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# **Information Sheet**

Vice-Chairman of State Administration Council Deputy Prime Minister Vice-Senior General Soe Win Attends Opening Ceremony of Inter-Technology and Computer University Football Tournament for 2022-2023 Academic Year



The opening ceremony of the Inter-Technology and Computer University Football Tournament for the 2022-23 academic year took place at Nay Pyi Taw Wunna Theikdi Stadium on 28 March. The event was attended by the Vice-Chairman of the State Administration Council (SAC) Deputy Prime Minister Vice-Senior General Soe Win.

During the ceremony, Union Minister for Science and Technology Dr. Myo Thein Kyaw delivered an opening remark and kicked off the ceremony. Then, the SAC Vice-Chairman Deputy Prime Minister and party cordially greeted the contending teams and athletes, and watched the opening match between Technological University (Upper Myanmar) team A and team D from Group 3.

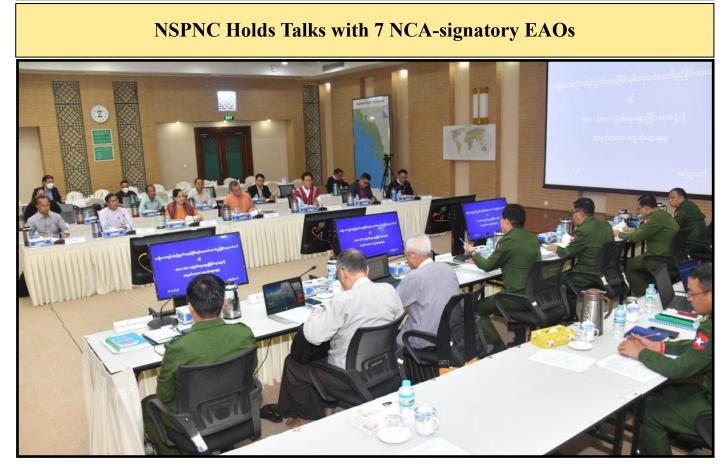
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Source: The Global New Light of Myanmar Newspaper (29-3-2023)

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SAC Vice-Chairman Deputy Prime Minister Vice-Senior General Soe Win watching the opening match of the Inter-Technology and Computer University Football Tournament for the 2022-23 academic year



An informal meeting between the National Solidarity and Peacemaking Negotiation Committee-NSPNC and seven NCAsignatory ethnic armed organizations (EAOs) was held at the National Solidarity and Peacemaking Centre in Nay Pyi Taw on 28 March.

The meeting was attended by NSPNC Secretary Lt-Gen Win Bo Shein, working committee member Lt-Gen Khin Zaw Oo (retired), NSPNC members, and NCA-Signatory EAOs Informal Discussion and Coordination Group Leader Suk Sai Ning (RCSS), assistant leaders Saw Mra Yaza Lin (ALP) and Naing Aung Ma Ngay (NMSP), members Saw Kyaw Than Htay (DKBA), Saw Kyaw Nyunt (KNU/KNLA-PC), Kyaphu (LDU), Khun Min Thein (PNLO) and support representatives. At the meeting, they discussed the emergence of an all-inclusiveness peace talk, peace process and the federal framework, it is reported.

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## Announcement on Establishment, Registration, and Dissolution of Political Parties

The political parties have been applying for permission to establish and register a political party to the Union Election Commission (UEC), and there are 13 political parties that applied for permission to establish political parties, and 50 for permission to register political parties, totaling 63 up to 28 March. Among these political parties, 12 political parties will organize the entire Union and 51 parties only within a region or state. The UEC is carrying out to verify the right to establish and register these parties.

In this regard, the specified period to apply for permission to establish and regis-

ter a political party is over on 28 March. Moreover, 40 political parties that did not apply within the specified period have been automatically cancelled as political parties, and these parties have been canceled from being registered as political parties and the parties have been dissolved, it is reported.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (29-3-2023)

- Up to 28 March, there are 13 political parties that applied for permission to establish political parties, and 50 for permission to register political parties, totaling 63.
- Among these political parties, eight political parties will organize the entire Union and 25 parties only within a region or state. The UEC is carrying out to verify the right to establish and register these parties.
- 40 political parties that did not apply within the specified period have been automatically cancelled as political parties, and these parties have been canceled from being registered as political parties and the parties have been dissolved.

#### Republic of the Union of Myanmar Union Election Commission Notification No 5/2023

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#### Announcement regarding establishment, registration, and dissolution of political parties

1. In order to enable the formation of political parties in the Republic of the Union of Myanmar, the State Administration Council enacted the Political Parties Registration Law on 26 January 2023 with the State Administration Council Law No 15/2023 and the Union Election Commission also announced the rules for the registration of political parties on 31 January 2023 with Notification 10/2023.

