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## Chairman of State Administration Council Prime Minister Senior General Min Aung Hlaing Attends Monsoon Tree-Planting Ceremony of Nay Pyi Taw Union Territory Area for 2022



The monsoon tree-planting ceremony of Nay Pyi Taw Union Territory Area for 2022 was held on both sides of Sabei Road to Maravijaya Buddha Image in Dekkhinathiri Township of Dekkhina District in Nay Pyi Taw on 26 June. The Chairman of the State Administration Council (SAC) Prime Minister Senior General Min Aung Hlaing attended the ceremony and planted a *Mesua Ferrea* sapling.

Also present at the ceremony were Daw Kyu Kyu Hla, wife of the Chairman of the SAC Prime Minister, Vice-Chairman of the SAC Deputy Prime Minister Vice-Senior General Soe Win and wife, SAC members and their wives, the council secretary and wife, the council joint-secretary and wife, Union level officials, the chairman of Nay Pyi Taw Council, senior military officers from the Office of the Commander-in-Chief, the commander of Nay Pyi Taw Command, deputy ministers, departmental staff, students from Forestry and Environmental University and basic education schools and officials.

During the tree-planting ceremony,

the Chairman of the SAC Prime Minister Senior General Min Aung Hlaing delivered an address as follows:

- The tree-planting ceremonies for 2022 were held across the nation with public participation aimed at ensuring long term existence of forest resources, greening and beautifying of rural and urban areas, developing public areas and conserving forest ecosystems and biodiversity.
- Myanmar is covered by 52 percent of forest area in 2000 and 42.19 percent in 2020. Hence, officials and citizens were urged to further lessen forest coverage area and ban change of utilizing forest land into other items under the forest policies.
- Since the establishment and conservation of urban forest plantations in the Nay Pyi Taw Council area started in 2006-2007, we have already known that fruitful results have emerged such as a green environment, less temperature in summer and temperate climate. Moreover, creation of pleasant environment for tourists and businesses will benefit the life on



**Prime Minister and wife planting Mesua Ferrea saplings at the monsoon tree-planting ceremony of Nay Pyi Taw Union Territory for 2022**

land of the world.

- Today's ceremonial venue is Sabai Road, a major route from Nay Pyi Taw to the Maravijaya Buddha Image which will be the highest stone sculptured Buddha image in the world. The road is being upgraded to a four-lane one with perennial flower trees such as Gangaw, Seinban and star flower for its greening.
- An emphasis must be placed on shaping Nay Pyi Taw as Green and Clean City in a long run plan as well as green and clean cities in other regions and states with great farsightedness.
- As the government speeds up green campaigns, such participation of students and younger generation will motivate themselves to know the importance of conserving trees and forests, the green, healthy and sustainable environment and ecosystem for the sake of posterity.

Next, the Chairman of the SAC Prime Minister Senior General Min Aung Hlaing

and wife, and the Vice-Chairman of the SAC Deputy Prime Minister Vice-Senior General Soe Win and wife planted Mesua Ferrea saplings at their designated places. Then, the officials and students from Forestry and Environmental University and basic education schools planted saplings on both sides of the road.

Finally, the Chairman of the SAC Prime Minister went around and encouraged those in attendance of planting saplings collectively at the ceremony for 2022.

**Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (27-6-2022)**





Deputy Prime Minister and wife planting Mesua Ferrea saplings at the monsoon tree-planting ceremony of Nay Pyi Taw Union Territory for 2022



Holding monsoon tree-planting ceremony of Nay Pyi Taw Union Territory for 2022 at the scene

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## Chairman of State Administration Council Prime Minister Senior General Min Aung Hlaing Inspects Progress in Building Maravijaya Buddha Image



Prime Minister inspecting progress in building the Maravijaya Buddha Image

The Chairman of the State Administration Council Prime Minister Senior General Min Aung Hlaing inspected the progress of building Maravijaya Buddha Image, which will become the world's largest stone Buddha statue at Maravijaya Buddha Park in Dekkhinathiri township of Nay Pyi Taw Union Territory on 26 June. The Senior General gave some responses to the officials' explanations regarding the completion progress of the Buddha Image:

- The Buddha Image construction project is located at a perfect place with a complete collection of pagodas, ordination halls, monasteries, lakes, bridges and canals.
- The Nagayon Buddha Image must be erected in accord with the directives of Sayadaws and Pitaka treatises.
- The publication of Pitaka treatises should meet the international level.

- Officials should systematically supervise the work of ensuring durability and weather resistance of marble tablet library pagodas.

It is reported that the Chairman of the State Administration Council Prime Minister and members inspected the roughly completed throne of the Buddha Image, use of modern stone carving machines, progress in building the Mingala Bridge in accord with the design of Yadanabon era, building the retaining walls, Thudhamma rest houses, Mucalinda Lake, and stone table libraries. As of 26 June 2022, about 40 percent of the construction has been completed.

