

# Information Sheet

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## Innocent Locals Return after Fleeing from Armed Conflicts in Lay Kay Kaw



The officials systematically welcoming Displaced Persons who returned their homes

Since security forces arrested the so-called NUG and PDF terrorists hidden around Lay Kay Kaw Myothit in Kayin State, the armed engagement broke out between security forces and the terrorist groups, including the so-called NUG and PDF terrorist groups as well as the group led by some KNU/ KNLA leaders who desire to commit terrorist acts and want to break NCA since 15 December. Therefore, the innocent residents had fled to the other country.

Peace and stability has been restored in that area since 28 December after security forces have controlled the area. Then, a total of 1,708 displaced people; 807 males and 901 females who lived in Ingyin Myaing, Min Let Pan, Mae Htaung Tha Lay and Myitta Lin Myaing villages, returned to their respective areas as security forces made re-invitation to the fled innocent civilians, using loudspeakers in Kayin and Myanmar languages and negotiated necessary

measures between Thai and Myanmar border committees.

Giving the reason under humanity, some KNU leaders who wish to make their own interests accepted NUG and PDF terrorist groups in Lay Kay Kaw Myothit, a good example of peace outcome, for having international assistances, and hence, armed engagement broke out between security forces and the terrorist groups, deteriorating the peace and stability of Lay Kay Kaw Myothit. As security forces have driven the NUG and PDF terrorist groups off from the area and the area become peaceful, local residents who are no relations with NUG and PDF return back to their homes from fleeing.

Officials systematically received the returnees and provided necessary assistance.

- As security forces have controlled Lay Kay Kaw Myothit in Kayin State where armed clashes occur, innocent people who fled from there returned back to their native places.

## Government of the People's Republic of China Donates Funds to Myanmar's Peace Processes



**The chairman of the National Unity and Peace Restoration Coordination Committee Union Minister Lt-Gen Yar Pyae receiving cash assistance presented by Mr Chen Hai, Ambassador of the People's Republic of China**

In order to support the implementation of the peace process in Myanmar, a donation ceremony by the Government of the People's Republic of China was held at the National Unity and Peacemaking Centre in Nay Pyi Taw on 29 December.

The ambassador of the People's Republic of China to Myanmar Mr Chen Hai and delegation, Chairman of the National Unity and Peace Restoration Coordination Committee, Chairman of the Joint Monitoring Committee on the Union-level Ceasefire (JMC-U), Union Minister for the Union Government Office (1) Lt-Gen Yar Pyae and members, Union-level Joint Monitoring Committee on Ceasefire (JMC-U) Vice-Chairman (2) U Pyae Sone and officials attended the ceremony.

At the ceremony, the ambassador Mr Chen Hai donated US\$300,000 to the National Unity and Peacemaking Committees and US\$200,000 to the Joint Monitoring Committee on Ceasefire (JMC) too. The Union Minister Lt-Gen Yar Pyae received the donation and returned the certificate of honour and commemorative gifts to the ambassador Mr Chen Hai.

Then, the Union Minister and the ambassador had a cordial discussion openly on the progress of the peace process in Myanmar.

Source: Global New Light of Myanmar Newspaper (30-12-2021)



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## Second Batch of 6.7 Million Doses of COVISHIELD Vaccine Purchased from India Arrives



Myanmar has purchased a total of 13.4 million doses COVISHIELD vaccine from India and 6.7 million doses in the first batch arrived at the Yangon International Airport on 27 December and 6.7 million doses in the second batch arrived on 29 December.

- The Head of Department of Medical Services and Public Health in Yangon region and relevant officials received the 6.7 million doses of COVISHIELD vaccines in the second batch.
- Since there are about 19.15 million people over 18 who were immunized more than one time, the inoculation covers more than 51 per cent of the target people.
- The arriving vaccines will be injected to the people of target groups as well as ex-

tended target groups across the country in 2022 as per the priority programme.

The Ministry of Health has received a total of 57.9 million of COVID-19 vaccines, including a total of 45.1 million of COVID-19 vaccines purchased from abroad (15.4 million doses of COVISHIELD, 26.7 million doses of Sinopharm, three million doses of Sinovac) and a total of 12.8 million doses as having donated (2.5 million doses of COVISHIELD, 3.6 million doses of Sinopharm, six million doses of Sinovac, 0.7 million doses of Covaxin and 1,700 doses of Sputnik-V). The Ministry of Health urges people to visit the nearest vaccination centers for receiving the COVID-19 vaccine on the designated date or in the nearest period in full course and to take part actively in vaccination programmes.

