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Chairman of State Administration Council Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services presses the ceremonial button to unveil the plague of Submarine (Minye Kyaw Htin)

Chairman of State Administration Council Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services Senior General Min Aung Hlaing attended the commissioning of naval vessels including submarine (Min Ye Kyaw Htin) in commemoration of 74th Anniversary of Myanmar Navy held at No.3 Naval Wharf in Yangon.

The Tatmadaw (Navy) founded on 24 December 1947 has reached its 74th Anniversary today. A ceremony to commission naval vessels including the submarine (Min Ye Kyaw Htin) into service in commemoration of the 74th Anniversary of Tatmadaw (Navy) took place today, attended by Chairman of State Administration Council Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services Senior General Min Aung Hlaing.

According to the agenda of the event, Chief of Staff (Navy) Vice-Admiral Zwe Win Myint explained the salient points of the naval vessels to be commissioned. Then, the Commander-in-Chief (Navy) Admiral

Moe Aung presented the scale model of the vessels to Senior General Min Aung Hlaing as a gesture of honour in commemoration of the commissioning ceremony. After the different phases of the ceremonial procession including the declaration of the commissioning of the naval vessels by the Chief of Staff (Navy), the Senior General unveiled the name (Min Ye Kyaw Htin) of the submarine by pushing the button. He then visited the ship and presented the badge of honour of the Commander-in-Chief to its captain.

Afterwards, the Senior General and party inspected the commissioned naval vessels: the submarine (Min Ye Kyaw Htin), one offshore craft, two river patrol boats, and two fast river patrol boats. Officials conducted them round the vessels.

After the naval vessels Yan Taing Aung and Yan Gyi Aung gave a 21-gun salute to the Senior General. Later led by Frigate Aung Zeya, Frigate UMS Kyan Sit



Four naval vessels commissioned into service on the occasion of the 74th anniversary of Myanmar Navy

Tha, Frigate UMS Sinphyushin, corvette UMS Tabin Shwe Hti and fast-attack crafts saluted the Senior General in Single Line Formation; and fast patrol boats in Diamond Formation.

After the Senior General presented badges of honour and gifts to the officers and other ranks of the naval vessels that took part in the naval show and officers and other ranks who took part in building the commissioned ships through the officials, gave an honorary speech:

- The ceremony is the 74th anniversary of Myanmar Navy as well as the occasion to commission the naval vessels including the second submarine of the Myanmar Navy. It is also a day which reinforces the Myanmar Navy with considerable power.
- In accord with the goal of the first phase, Myanmar Navy is being developed into a 'Three Dimensional Combat Ready

Navy' that can protect the special economic zone of Myanmar seas well. The task is being carried out in accord with the aim of setting up a submarine arm, building naval vessels as reinforcements, and providing more qualified human resources.

- Human resources development programs for establishing a submarine force have been set up and carried out through training since the administration of former Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services Senior General Than Shwe. Thanks to those programs, the Navy is ready to set up a submarine arm.
- Naval shipyards were upgraded to reinforce the Navy with new ships. 88 ships built by those shipyards were commissioned during the period from 2011 to 2021. If today's commissioned ships are added, the total will be 94.



Submarine Minye Kyaw Htin which was commissioned into service

- Continued efforts will be made to further improve the capability of every ship as the Navy needs to enhance the combat power of its ships.
- In connection with human resources development, deck officers, deck crew and engine crew are trained while scholars are sent to other countries to study navy architecture, which is concerned with ship designs, and ship construction in practical fields with the aim of improving their skills.
- As combined arms trainings of army, navy and air force as well as joint military exercises with armed forces from other countries are conducted.
- As the Myanmar Navy has trained not only male personnel but also female officers and crew members, who are assigned duties on ships, human resources development has improved to some extent.
- As defence services personnel are required to discharge duties at any time and place under any weather conditions, it is important for them to be fit and healthy physically. Taking part in exercises during discharging regular duties on ships can contribute to performance of duties at sea.
- During the efforts to overcome the third wave of COVID-19, the Myanmar Naval personnel bravely discharged duties to transport vaccines, medicines and other needs including oxygen for the public to coastal areas and remote and inaccessible areas in the Ayeyawady Delta, which has to rely on waterway alone, by using vessels of Myanmar Navy, I would like to appreciate their efforts.
- Personnel are required to take security of the unit where they are discharging duties, the Tatmadaw and the country they live in into consideration with self-consciousness.
- The primary duty of Myanmar Navy is to protect natural marine resources rich in Myanmar's waters, defend any threats of maritime incursion and ensure security and safety of 'Ocean Based Economy'.