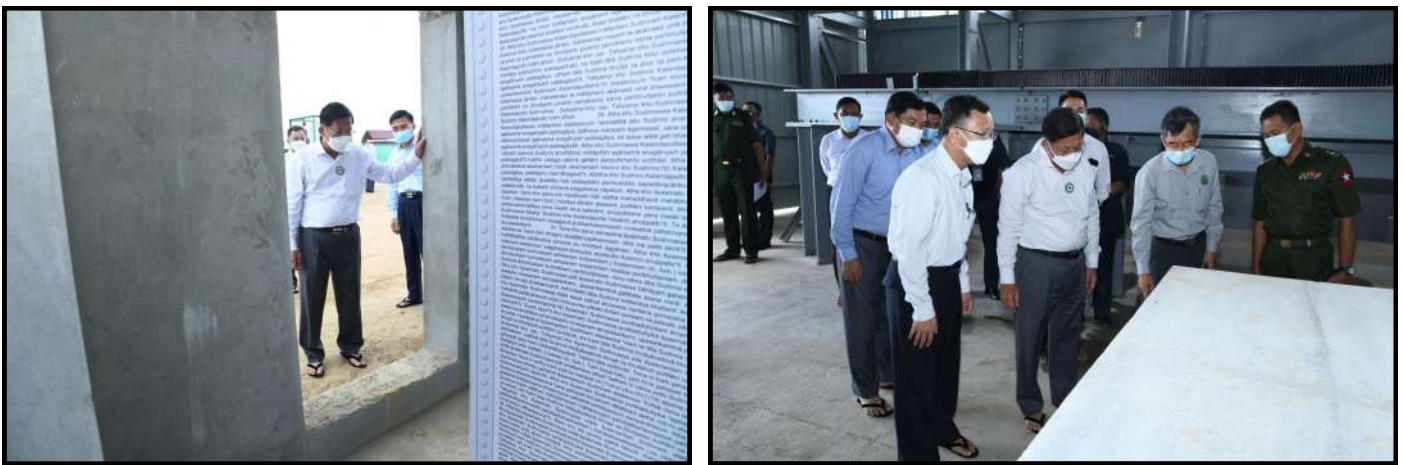
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**Prime Minister hearing reports on progress of the Maravijaya Buddha Image construction project presented by an official**



**Prime Minister inspecting the construction of stone inscriptions and stone plaque chambers with the use of modern technologies**



**Prime Minister inspecting completion tasks in building the Maravijaya marble Buddha Image**

- The publication of Pitaka treatises should meet the international level.
- Construction tasks of the Maravijaya Buddha Image were carried out and as of 26 June 2022, about 40 percent of the construction has been completed.

## Photos of Completion Tasks to build Maravijaya Marble Buddha Image



Completion of stone plaque chambers



Completion of Thudhamma public rest houses



Completion tasks in building the Maravijaya marble Buddha Image

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## Union Minister General Mya Tun Oo Joins 16<sup>th</sup> ADMM and Associate Meetings in Cambodia



The Myanmar delegation led by State Administration Council member Union Minister for Defence General Mya Tun Oo attended the 16<sup>th</sup> ASEAN Defence Ministers' Meeting (16<sup>th</sup> ADMM) held in Cambodia together with Defence Ministers and senior officials of ASEAN countries and Deputy ASEAN Secretary-General on 22 June.

During the meeting, the leaders approved the papers on enhancing cooperation of ASEAN Defence Forces in cross-border epidemic control, promotion of assistance of female peacekeepers of ASEAN and establishment of ASEAN Defence Schools tabled by Cambodia. They also recognized the discussion papers on enhancing information sharing between rules of law for the South-East Asia ocean and ASEAN Defence Ministers' Meeting-Plus Maritime Security and creating a historic military to promote sustainable peace proposed by Cambodia. Moreover, they also approved another refer-

ence paper on cyber security and information centre proposed by Singapore. Then, the leaders affirmed and issued a joint statement on the cooperation matters of ASEAN Defence Ministers for security integrity, and successfully concluded the meeting.

After the meeting, the Defence Ministers of ASEAN Member States met with Cambodian Prime Minister Hun Sen at the peace palace in Phnom Penh.

The associate meetings, ASEAN-Japan Defence Ministers' Informal Meeting, and ASEAN-China Defence Ministers' Informal Meeting were held, and the Defence Minister of People's Republic of China General Wei Fenghe, the Defence Minister of Japan KISHI Nobuo, Defence Ministers of relevant countries and ASEAN Secretary-General joined the events.

After the meetings, the Union Minister went to Myanmar Embassy in Cambodia and cordially met with the families of the embassy and Military Attaché office, and



trainees who are attending Khmer language training class in Cambodia on 23 June. Afterwards, the Myanmar delegation arrived back at Yangon in the evening of 23 June.

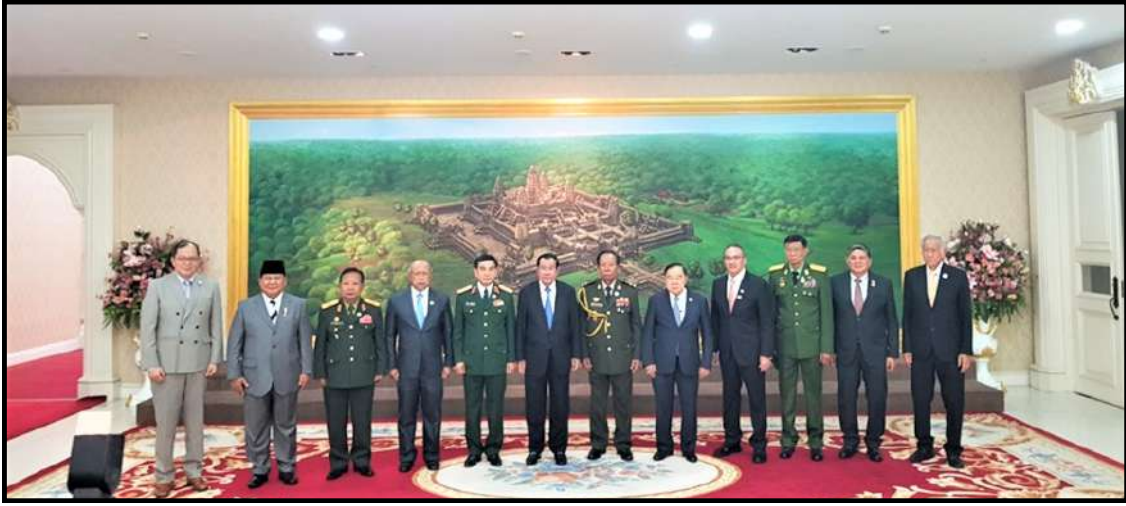
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Source: The Global New Light of Myanmar Newspaper (25-6-2022)

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**Union Minister for Defence and Defence Ministers of ASEAN countries taking a commemorative photo with Cambodian Prime Minister Hun Sen**



**Union Minister for Defence presenting commemorative gifts to the families of the embassy and Military Attaché office and trainees**



**The delegation led by Union Minister for Defence welcomed by officials**

## Union Minister for Home Affairs Lt-Gen Soe Htut Sends Message to International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking

