cho Sein of Shan State (South), Daw Khin Lay Myint of Mon State, and U Sai Thein Aung of Kachin State, U Min Lun Maung of Mon State, U Saw Lin Aung of Bago Division and U Myint Kyaw of Mandalay Division will be published in this newapaper. - MNA



The Plenary Session of the National Convention in progress at Pyidaungsu Hall of Nyaunghnapin Camp.— MNA