Chairman of State Administration Council Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services inspecting the Guard of Honour

- Although Submarine Min Ye Kyaw Htin commissioned into service today is mainly assigned training duty, it will be able to discharge operation duties if necessary. Therefore, it is necessary to effectively and gainfully use Submarine Min Ye Kyaw Htin not only for training duties but also for the measures to protect the nation's territorial waters.
- The river-going patrol boats could be used for transport duty in the river and built as a multiple-purpose vessel to be able to quickly move with good agility in operations in the river.
- The Senior General then praised all the officials and other ranks of Myanmar Navy who discharged duties to build

such military vessels and praised their performance.

Then, the Senior General and wife cut the ribbon to open the Exhibition to mark the 74th Anniversary of Myanmar Navy, signed in the record book to mark the anniversary and took a tour of the exhibition. Next, the Senior General enjoyed the performance of the Tatmadaw (Navy) Military Band and dance troupe and presented bonus cash to them.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (25-12-2021)

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Chairman of State Administration Council Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services received miniature naval vessels to mark the ceremony of commissioning into service presented by the Commander-in-Chief (Navy)

- **Myanmar Navy is being developed into a ‘Three Dimensional Combat Ready Navy’ and the task is being carried out in accord with the aim of setting up a submarine arm, building naval vessels as reinforcements, and providing more qualified human resources.**
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Photos of Naval Vessels of Myanmar Navy in Formation Saluting to Chairman of State Administration Council Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services



Female officers/ranks serving in Myanmar Navy



Chairman of State Administration Council Prime Minister Senior General Min Aung Hlaing Inspects Myanmar Maritime University



Chairman of the State Administration Council Prime Minister Senior General Min Aung Hlaing, accompanied by Council members, senior military officers from the Office of the Commander-in-Chief, the Chief Minister of Yangon Region, the commander of Yangon Command, the mayor and officials, inspected the Myanmar Maritime University under the Ministry of Transport and Communications in Thanlyin Township of Yangon Region on 24 December.

At the meeting hall, the Member of the State Administration Council Union Minister for Transport and Communications and the rector of Myanmar Maritime University reported to the Chairman of the State Administration Council Prime Minister on implementation of the assigned missions and participation of the university in the state projects. After hearing the reports, the Chairman of the State Administration Council Prime Minister said that:

- Myanmar Maritime University is a major university which turns out the maritime professionals who are important in

local and international maritime transport.

- The port management is important for the development of the nation, and it is necessary to continue for undertaking the construction of ports which meet international standards.
- As the waterway transport is able to transport a large number of goods with cheap transport charges, Ayeyawady, Thanlwin, Chindwin and Sittaung rivers in the country are to be employed well.
- The port management is important in the maritime transport sector, and hence, it is necessary to study management subjects through modern technologies being applied internationally.
- It is required to give qualified practical exercises effectively to the students for emerging the outstanding ship builders.
- The ship building professionals graduated from the university need to lead the ship building processes at the existing shipyards in Myanmar.



Chairman of State Administration Council, Prime Minister Briefing the Responsible Officials

- The graduates from the university need to try hard to be professionals, having more expert knowledge and keeping abreast of those from the international community.
- In order to be a university which keeps abreast of the international community, further faculty members, buildings and teaching aids will be provided.
- It is necessary to make the development of social lives from the basic for the students, creating good environments, and moreover efforts must be made for providing assistance to them to stand on their own when they complete their training.
- It is necessary to encourage the students to read the books which support for teaching and make modern studies through digital technology.
- It is required to attempt to become model universities in international arena, ful-

filling the needs not only for ordinary university education but also for accommodation, security and foods for the students.

The Chairman of the State Administration Council Prime Minister and party inspected the academic, management, and quality scrutiny office of the university and library, and then they also viewed round the training activities to the students for the skillful operation of engines and related materials as well as solving of emergency situation at the Full Mission Engine Room Simulator Department.

Myanmar Maritime University has been conducting the undergraduate courses, the postgraduate diploma courses and master's degree in engineering courses, and moreover the university has turned out a total of 4,137 graduates, 1,052 postgraduate diploma holders and 17 ME graduates from 2007 to 2020.