The excerpts from the message sent by Central Committee on Drug Abuse Control Chairman Union Minister for Home Affairs Lt-Gen Soe Htut on the ceremony in commemoration of the International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking which falls on 26 June 2022 are as follows:

- The functions to torch narcotic drugs and precursor chemicals confiscated in all parts of the country are being held in Yangon, Mandalay and Taunggyi at the same time of 26 June 2022. The representatives from UN agencies, local and foreign organizations and embassies have been invited to attend the commemoration.
- The successive governments of Myanmar have also essayed the eradication of narcotics. As a result, cultivation and production have dropped. However, the country is still faced with a new challenge arising from the growing problem of synthetic drugs such as Ice (methamphetamine) and ketamine produced by using precursor chemicals.
- In order to cope with the problem of narcotic drugs, Myanmar has applied a multi-pronged approach by framing a new policy of national drug abuse control and a strategic plan that will support the policy. Setting the strategic plan as a framework of directions, action plans have been drawn up and are being implemented in the regions and states.
- At the meeting (1/2021) of the Union Government held on 27 September 2021, the Chairman of the State Administration Council Prime Minister Senior General Min Aung Hlaing gave guidance, saying that **“drug producers and traffickers, playing on the political situation of the country, are producing and distributing drugs using various ways and they must be exposed and effective action must be taken against them”**.
- The tasks of eradicating narcotic drugs are being carried out with increased momentum through cooperation between Tatmadaw (Defence Services), Myanmar Police Force and the Customs Department. In addition, Myanmar has been conducting special anti-drug operations in cooperation with neighbouring countries: Operation 1511 by Mekong MoU six member states in 2020, Operation Mekong by Myanmar, Laos and Thailand in 2021 and Operation 1511/22 from January to March in 2022. As a result, the influx of precursor chemicals into the golden triangle area and the outflow of drugs from that area were successfully curbed.
- In cooperation with international agencies and organizations, the Central Committee on Drug Abuse Control surveys and inspects the import of chemicals. Inspection teams for restricted chemicals in respective regions and states are carrying out close surveillance and inspections so that restricted chemicals should not get into the hands of those who will use them in the wrong way or for the wrong purpose.
- The government of Myanmar is taking measures for rural development and poverty reduction. At the same time, it is working for the improvement of poppy growers' standard of living and setting up businesses in place of poppy-growing by enlisting the cooperation and help of international agencies and organizations.
- The Ministry of Health has opened 29 drug-addiction treatment centres and 59 branches to treat drug addicts and allevi-



ate subsequent hazards and 89 methadone clinics to treat opium addicts. In 2021, treatment was given to 26,318 drug addicts and methadone was fed to 25,816.

- Being a signatory to three UN conventions, Myanmar is working together with UN member nations, ASEAN member nations, neighbouring countries, countries in the Greater Mekong Subregion and BIMSTEC member nations to be able to solve the problem of drugs. Moreover, it is undertaking anti-drug tasks in cooperation with the Myanmar-based United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNDOC), Australian Federal Police (AFP), United States Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), Na-

tional Narcotics Control Commission of China (NNCC) and Thailand's Office of the Narcotics Control Board of Thailand (ONCB).

The government of Myanmar regards drug control tasks as a national duty and Central Committee on Drug Abuse Control will continue the fight against the danger of drugs through various ways and means. The entire mass of people and all departments concerned are urged to overcome the challenges posed by narcotic drugs, in line with the motto saying that **“Addressing drug challenges in health and humanitarian crises”** sent by the United Nations for this year's International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking.

Source: The Global New Light of Myanmar Newspaper (26-6-2022)

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## Seized Narcotics Incinerated on International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking



Incineration ceremonies of narcotic drugs and precursor chemicals within a year in Myanmar marking the International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking were held in Mandalay, Yangon and Taunggyi on June 26.

- A total of 16 narcotic drugs and nine precursor chemicals worth over K 316.77 billion (over US\$ 171.23 million) including more than 611.57 kilograms of opium, more than 810 kilograms of heroin, more than 47 million ecstasy pills, more than 7,356 kilograms of ICE, more than 316 kilograms of ketamine and more than 116 kilograms of marijuana confiscated from Mandalay region, Sagaing region, Kachin state, and upper and middle part of Myanmar were destroyed at the ceremony which was held in Mandalay.
- A total of 26 items of narcotics and seven kinds of precursor chemicals worth over K 356.68 billion (over US\$ 192.80 million) including 1.50 kg of opium, more than 162 kilograms of heroin, more than 65 million ecstasy tablets, more than 7,599 kilograms of ICE, more than 1,205 kilograms of opium powder, more than 1,345 kilograms of ketamine, more than 463 kilograms of marijuana confiscated from Yangon region, Ayeyawady region, Rakhine state, and the lower parts of Myanmar were destroyed at the ceremony which was held in Yangon.
- A total of 18 kinds of narcotics and 40 items of precursor chemicals worth over K 515.36 billion (over US\$ 278.57 million) including more than 2,041.80 kilograms of opium, more than 967 kilograms of heroin, more than 99 million ecstasy tablets, more than 8,697 kilograms of ICE, more than 362 kilograms of ketamine, more than 130 kilograms of marijuana, more than 12 tons of caffeine confiscated from Shan state and Kayah state were destroyed at the ceremony which was held in Taunggyi.
- A total of 79 kinds of drug and chemical substances worth over K 1,188.82 billion (over US \$ 642.60 million) including more than 2,654.89 kilograms of opium, more than 1,940 kilograms of heroin, over 212 million ecstasy tablets, more than 23,653 kilograms of ICE, more than



**Photos of Incineration of Seized Narcotic Drugs in Yangon Region Marking the International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking**



1,205 kilograms of opium powder, more than 709 kilograms of marijuana, more than 2,024 kilograms of ketamine and more than 12 tons of caffeine seized in 2022 were destroyed.

efforts to carry out drug control activities, and large quantities of narcotics and precursor chemicals were seized and destroyed.