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## COVID-19 Prevention, Control, and Treatment Activities Continue in Respective Regions and States



Rakhine state Chief Minister, Commander of Western Command and party cutting the ribbon to open the new oxygen plant

COVID-19 prevention, control and treatment activities such as opening quarantine centres and vaccinating people against COVID-19 continue in respective regions and states.

- The vaccination processes continue in respective regions and states as per the priority programme and a total of 181,993 people have been vaccinated against COVID-19 as second dose and 76,071 people as first dose on 29 December.
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and above from Basic Education Middle and High schools in respective regions and states have been vaccinated against COVID-19 as second dose and 6,301 students as first dose on 29 December. A total of 1,486,490 students have been vaccinated against COVID-19 up to 29 December.

- Rakhine state Chief Minister opened an oxygen plant which was constructed under the arrangements of regional government and generous donors in Myebon township of Rakhine state on 29 December. The plant can produce 40 to 80 oxy-



gen cylinders (40 liters) per day.

- The officials of Rakhine state rewarded the certificates of honour to the generous donors who contributed to construct an oxygen plant on 29 December. That plant can produce 76 oxygen cylinders (40 liters) per day in Rathedaung township of Rakhine state.

Measures are being taken to import COVID-19 control, containment and treatment medicines and related equipment-

- On 29 December, a total of 20 tonnes of liquid oxygen carried by one bowser and 9 tons of masks were imported by two companies using two vehicles via Mya-

wady and Chinshwehaw border trade posts.

The Ministry of Health is conducting COVID-19 tests regularly, 276 new cases of COVID-19 were found from testing a total of 13,051 samples and the infected rates are 2.11 percent on 29 December. Up to 29 December 2021, a total of 530,276 cases were found from testing a total of 6,018,475 samples and death toll reached 19,262.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (30-12-2021)



**Vaccinating local people against COVID-19 in Ponnakyun township**



**Vaccinating students against COVID-19 in Tachileik township**



**Vaccinating local people against COVID-19 in waw township**



**Importing COVID-19 preventive equipment by vehicles through border gates**

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### Nearly 300 Tonnes of Silkworm Cocoon were Exported to China per Year



Private companies export nearly 300 tonnes of silkworm cocoons per year to China to increase income and have foreign currency for silkworm raisers in Mandalay region.

Locally, silk threads were purchased from the areas of silk fabrics production to weave threads for making clothes via tender system. Companies have exported tonnes of dried silkworm cocoons and they previously exported dried silkworm cocoons two or three times per year, but have not exported

any silkworm cocoon this year due to the pandemic. Although mulberry trees are grown for silk thread, and later, they are grown not only for raising silkworm but also for making dried tea leaves of mulberry leaves which is support for people's health. It is reported that people eat mulberry wine and jam made from ripen mulberry fruits.

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### **So-called CDF Terrorists Abducted Family Members of Military Service Personnel in Sungpe Village of Tedim Township for No Reason**

The so-called CDF terrorists arrived at the Sungpe village of Tedim township in Chin state, riding five motorbikes and abducted four family members of military personnel, including a two-year and one-month-old child.

Under the directive of NUG group, the so-called PDF/CDF terrorist groups have the concept as “Anybody who differs from my attitude is my enemy” and commit the terrorist act such as assassination on lo-

cal peaceful people who do not support terrorists, accusing them of traitors (Dalans).

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### **Security Force Members Searched Cash and Jewellery of Victims Killed by So-Called PDF terrorists, and Returned Them to Family Members of Victims**

The so-called PDF terrorists inhumanely killed Daw Gyan Taw and Daw KhinSweMyint in Daunggyivillage of Taze township in Sagaing region on 15 December 2021 and set the house on fire. Their family members arriving in Nay Pyi Taw asked for help to search the cash and jewel-

lery via the relevant ministry. Therefore, security forces searched the incident place and found them. Then, the ceremony was held to return the cash and jewellery of victims to their family members.

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The officials handing over cash and jewellery to the family members of dead persons

K2.1138 million of cash, one original pension book for the retired person, one NRC card (the original) and one household registration (the original) to the son and nephew of victims.

Although the security forces have to raid houses any time as security measures to look for terrorists, weapons/ammunition and explosive devices in towns, villages and wards, they focused on terrorist groups and related weapons/ammunition and mines, and served the duties without affecting

property of the public and to assist wholeheartedly them in line with the directives. However, due to the fraudulent activities of some fake security forces, victims can report to the relevant authorities if they are affected during the search.

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