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SAC Chairman Prime Minister Senior General Min Aung Hlaing Inaugurated the Upgraded Thanlyin Glass Factory



The opening ceremony of the upgraded Thanlyin glass factory in Thanlyin township of Yangon region was held on 24 December. Chairman of the State Administration Council Prime Minister Senior General Min Aung Hlaing attended the ceremony and pressed the button to inaugurate the signboard of Thanlyin Glass Factory. Then, the Senior General ignited and opened the furnace as well as inspected the factory compound together with the attendees to the event.

The Senior General said that using glass bottles can reduce the impacts on the natural environment. The adequate production of glass products can also reduce imports and the spending of foreign currencies. It also creates job opportunities in local and so it should make efforts to get success.

Chairman of the State Administration Council Prime Minister attended the ceremony together with SAC members and the officials, Union Ministers, the Yangon region Chief Minister, the Yangon City Mayor, the officials of MEC and the invitees.

The MEC-owned Thanlyin Glass Factory was built in 1967 and improvements had been made. To reduce the imports of glass bottles from abroad, the factory was upgraded under the guidance of Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services Senior General Min Aung Hlaing in 2018. The currently upgraded Thanlyin glass factory can produce 300 tons of glass a day. As an average of over 400,000 glass bottles can be produced, there will be an enough supply of glass bottles in the country.

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Producing Glass Products in Thanlyin Glass Factory



UEC Discusses Electoral System with Political Parties



The Union Election Commission-UEC organized an meeting on electoral system at the Mingalar Hall of the Yangon Region Government office on 24 December and UEC Chairman U Thein Soe and Officials, ministers of Yangon region Government, Attorney General of Yangon region, the representatives of political parties and other interesting people attended the meeting.

During the meeting, UEC Chairman U Thein Soe stressed the following points:

- The proper electoral design that should be conducted with PR system for Pyithu Hluttaw, Amyotha Hluttaw and Region Hluttaw will be discussed within the boundary of the 2008 Constitution during two days and the papers of PR system resulting from the discussion will be read out on the third day.
- It is necessary to create a level playing field in conducting free and fair elections as well as the compliance with the law must also be emphasized. Only the right and appropriate electoral system and electoral processes will enable the people to elect representatives who represent the majority of people.
- In order to bring about a genuine multi-party democratic system which is the essence of the State Constitution - in conducting the processes of implementing electoral systems, designating electoral constituencies, holding free and fair elections - adoption of PR system will ensure many parties can participate in the legislative and administrative sectors as they secure seats of proportional representatives as per the votes in the general elections.
- By reducing the dominance of a single party in the Hluttaws and paving ways for the participation of other parties, the genuine and disciplined Multiparty Democracy System which is the principle of the 2008 Constitution can be practiced.
- There are 111 countries in total that have practiced the PR system. Therefore, It is required to thoroughly discuss the proper

electoral design which will be appropriate for Pyithu Hluttaw, Amyotha Hluttaw and Region Hluttaws with the PR system the UEC and the political parties discussed and agreed upon.

- A total of 115 people of 62 political parties have been organized into six groups – two groups for Pyithu Hluttaw, two groups for Amyotha Hluttaw and two groups for Region/State Hluttaws. The UEC members and staff will provide necessary assistance in order to facilitate the group discussions.
- It is necessary to take lessons learnt from that past that the attempts of a single political party to forcibly grab the State Power even led to the annulment of the

2020 election results. Then the UEC chairman U Thein Soe urged the attendees to follow the State Constitution in doing party politics; to abide by the existing laws and to implement the proper electoral system that meet culture, customs, and traditions of national races and the country.

It is reported that six groups of political parties continued to discuss the proper election design under the PR system for Pyithu Hluttaw, Amyotha Hluttaw and Region/State Hluttaws and the meeting will be held on 25 and 26 December.

Source: Global New Light of Myanmar Newspaper (25-12-2021)

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Responsible Officials Met with Officers, Ranks and their Family Members from a Local Military Unit who Bravely Retaliated the Attacks of KIA and PDF Terrorists



KIA and so-called PDF terrorists using heavy and small arms attacked a local military unit located in Sarhmaw town area, Mogaung township of Kachin state in the morning of 24 December.

In the incident, about 100 of KIA members and so-called PDF terrorists using heavy and small arms attacked the military unit from the northwest direction of the unit at around 3:00 am, to the east side of the unit around 4:00 am and to the No. (2) gate of the unit around 4:55 am. Due to the retal-

iation attacks of the personnel from the military unit, the KIA members and so-called PDF terrorists retreated leaving some soldiers injured.