In accord with the guidance of the Chairman of the State Administration Council, the Tatmadaw, Myanmar Police Force and the Anti-Narcotics Police have stepped up

Source: The Global New Light of Myanmar Newspaper (27-6-2022)



**Photos of Incineration of Seized Narcotic Drugs in Mandalay Region Marking the International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking**



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**Photos of Incineration of Seized Narcotic Drugs in Taunggyi Township of Shan State (South) Marking the International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking**



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## Work Coordination Meeting of Special Unit on International Criminal Justice Held



The first coordination meeting of Special Unit on International Criminal Justice was held on 23 June at the meeting hall of the Ministry of Legal Affairs. At the meeting, the Union Minister and the Union Attorney General Dr Thida Oo made the opening remark covering the following points:

- The Office of the State Administration Council reorganized the Special Unit on International Criminal Justice on 17 March. The Special Unit consists of 15 members in total including the representatives of the Ministry of Legal Affairs which takes a lead, the Office of Judge Advocate General, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Ministry of Education.
- The Ministry of Legal Affairs has drafted the Terms of Reference-ToR of the Special Unit on International Criminal Justice. According to the ToR, the spe-

cial unit is to give juridical reviews and legal advices in regard with International Criminal Law and Justice to the Government, Tatmadaw, Ministry of Legal Affairs and the government agencies including the Myanmar Police Force and Myanmar embassies abroad.

- Regarding the issues required to be resolved in accordance with the International law, if necessary, the Special Unit needs to submit papers, advices on international law and research works to higher level organizations after making studies and reviews of the existing laws of Myanmar including the Defence Services Act.

Afterwards, the attendees at the meeting also made a general round of discussion on the necessary matters to be done.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (24-6-2022)

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### Union Minister U Tin Htut Oo Receives Delegation Member of DKBA to Discuss Local Economic Development based on Agriculture and Livestock



Union Minister for Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation U Tin Htut Oo received the delegation of Democratic Karen Benevolent Army (DKBA) at the meeting hall of the Minister's office on 22 June to discuss about the local economic development based on agriculture and livestock.

During the meeting, the Union Minister stressed the following points:

- The local people are necessary to make efforts for the marketable products by cultivating the crops which can be beneficial in their respective farmlands.
- The necessary technical assistance will be provided for cultivation and production of marketable value-added crops.
- The necessary technical assistance will be provided to promote the fish farming

and animal breeding, the production of finished goods as well as to encourage private investments in local.

- Likewise, the rights for land use, getting strains and the technical assistance will be provided for seasonal crops and fruits in addition to plain land coffee and perennial crops.

Then, the officials discussed about the technical assistance on the expansion of local development and agriculture and livestock tasks, and the conditions on the requirements of the members of DKBA to be fulfilled. The meeting was attended by Union Minister U Tin Htut Oo, permanent-secretary U Kyaw Min Oo and directors-general from respective departments as well as delegation member of DKBA.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (23-6-2022)



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### **Union Minister U Khin Yi Inspects the Immigration-Related Functions at Yangon International Airport**

The Union Minister for Immigration and Population U Khin Yi met with the relevant officials in charge of the immigration functions at the Yangon International Airport and Yangon International Ports at the lounge of the Yangon International Airport on 22 June. The officials reported about the arrivals and departures of the international flights and passengers, conducting immigration functions on the foreign passengers as well as the port entries and exits of the international ships at the ports of Thilawa, Yangon and Thanlyin.

After that, the Union Minister remarked the following points –

- The immigration staff working at the International Airport and Ports are required to be good in socialized manners because they are engaging with local and foreign passengers. Moreover, they are also required to perceive the relevant international laws.
- As the Ministry is granting permits of online e-Visa and eVisa (foreigners), the number of entries/exits of passengers accordingly increases and therefore, the immigration functions must be carried out efficiently and quickly.

The Union Minister then inspects the im-





migration functions and COVID-19 medical checks carried out at the immigration counters for the arriving passengers; the immigration checks at the counters for the passengers on departure; the overstay counter

and the server room of the department, and coordinated with them to fulfil their needs.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (23-6-2022)

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### **Union Minister Dr Htay Aung Attends Workshop led by Indonesian Ministry of Tourism and Economic Innovation**

Union Minister for Hotels and Tourism Dr Htay Aung attended a regional workshop on the National Tourism Professional Board (NTPB) and the Tourism Professional Certification Board (TPCB), led by the Ministry of Tourism and Economic Innovation of Indonesia, held via a hybrid system on 24 June.

During the workshop, the Union Minister urged the ASEAN Regional Secretariat on the Implementation of Mutual Recognition of ASEAN Tourism Professionals to promote the implementation of the ASEAN

Mutual Recognition Programme for Tourism Professionals and Tourism Entrepreneurs. He discussed issues related to the capacity building of ASEAN Master Trainers and ASEAN Master Assessors, and the provision of teacher training programmes for Freelance Professionals under the ASEAN-Australia Development Cooperation Programme.

The meeting was attended by representatives from related Ministries of NTPB and TPCB, private tourism organizations, the International Labour Organization,



Speakers from the Ministers of Education for the Establishment of Learning Centres in Southeast Asia and ASEAN and East Asia Economic Research Group, Members of the NTPB and TPCB from the ASEAN

Member States and representatives from the ASEAN Tourism Authority.

Source: The Global New Light of Myanmar Newspaper (25-6-2022)

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## Efforts Made to Increase Volume of Myanmar Exports to Foreign Countries within 2022-2023 FY



During the term of the State Administration Council, measures are being taken to increase the exports to foreign countries through border trade posts and regular trade routes as follows:

- More than USD 173 million was generated from exporting over 3100,00 metric tons of rice and over 190,000 metric tons of broken rice to foreign countries through border trade routes from 1 April to 10 June in 2022-2023 FY.
- Rice, broken rice and bran are exported to foreign markets by bulk carriers yearly and the country exported 1,357,202 tonnes of rice by 90 vessels between April 2021 and March 2022 while 582,330 tonnes by 27 vessels in three months from April to June 2022.
- USD 3.378 million was generated from exporting 2711.80 metric tons of fishery products through two border trade posts of Maungdaw and Sittwe townships up

to 11 June in 2022-2023 FY.