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- 2. Under Section 25 of the Political Parties Registration Law, if existing political parties wish to continue as political parties, they must re-apply for party registration to the Commission within 60 days from the date of the enactment of the law. If there is no such application, the political party is automatically void. Among the existing 90 political parties covered under Section 25 of the Political Parties Registration Law, the following 50 parties have applied for the right to continue to exist as the party until 28-3-2023, when the specified period of 60 days is over.
  - (A) Union Solidarity and Development Party
  - Myanmar People's Democratic Party (MPD) (B)
  - (C)Pa-O National Organization Party (PNO)
  - New National Democracy Party (Kachin) (D) (NDP(Kachin))
  - (E) Public Contribute Students Party
  - (F) New National Democracy Party
  - (G) Phalon-Sawaw Democratic Party
  - ŒD National Unity Party
  - (D) Arakan Front Party (AFP)
  - People's Power Party (J)
  - (K) Kachin State People's Party (KSPP)
  - Lisu National Development Party (LNDP) (L)
  - Tai-Leng Nationalities Development Party (MD) (TNDP)
  - (N) Shan-Ni Solidarity Party (SSP)
  - The Party for People (0)
  - Khamee National Development Party (P)
  - United Nationalities Democracy Party Q
  - Rakhine State National Force Party (R)
  - (S) People's Pioneer Party
  - Mon Unity Party (T)
  - Myanmar Farmers' Development Party ധ
  - Public Labour Party (V)
  - (WD) Akha National Development Party
  - $\infty$ Democratic Party of National Politics (DNP)
  - Kachin National Congress (KNC)  $(\mathbf{v})$
  - Arakan National Party (Z)
  - (AA) New Society Party (NSP)

  - (BB) National Political Alliance League Party
  - (CC) Inn National League Party

- (DD) Kokang Democracy and Unity Party (KKDUP)
- (EE) National Democratic Force Party (NDF)
- (FF) Karen National Democratic Party
- (GG) Shan State Kokang Democratic Party
- (XX) Naga National Party (NNP)
- (II) The 88 Generation Students Youths (Union of Myanmar) Party
- (JJ) Wa National Party
- (KK) Danu National Organization Party (DNOP)
- (LL) The Union of Myanmar Federation of Na-
- tional Politics Party
- (MM) People's Party
- (NN) People's Party of Myanmar Farmers and Workers
- (OO) Women's Party (Mon)
- (PP) Mro National Party
- (QQ) Zomi Congress for Democracy Party
- (RR) Danu National Democracy Party
- (SS) Modern People Party
- (TT) Kavin People's Party (KPP)
- (UU) Democracy and Human Rights Party
- (VV) Mro National Development Party
- (WW) Union Farmer-Labour Force Party
- (XX) Peace and Diversity Party
- 3. The following 40 political parties that did not apply within the specified period have been automatically cancelled as political parties, and as of 29-3-2023, these parties have been canceled from being registered as political parties and the parties have been dissolved.
  - Lahu National Development Party (A)
  - (B) Democratic Party (Myanmar)
  - (C) Kayen National Party
  - Ta'ang (Palaung) National Party D)
  - Party for Democracy and Peace **(E)**
  - Shan Nationalities Democratic Party Ð
  - (G) Wunthanu Democratic Party
  - National Democratic Party for Development Œ
  - Ethnic National Development Party (ENDP) D
  - Kaman National Development Party (J)
  - сю. Bamar People's Party
  - National League for Democracy L)
  - Democratic Party for a New Society OND.
  - (N) Myanmar National Congress Party
  - Asho Chin National Party  $(\mathbf{0})$
  - (P) Shan National League for Democracy
  - (Q) United National Congress Party

- National Prosperity Party (R)
- (S) Dawei Nationalities Party
- Federal Union Party (T)
- Union Pa-O National Organization ധ
- (V) Khumi (Khami) National Party (W) Democratic Party for a New Society
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- 00 (Z)
- Guiding Star Party (AA) 88 Generation Democracy Party
- (BB) Lhaovo National Unity and Development Party
- (CC) New Era Union Party
- (DD) Zo National Region Development Party
- (EE) National Development Party
- (FF) Daingnet National Development Party
- (GG) Arakan League for Democracy Party
- (HH) Kayah State Democratic Party
- (II) National United Democratic Party (NUDP)
- (JJ) The Yeomanry Development Party (YDP)
- (KK) Chin National League for Democracy Party
- (LL) Chin National Party (CNP)
- (MM) Kachin National Party
- (NN) Alliance of Myanmar's Worker and Farmer Party (AMWFP)
- According to Section 3 of the Political Parties Reg-4 istration Law, the 13 parties that have applied to

Democratic Forces Labour Party

Shan and Ethnic Democratic Party

National Interest Development Party

National New Political Strength Party

It is announced that those who wish to establish a

political party can continue to apply for the right

to establish a party under Section 3 of the Political

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Chairman

Union Election Commission

Union Peace and Unity Party

- (A) Federal Democratic Party
- Union Democracy Party (B)

Wunthanu Party

Democratic Party

Democracy Party

Khumi National Party

Chin People's Party (M) People's Life Development Party

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#### Efforts Made to Increase Export Volume in Fiscal Year of 2022-2023



During the tenure of the State Administration Council Government, efforts are being made to increase the export volume via border trade posts and regular trade routes. As a result:

- During 11 months in the fiscal year of 2022-2023, from April 2022 to February 2023, Myanmar exported over 90,000 tonnes of onion worth of USD 41.38 million. Most of them are exported via border trade route.
- In February, Myanmar exported 621.375 tonnes of crab and 741.4 tonnes of eel to

China, generating an income of USD 2,609,775 and USD 2,646,798.