It is reported that the Commander of the Northern Regional Command Brigadier General Myat Thet Oo and officials arrived the military unit and met with the officers, ranks and their family members who bravely and decisively repelled the terrorists and provided them foodstuffs and other aids.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (25-12-2021)

- The KIA members and so-called PDF terrorists using heavy and small arms who attacked the military unit. As the personnel from the local military unit retaliated their attack, terrorists retreated leaving some soldiers injured.
- Relevant officials arrived the military unit and met with the officers, ranks and their family members who bravely and decisively repelled the terrorists and provided them foodstuffs and other aids.

KNPP Members and PDF Terrorists Attacked the Passenger Plane Landing at Loikaw Airport using Improvised Rockets



The locations where was attacked by the terrorists using rocket

A flight of the Myanmar National Airlines was attacked with rockets during its landing at Loikaw Airport on 24 December. In the incident, a combined team comprising KNPP members and PDF terrorists taking cover of the residential houses in a ward of Loikaw township to attempted to shoot it down using improvised electrically-triggered 107mm rockets.

The flight with 64 passengers leaving Yangon for Loikaw landed at Loikaw Airport at around 8:35 am. At the moment, a combined group comprising KNPP members and PDF terrorists attacked the passenger aircraft using four 107 mm rockets using improvised launchers from two loca-

tions: near Bardoe village and a cemetery of the village of Loikaw township. The rockets fell and exploded to the east and 2,000 metres to southeast of the airport and no injury and damage were reported.

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So-Called KNPP and PDF Terrorists from Vehicles Launched Attacks on the Security Forces Doing Security Duties in Hpruso Township



Confiscated M-16 Rifle and Hunting Rifles

On 24 December, when security forces taking security measures in Hpruso township of Kayah state attempted to stop the suspected vehicles for necessary inspections, the vehicles did not stop and opened fire to the security forces. Therefore, security forces had to stop the vehicles by shooting and some terrorists were arrested dead along with weapons and ammunition.

- Security force members doing security duties near Muso village of Hpruso township attempted to stop seven various kinds of suspected vehicles driving towards the Muso village for necessary inspections. However, the vehicles did not stop and KNPP mem-
- bers and so-called PDF terrorists using small arms and grenades launched attacks to the security forces forcing the latter to retaliate.
- During the incident, KNPP members, so-called PDF terrorists and some recruits for terrorist training were arrested dead along with one M-16 rifle, one .22 gun, three hunting rifles, seven grenades, 25 rounds of M-16 ammunition, two magazines, camouflage uniforms, and other related items. The seven vehicles carrying petroleum, diesels, foodstuffs for the terrorists forcibly collected from local villages were also destroyed in fire.



IEDs seized at the scene



A .22 Gun and two dead bodies of the terrorists at the scene

According to the accounts of local people, it was also found out that the terrorist group is likely to be the one which fled in disguise in civilian dresses after attacking the passenger aircraft landing the Loikaw Airport in the morning of 24 December using improvised-electrically-triggered rockets.

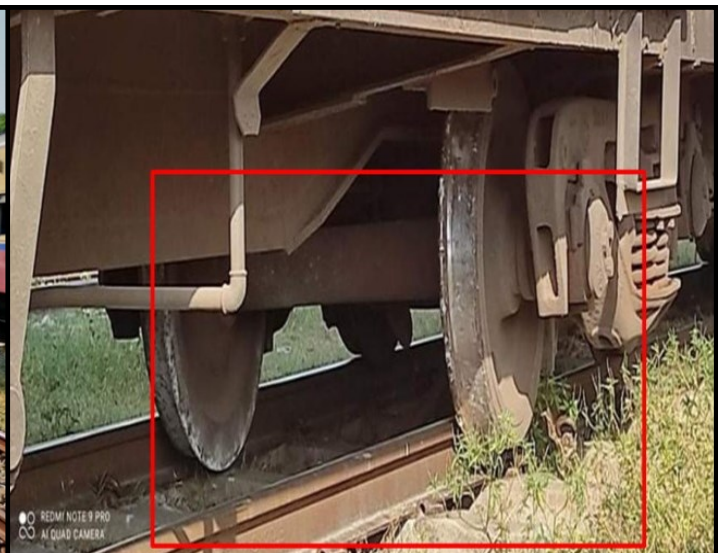
The security forces are doing regular checks on the movement of the vehicles since the KNP members and so-called PDF terrorists wearing civilian dresses in disguise are attacking security forces doing duties for the security of townships, villages and transport infrastructures. In the above-mentioned incident, the terrorists wearing civilian

dresses in disguise hiding weapons in the civilian vehicles launched attacks against the security and ran away. And therefore, security forces had to return fire to stop them. However, some media outlets who want to destroy the State are making fake news and fabrications to portray as if the security forces are killing innocent civilians.