- USD 4,171,848 million in total was generated from exporting goods through Lwejel and Kanpeikte border trade posts in Kachin state from 11 to 17 June 2022.

The country exports about 200,000 tonnes of rice per month and expects to ship two million tonnes this financial year, according to the Myanmar Rice Federation. The federation will work together with the Government and partner organizations in solving difficulties in the export sector. The demands of rice and broken rice are increasing due to the higher rates of FOB rice price in this year as well as the exported volume in this year was increased, comparing to the same period of last year. Moreover, freshwater fish farming businesses are being focused in Rakhine state because freshwater products have an export market.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (26-6-2022)

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**Freshwater fish farming in Rakhine State**



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## PDF Members with no Crime Records Returning Legal Fold Entrusted to the Care of their Parents



The ceremonies of entrusting PDF members, who completed trainings in the areas of some EAOs and returned to legal fold without committing any crime, to their respective parents were held on 22 June. The officials from the regional governments provided cash assistance to three female PDF members from Kale Township of Sagaing Region. They were entrusted to the care of their parents and guardians.

At present, the State's Government has released an announcement stating that organizations or groups including PDF are welcomed if they want to enter the legal

fold for their normal civilian lives by surrendering their weapons following rules and regulations to participate in future work plans of the country. As of 22 June 2022, it is reported that 70 people in total have already returned to legal fold including five in Yangon Region, 24 in Mandalay Region, 13 in Magway Region, 11 in Sagaing Region, 11 in Ayeyarwady Region, and six in Bago Region.

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## PDF Terrorists Conduct Disruptive Acts against Education Sector Development in some Township, Aiming to Create Uneducated Classes in Society



**Damages of school buildings of the Basic Education High School of No (1) ward in Seikmu Village of Hpakant Township in the aftermath of IEDs attack of terrorists**

With destructive intentions to create uneducated classes in society as well as to have support from people by striking terror into the public, PDF terrorists are making acts of vandalism against the Government's efforts on education sector development throughout the country. In this regard, PDF terrorists are continuing various kinds of destructive acts such as intimidation and coercion against students, teachers and parents; abductions and killings of students, teachers and parents; IED attacks and arson attacks on schools that intend to disturb the peaceful learning of students. Their doings are as follows:

- On 21 June, as two homemade bombs made with blue conduit-pipe were found in the flowering shrubs by the brick wall of gymnasium hall in the area of Township Education Office in Mawlamyine township of Mon state, security force members deactivated and seized them.
- On 22 June, terrorists left a handmade mine attached to a keypad phone with a threatening note at the inner corner of the Grade-4 classroom of Thar Maing Kham village Primary School in Aungban township of Shan state (South). Acting on the information, security forces inspected the classroom and deactivated and removed the mine.
- On 23 June, as two terrorists threw a homemade bomb at the Basic Education High School in Madaya township of Mandalay region and ran away, the bomb blasted the back side of the KG and Grade-1 classrooms.
- On 24 June, as two terrorists threw a homemade bomb at the Training School for Junior Assistant Teacher in Monywa city of Sagaing region and ran away, the bomb blasted on the Thar Si street at the frontage of the school entrance.
- As two terrorists threw a homemade bomb at the Basic Education High School in ward (1) of Seikmu village in Hpakant township of Kachin state and ran away, the windows installed at the library, the ventilator windows and other windows of the classrooms at the lower floor of the two-storey school building as well as the ceiling and roof of the school building were damaged.





**Terrorists threw IEDs to the school building of the Basic Education High School in Madaya Township of Mandalay Region**



**Two IEDs made of blue-coloured conduit pipe found in the flowering shrubs near the brick wall of gymnasium hall in the area of Township Education Office of Mawlamyine Township in Mon State**

- On 25 June, while the headmaster U Maung Maung Tar, the primary assistance teachers of U Nay Win Tun and U Hlaing Min Tun were having meal at the location in front of the family housing of the campus of the Basic Education Primary School in the Ale Chaung (lower) of Pyinmana township in Nay Pyi Taw Union Territory, two male terrorists (under scrutiny) shot at them from the street outside the school and ran away. U

Nay win Tun was killed with gunshot wounds on the spot and U Hlaing Min Tun got injured with gunshot wounds.

It is reported that security force members are pursuing necessary investigations to identify, arrest and take legal actions against the terrorists involved in the aforementioned attacks.

**Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (27-6-2022)**

- As two male terrorists (under scrutiny) shot at the headmaster and two primary assistance teachers who were at the location in front of the family housing of the campus of the Basic Education Primary School in the Ale Chaung (lower) of Pyinmana township, the primary assistant teacher U Nay Win Tun was killed with gunshot wounds on the spot.
- In order to disturb the peaceful learning of students, PDF terrorists have carried out IED attacks on schools in some states and regions, one after another.
- In order to have support from people by striking terror into the public, PDF terrorists are making acts of vandalism against the education sector development.

### Political Extremists Make Threats of Violence against Opening of Basic Education Schools



Threatening notes pasted at the fence of the Basic Education High School in Muse Township of Shan State (North)

With nefarious intentions to create an uneducated society following the loss of children's rights to education as well as to make students, teachers and parents very frightened, terrorists upholding extreme political dogma are making threats of violence by sending threatening letters to schools and hanging up the texts of threat at school buildings as follows:

- On 21 June, two terrorists delivered threatening letters with the title 'Prohibition Notice' to the headmasters of six basic education schools in Kukai township of Shan state (North) through students who went back homes during lunch break.
- On 22 June, Terrorists hang up notes threatening against school attendance on the walls of Basic Education Middle School-BEMS at Shwe Nyaung Pin village of Than Daung Gyi township in Kayin state, Sub-High school at Lay Pin village of Kyaukpadaung township and Basic Education High School-BEHS





Terrorists placed a threatening letter with an IED at the Basic Education Post-primary School of Tharmaikham Village of Kalaw Township

(Myitnge) at Aung Chan Thar ward of Amarapura township in Mandalay region, Basic Education Sub-Middle School at Thae Phyu village of Thayet township in Magway region.

- On 23 June, terrorists pasted threatening notes at the fences of the Basic Education High School Branches located in Htone Bo village of Sagaing region and Thaton township of Mon State, and the BEMS in Taungthar township of Mandalay region.
- On the same day, terrorists sent a threatening message to the mobile phone of the headmistress of the BEHS in Ot-tarathiri township of Nay Pyi Taw Union Territory saying that **“You are requested not to go to school. If you move forward your actions regardless of our warning, we would not guarantee your life and the lives of your family members too.”**
- Similarly, PDF terrorists left a threatening note warning not to continue teach-

ing school children in the Basic Education Primary School-BEPS in Htantabin township of Yangon region.

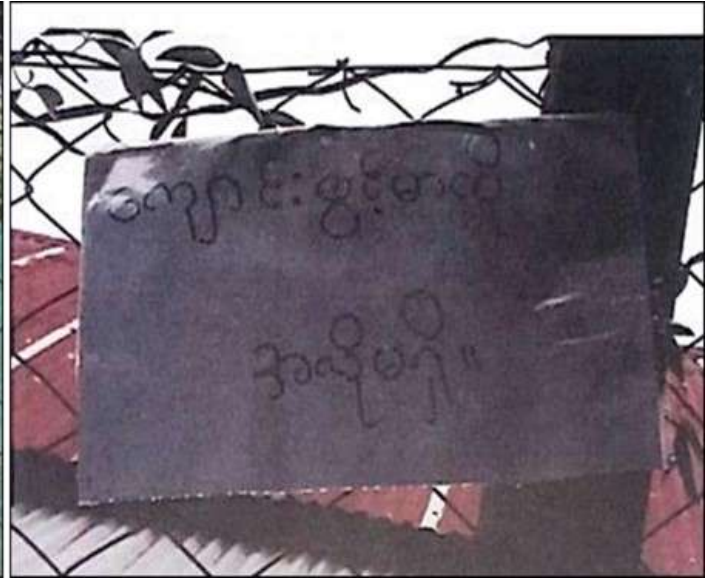
- On 25 June, PDF terrorists pasted threatening notes on the wall of the school buildings of Sal Lant BEHS, and Nam-patee BEPS, Mannal BEPS and Nam Sam Go Daung MEPS of Muse township of Shan state (north).
- Moreover, two terrorists gave two letters of threat written in Chin and Myanmar language to Daw Man Tul Kyein the headmistress of No (1) BEHS of Tedim township of Chin state while she was with her mother at her house.

It is reported that security force members are pursuing necessary investigations to identify and arrest the terrorists with extreme political dogma who carried out threats of violence, aiming to make students, teachers and parents frightened and not to open schools for teaching.

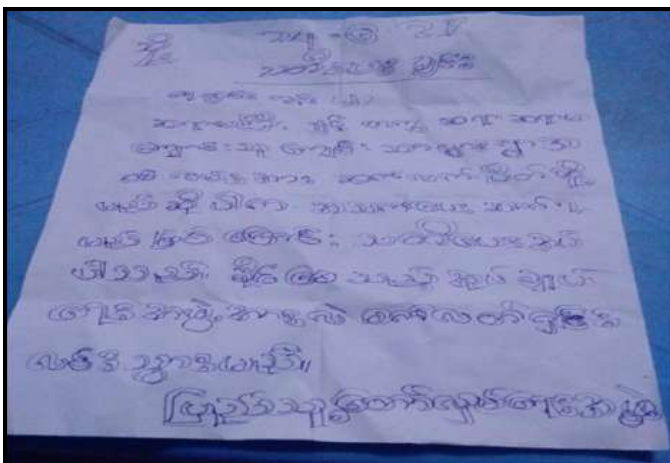
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- **PDF terrorists continue hanging up threatening texts at basic education schools and also sending threatening letters to the teachers in some regions and states.**

## Photos of Political Extremists Make Threats of Violence against Opening of Basic Education Schools in Some Townships

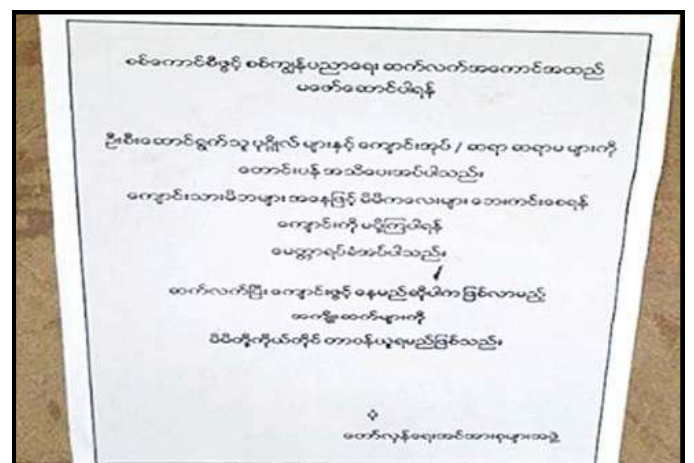
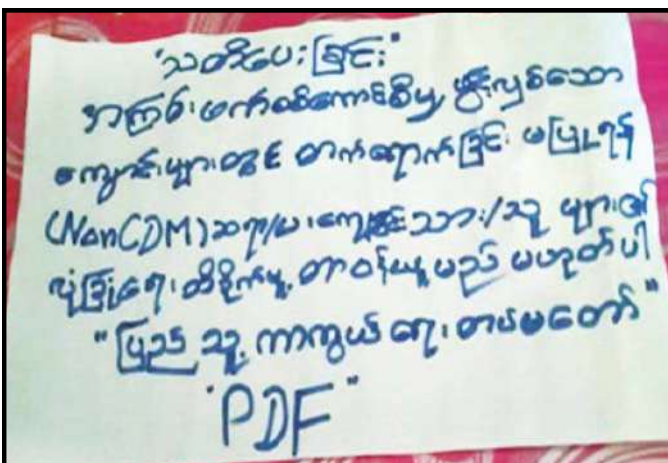