Death cases are opened at relevant police stations for further investigations and security forces speeded up the security measures to ensure the security, peace, and stability of the area.

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So-Called PDF Terrorists Blow Up the Public Railway



The so-called PDF terrorists blew up railway section in Sintgaing township of Mandalay region with the intents to deteriorate the public transports and inflict damages to the innocent people.

- No (1) Yangon-Mandalay uptrain was blown up by a remote mine by so-called PDF terrorists around 9:15 am on 24 December when the train reached between the mile-marks of 373 miles – two furlongs and three furlongs near the Baelin station in Sintgaing township of Mandalay region. Due to the explosion, about two feet of the railway track was dam-

aged, three sleepers were destroyed and two wheels of GBHV 40018 fright wagon derailed. However, no civilian passengers were reported.

As the mail train used by the ordinary people for their livelihood was attacked, the locals and passengers are disgusted by the PDF terrorists. The relevant officials are taking necessary measures to identify and arrest the terrorists who blew up the public railroad to deteriorate the public transports and inflict damages to the innocent people.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (25-12-2021)

- As the so-called PDF terrorists exploded mine to the railway tract, about two feet of the railway track was damaged, three sleepers were destroyed and two wheels of GBHV 40018 fright wagon derailed.

So-Called CRPH, NUG and PDF Terrorists Attacked the Non-Military Targets of Civilian in Myeik Township of Taninthayi Region



The damaged 12-wheeler-truck due to the attack of terrorists

So-called CRPH, NUG and PDF terrorists attacked the non-military and non-combatant targets of innocent civilians for no reason around 6:10 am on 24 December as follows:

- So-called CRPH, NUG and PDF terrorists using remote IEDs and small arms attacked four highway passenger express buses and another one 12-wheeler truck leaving Myeik township at the mile-mark (27) of Myeik-Dawe road near the Pyinphyugyi village of Thayatchaung township.
- Due to the attack, the 12-wheeler truck turned over and the highway passenger express buses were damaged with bullet holes. Moreover, a passenger was killed while other four injured.
- The injured civilian passengers were

taken to the Dawe township Public hospital for necessary treatments.

It is reported that security forces are intensifying the security measures to ensure the safe and peaceful travel of civilians. Moreover, security forces are doing sweeping and blocking the areas to destroy the so-called CRPH, NUG and PDF terrorists who brutally attacked the non-combatant targets of innocent people who are peacefully travelling. Then security forces were also dispatched to the scene to conduct follow-up attacks against the terrorists.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (25-12-2021)

The Passenger Express Damaged by the Attacks of Terrorists



- So-called CRPH, NUG and PDF terrorists using remote IEDs and small arms recklessly attacked four highway passenger express buses and another one 12-wheeler truck leaving Myeik township.
- Due to the attack, the 12-wheeler truck turned over and the highway passenger express buses were damaged with bullet holes. Moreover, a passenger was killed while other four injured.

Terrorists Conducted Arson Attacks on the District Education Office and a School in Some Townships of Sagaing Region



The schools destroyed in fire due to the arson attacks of terrorists

Terrorists, who have envy at peaceful studying of school boys and girls, are conducting arson attacks on the District Education Office and schools. On 23 December,

- Terrorists conducted an arson attack on No (3) Basic Education Post Primary School located in Panpe Yat of Taungpine ward in Katha township of Sagaing region, leaving wall of bamboo matting and 12 of desks and chairs in total of the KG classroom inflicted by fire.
- As terrorists conducted an arson attack on Kalay District Education Office located at the circular road of Sammyo

ward in Kalay township, a 80 x 20 x 28 feet of a brick-building built of concrete flooring/brick partition/zinc roofing was destroyed by fire.

The combined forces, comprised of security forces members and fire-fighters, put out the Kalay District Education Office being on fire triggered by terrorists, using five fire-engines and water tankers, and moreover security forces are conducting in accordance with the law further measures to search and arrest terrorists who inflicted on the District Education Office and the school by torching.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (25-12-2021)

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The district education offices on fire due to the arson attack of terrorist

Security Forces Search and Seize Mines Planted by the so-called PDF Terrorists



The confiscated weapons and ammunition

As the so-called CRPH and NUG terrorist groups and their subordinates of so-called PDF groups are conducting acts of terrorism such as mine attacks on State's buildings, public areas, hospitals, health centres, schools and religion related buildings with the aim of gaining their interests and deteriorating to the peace and stability of the State, security forces are carrying out

necessary security matters and making searches for explosives.

- Security forces found 7 homemade mines being planted at the position near the Watlu village of Mandalay region and 3 homemade mines in front of Basic Education Post Primary School located in Pekhingyi village on 22 December, and deactivated and destroyed them.

Confiscated IEDs and Other Related Materials in occupied Houses and Yards



- As security forces seized 30 different homemade mines, three packages of gunpowder, sacks of scraps of iron, 24 different keypads and related items in houses in which no one is living in the Watlu village.
- Security forces searched for explosives in the vehicle of Hino Dina driven by Wai Phyo Aung, son of U Thein Soe near the Patku village. According to Wai Phyo Aung, further offenders in connection with him were seized with 45 different grenades, 1500 bullet rounds of AK-

47 rifle, 12 magazines, 50 electric detonators and 300 illicit WY labelled tablets.

It is reported that security forces are conducting to arrest those who had conducted acts of terrorism for occurring casualties to public and other offenders in connection with them.

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Suspects of Robbery Case on Insein Overpass Arrested

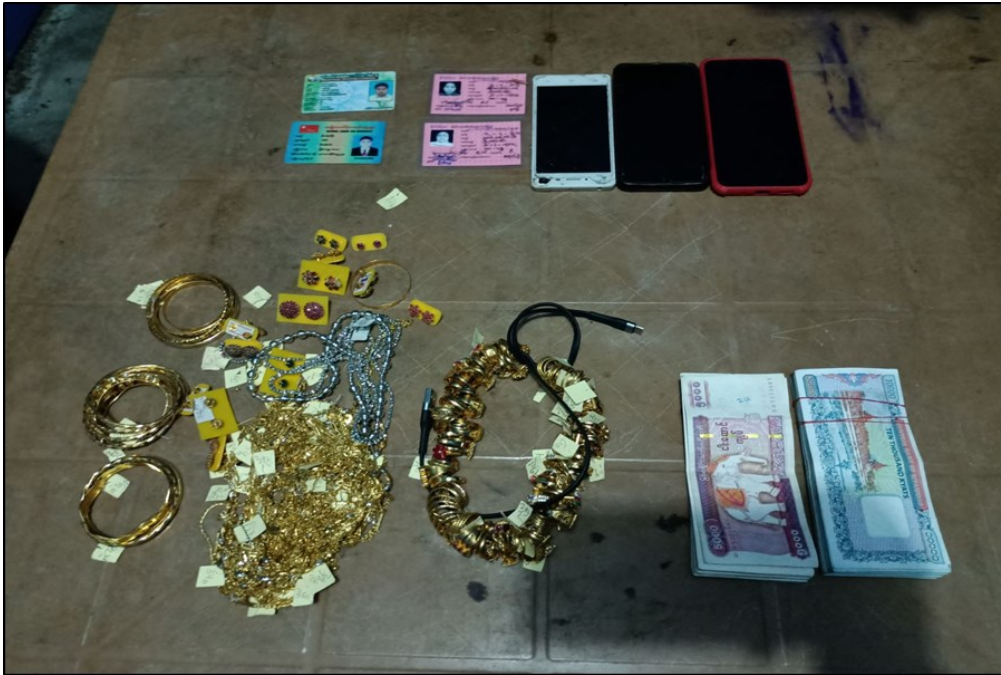


The cash and gold wares seized along with the offender in the Ywarma Anouk ward of Innsein township

On 19 December, U Hnin Ngwe, owner of Kyon Sin Jewellery shop opened in the Insein market of Zaygon Ward in Insein Township, returned to his house together with his wife and son from his shop. When they arrived in the middle of the Insein overpass, a white Probox taxi blocked their way and robbed two handbags contain-

ing four visses and 50 ticals of gold worth of (K720 million) and ran away.

The police investigated to arrest the suspects, and on the evening of 22 December, they seized the Probox car and one homemade bomb on that car at Arkar Kyaw car workshop near Danyingon railway station in Insein township. When they inspect-



The cash and gold wares seized along with the offender in 42 ward of Dagon Myothit (north) township

ed the owner of the car, they arrested Thant Zin Oo, 33 and Aye Aye Han, 43 in No 42 Ward of Dagon Myothi (North) in the evening along with K1,140,000 and 246 various units of goldwares.