Threatening letters hanged up at the fence of Basic Education Middle School at Shwe Nyaung Pin Village of Than Daung Gyi Township



Threatening letter delivered by PDF terrorists found in the Basic Education Primary School in Yay Dwin Gone Village of Htantabin township

Threatening letter hanged up by terrorists at the fence of Thelphyu Basic Education Sub-middle School in Thayet Township

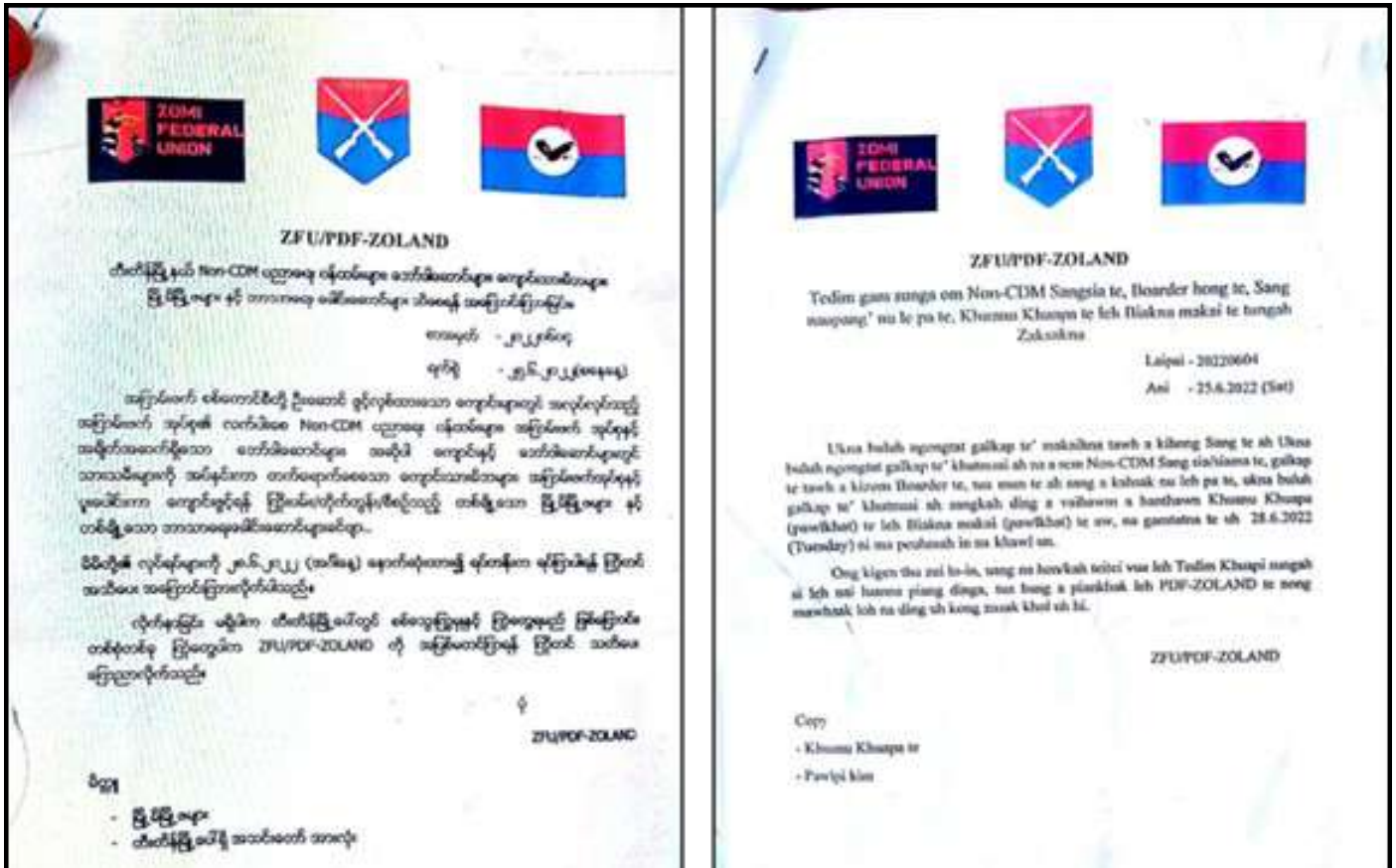


A threatening letter found at the Basic Education Middle School of Kyipente' Village in Taungthar Township of Mandalay region

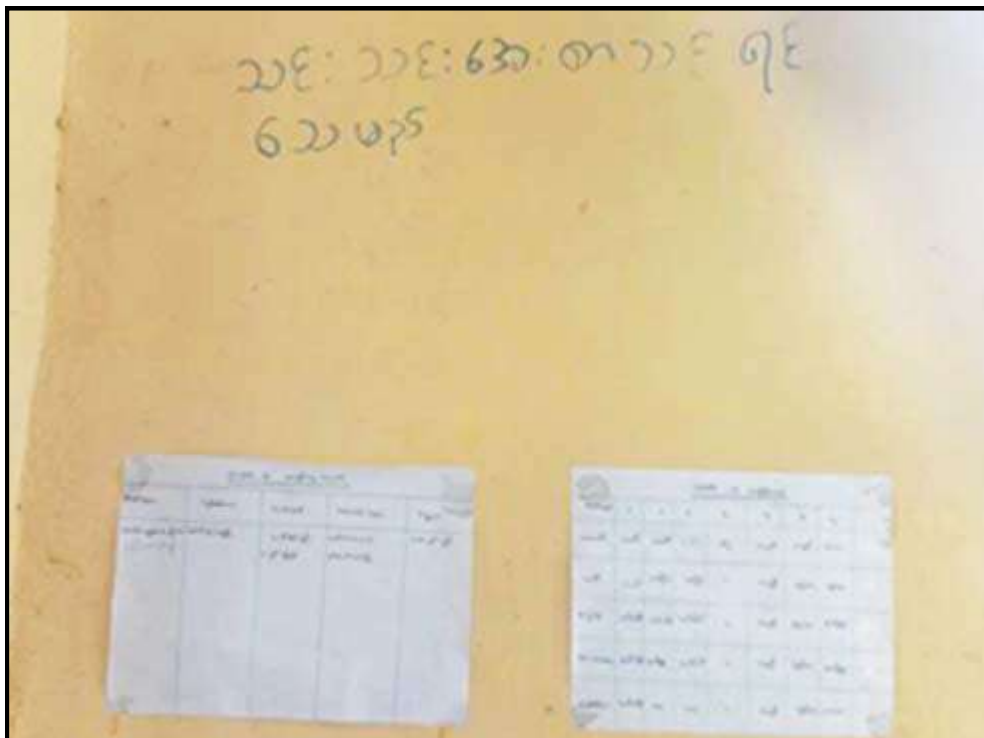
A threatening letter found at the Basic Education Sub-high School of Htonbo Village in Sagaing Township