According to the confession of the arrested offenders:

- Another suspect was arrested along with K900,000, and 187 various units of goldwares in Ywama (West) Ward of Insein Township.
- Other three suspects were arrested in No (1) ward of North Okkalapa Township together with K13.5 million, 29 various units of goldwares and one Probox taxi.
- Another suspect who was to melt and deform the robbed goldwares was arrested at Kyat Chan Kwin (1) Ward in Mayangon Township.
- Another suspect was arrested along with K900,000, and 31 various units of goldwares in Thamine Myothit ward.
- Two more suspects were also arrested in No 2 Ward of Mayangon Township together with 31 various units of

goldwares and 5,450 WY tablets.

In this case, the police arrested 10 suspects— 7 males and 3 females together with K16,440,000, 284 rings, 87 pairs of earrings, 44 necklaces, 12 hand chains, 67 chains, 23 bracelets, two gold buttons, 5,450 WY tablets and two taxi cars.

It found out that the arrested suspects along with other five suspects who are still at large were shared respective responsibilities such as inspecting the condition of the shop including its opening and closing time; following the vehicle driven by U Hnin Ngwe; blocking and robbing the vehicle; sharing robbed materials; melting and deforming the goldwares.

The arrested suspects committed robbery for their own interests taking advantages on the doings of PDF terrorist groups that intentionally conducted bomb attacks in public areas to threaten the public, killings of innocent people, destroyed CCTVs and Control Box which are installed for security reasons. The suspects robbed the goldwares after using drugs.

Therefore, the people are requested to



The cash and gold wares seized along with the offender in No (1) ward of North Okkalapa township

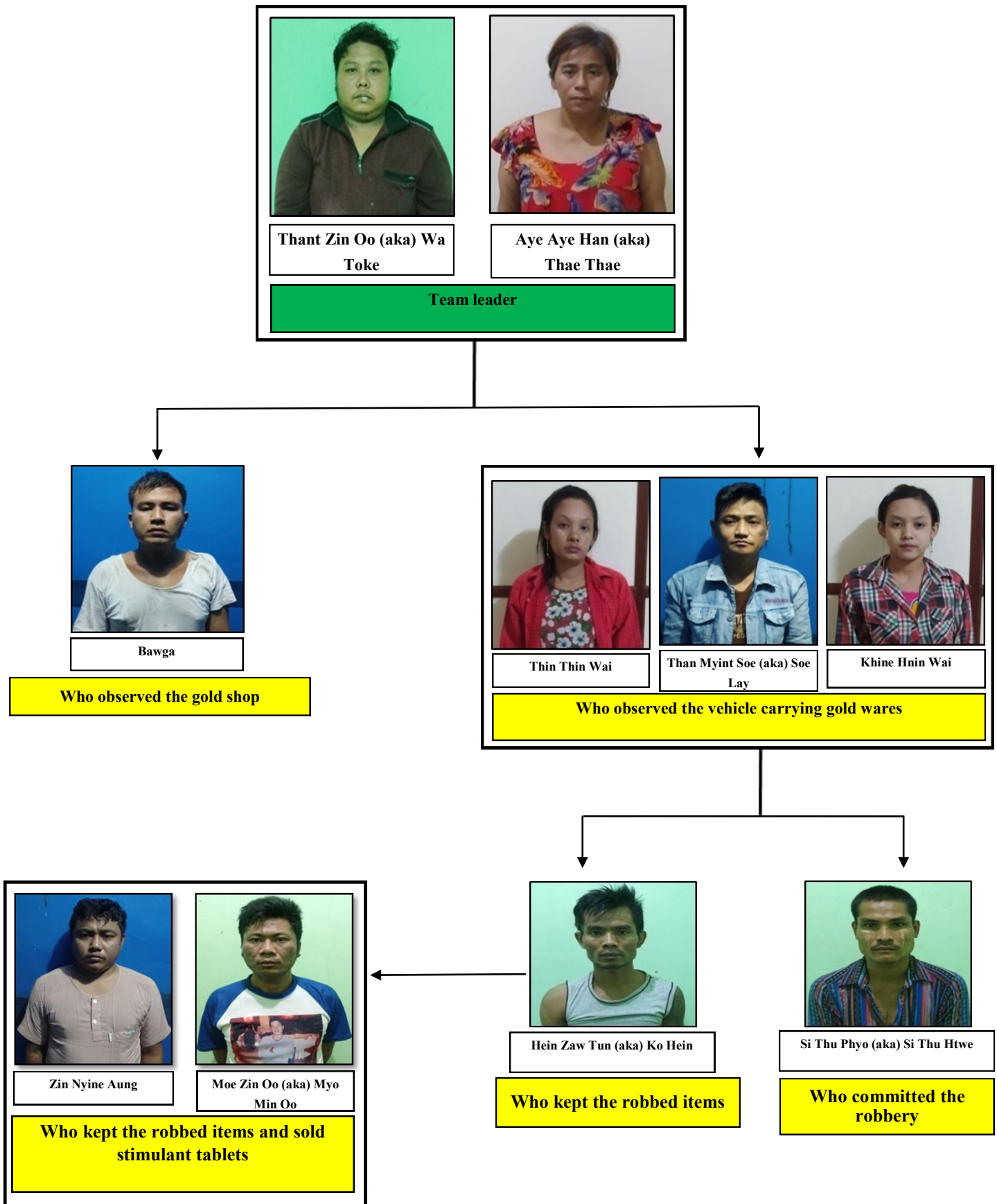
report to the security forces regarding the activities of the offenders at large and the so-called PDF terrorists and those who give information will be awarded covertly. And

moreover, the entire public participation is called for restoring the community peace and stability as early as possible.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (25-12-2021)

- **U Hnin Ngwe, owner of Kyon Sin Jewellery shop opened in the Insein market of Zaygon Ward in Insein Township, returned to his house together with his wife and son from his shop. When they arrived in the middle of the Insein overpass, a white Probox taxi blocked their way and robbed two handbags containing four visses and 50 ticals of gold worth of (K720 million) and ran away.**
- **In this case, the police arrested 10 suspects— 7 males and 3 females together with K16,440,000, 284 rings, 87 pairs of earrings, 44 necklaces, 12 hand chains, 67 chains, 23 bracelets, two gold buttons, 5,450 WY tablets and two taxi cars.**
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The Diagram Showing the Relation of Arrested Offenders Involved in the Robbery Case that Occurred on the Overpass of Insein Township





The vehicle used by the offenders and the grenade found in it



The cash and gold wares seized along with the offender in the Thamine Thit ward of Mayangon township



The cash, gold wares and stimulant tablets seized along with the offender in the No (2) ward of Mayangon township

Arrested Offenders Prosecuted by Military Tribunals and Given Respective Sentences

Zaw Min Oo (aka) Son Yae (aka) Ky-wat and his wife Kyin Kyin Hmway (aka) Pyo Pyo living in Mahabandula road, Shwepyitha township of Yangon region, for committing unlawful activities of actively participating in riotous protests from February to September 2021 and mine explosion attacks by organizing a terrorist group; and Sithu Phyo living in Padauk Shwewar street, Dagon Myothit (Seikkan) township, for contacting with terrorist groups and collecting donation cash to support them, were prosecuted by Military Tribunal and sentenced to ‘life-imprisonment’ under the Section 50 (I) of Counter Terrorism Law on 23 December.

Chit Ko Ko (aka) Nagga, Myo Zin Aung (aka) Ko Myo and Nay Thway were prosecuted by Military Tribunal and sentenced to ‘death penalty’ under the Section

50 (A)/54 of Counter Terrorism Law on 23 December for shooting the security forces and attacking them with IEDs in No (60) ward, Dagon Myothit (Seikkan) township of Yangon region on 9 September.

Regarding the offenders who are still at large, arrest warrants were issued under the Section 87 and 88 of the Code of Criminal Procedures.

23 types of crimes to be adjudicated by Military Tribunal in the townships under Martial Law order has been released as an appendix and effective and prompt legal actions reportedly have been taken against those who committed the crimes.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (25-12-2021)



Offender Zaw Min Oo, Kyin Kyin Mway and Si Thu Phyo
(Life imprisonment)



Offender Chit Ko Ko and Myo Zin Aung (Death penalty)

- **Three offenders were sentenced to ‘life-imprisonment’ under the Section 50 (I) of Counter Terrorism Law for committing violent acts of actively participating in riotous protests, mine explosion attacks by organizing a terrorist group.**
- **Other three offenders were sentenced to ‘death penalty’ under the Section 50 (A)/54 of Counter Terrorism Law on 23 December for shooting the security forces and attacking them with IEDs.**