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Threatening letter sent to the house of a headmistress at Tedim Township of Chin State



Threatening letter found at the Basic Education Sub-high School of Shansu Village in Thaton Township

## Innocent Civilians Killed in PDF Terrorists' Drone Attacks



PDF terrorist group dropped a homemade bomb using a drone on the residential houses of Htan Buu Taw Village of Myaing Township leaving innocent civilians dead and injured

Based on their extreme political dogma, NUG and CRPH terrorist groups and their subordinate of PDF terrorists are carrying out arson and bomb attacks on governmental buildings, private buildings, roads and bridges as well as villages. In addition to this, terrorists attack security force members, taking cover of pagodas, villages and civilians. Terrorists are also launching violent drone attacks on pagodas, monasteries, public hospitals as well as wards and villages, giving the reason of attacking against security force members.

- On 21 June, as a PDF terrorist group dropped a homemade bomb using a drone on the District Public Hospital in the Myoukgon ward of Gangaw township in Magway region, the bomb blasted 20-feet away in front of the Out-Patient Department in the precinct of the hospital. No casualties were reported.
- On 22 June, while U Sein Maung, a carpenter, and his family members were at home located in HtanBuu Taw village of Myaing township in Magway region, PDF terrorists dropped homemade bombs wantonly on his house with the use of drone. The bomb exploded in front of the house, leaving Daw Saw Nwe of 67 and one of the five-month-old twin baby boys injured seriously. Further, the remaining baby boy and three other family members got injured respectively. Although all of the victims were transported to the public hospital in Myaing township, Daw Saw Nwe and one of the five-month old twin baby boys were killed with shrapnel wounds.

Based on the one-sided extreme dogma, PDF terrorists with stupid ideas are burning down and destroying non-military targets of office buildings and private houses. Moreover, launching attacks against and blowing up hospitals are the crimes against humanity



which is unacceptable by international community and the entire people are disgusted by their acts of terrorism.

Joining hands together with people, security force members continue necessary

security procedures to identify and arrest the terrorists who committed the aforementioned attacks.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (24-6-2022)



The injured five-month-old twin baby boys



The dead five-month-old twin baby boys

- A PDF terrorist group dropped a homemade bomb using a drone on the District Public Hospital in the Myoukgon ward of Gangaw township in Magway region.
- As PDF terrorists wantonly launched a drone attack against the Htan Buu Taw village of Myaing township, one of the innocent five-month-old twin baby boys and a woman were killed and, the remaining baby boy and three other family members got injured respectively.

### **Innocent Civilians Killed in PDF Terrorist Group's Reckless Fire Using Improvised Mortar on Towns and Villages**

With the intentions to disturb peace and stability of the State, terrorist groups with extreme political dogma are carrying out acts of terrorism such as firing small arms and support weapons at non-military targets of towns and villages where innocent civilians live, and blowing up roads and bridges.

- On 23 June as a PDF terrorist group fired improvised mortar recklessly at Chaung U township of Sagaing region, security force members fired the terrorists back. Although they retreated in disarray, the shell of improvised mortars

that they recklessly fired exploded on the residential houses in the Tamar Myaing ward. As two innocent female civilians were killed and two each of other male and female civilians got injured in the explosion, the injured victims were transported to the Chaung U public hospital. The officials also provide cash assistance to the victims.

- On 25 June, as PDF terrorists fired support weapons recklessly at the Paw-mamyang village of Katha township in Sagaing region, the shell exploded on the house of U Ohn Maung of 60, who lives



**The PDF terrorists fired improvised mortars recklessly at Chaung U Township leaving a woman injured**



**The officials presented financial aids to a family member, on behalf of the residents of the township, attacked by the PDF terrorists' reckless fire using improvised mortars**



**The PDF terrorists fired support weapons recklessly at the Pawmamyang Village of Katha Township leaving a male injured**

in the Pawmamyang village. During the terrorists' attack, U Ohn Maung got injured with shrapnel wounds and the roof, partition and floor of his house were damaged. The victim of attack was transported to the public hospital in Katha township.

The violent attack of PDF terrorists on non-military targets of civil residential houses and civilians amounts to the war crime according to the provisions of the Geneva Conventions. The terrorists carried out arson attacks on and fired support weapons

at the towns and villages which do not support them, leaving innocent civilians killed and therefore, the entire population express disgust at and oppose such terrorist group.

It is reported that local security force members are pursuing necessary security process to identify and arrest the terrorists who fired improvised mortars at non-military targets of towns and villages that left civilians dead and injured.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (27-6-2022)

- **As a PDF terrorist group fired homemade improvised mortar recklessly at Chaung U township, two innocent female civilians were killed and two each of other male and female civilians got injured.**



- As a PDF terrorist group fired the support weapon recklessly at the Pawmamyaing village of Katha township, a house was damaged and a male got injured.
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