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During the corresponding period last financial year, Myanmar earned USD 4,692.446 million from bilateral trade between Myanmar and Thailand. This year, it gained in excess of USD 396.366 million, it is reported.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (29-3-2023)

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Families Sheltering in Temporary IDP Camps in Samee Town of Chin State's Paletwa Township Return Homes



Local military personnel from Western Command, Myanmar Police Force members and departmental staff helping the IDPs to transport their belongings to motorboats

In Chin state, a total of 1,504 internally displaced people (IDPs) from 363 households sheltering in a displacement camp near Samee town's GAD office, Pyankya camp, Myopaingkone camp, and at their relatives' houses in Samee town of Chin state's Paletwa township are returning to the villages of their natives in Paletwa township on their own consent on 28 March. In this regard, Chin state government and the Tatmadaw reportedly made necessary arrangements to attend the needs of the IDPs to return to their homes.

In this regard, relevant officials and departmental staff helped the IDPs transport their belongings to vehicles and motorboats and also provided them security along the way to their home.

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## An Improvised Mine Planted by PDF Terrorists Explode near Express Bus Terminal in Shwebo Town

An improvised mine planted by PDF terrorists exploded near the Express Bus terminal located in ward (6) of Shwebo Town in Sagaing Region on 28 March. The mine blast killed one male and injured 18 unarmed civilians: 10 males and eight females including a four-year-old child and another 11-year-old child.

Under the course of utter devastation of the country, PDF terrorists having heinous idea create riots in the country by carrying out improvised bomb/mine attacks on roads and bus stops/terminals in addition to financial assistance and behind-the-scenes instigations for violent bomb attacks.

Security personnel, joining hands together with the people, are doing investigations in quick action to identify and arrest the terrorists who carried out the mine attack, it is reported.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (29-3-2023)



Innocent civilians killed and injured in a homemade mine explosion planted by the PDF terrorists

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Security Force Members Pre-emptively Arrest Members of Terrorist Group So-Called Naypyitaw PDF Plotting to Fire Improvised 107mm Rockets Targeting Crowded Places where Unarmed People Gather for Funfairs in Nay Pyi Taw Council Territory



Weapons and explosive related materials seized near Mayantaung (upper) Village of Pyinmana Township

On 24 March, acting on the information tip-offed by conscientious people, security force members arrested two offenders, members of a terrorist group so-called Naypyitaw PDF: Sein Lwin (aka) Maung Sein (aka) Khayay and Win Myo Htet (aka) Win Noe (aka) Belar who were plotting to fire improvised 107mm rocket targeting the crowded places where innocent civilians are gathering for funfairs and the parade ground (Shan Su area) where the Armed Forces Day parade ceremony was held in Nay Pyi Taw Council Territory. The offenders were arrested along with a 107mm rocket in Zeephyupin village of Pyinmana township.

According to the accounts of the arrested offenders and interrogation results –

 Another 107mm rocket was also found and seized in the yard of the house belonging to a fugitive Han Zaw Min and his wife Khin Myo Thet in Zeepyhupin village. The fugitive Han Zaw Min is found out to be the NLD party member, an ex-administrator of the village and brother-in-law of the arrested offender Win Myo Htet (aka) Win Noe (aka) Belar.

- Security force members further seized two warheads of 107mm rocket, two circuits, a remote-control device in the bush near Awayyar dam, a MG-1 grenade, four detonators, 16 electric detonators, four black-powder cartridges, and other explosive-related items in the house of fugitive Than Tun (aka) Chindwin.
- Moreover, a pistol handle, a sniper scope, an IED made of PVC pipe, 146 rounds of 12-bolt bullets, one blackpowder cartridge, 50 tickles of gunpowder, one green-coloured backpack, four hammocks in camouflage-pattern, one rifle-sling, and other explosive-related items were also found hidden near Mayantaung (upper) village of Pyinmana township and confiscated.

- With the contact of fugitive Han Zaw Min, ex-village administrator and NLD party member, the two arrested offenders became members of the terrorist group so-called Naypyitaw PDF group led by Bo Tayza (aka) Han Min Tun (to be arrested) who is currently operating around Pekon township of Shan state (south).
- On 22 March, three offenders: Bo Tayza (aka) Han Min Tun (to be arrested), Sein Lwin (aka) Maung Sein (aka) Khayay and Win Myo Htet (aka) Win Noe (aka) Belar with two motorcycles carried two 107mm rockets and other explosives left Pekon township and arrived at Mayantaung (upper) village of Pyinmana township. They then practised the steps of how to set and fire improvised 107mm

rockets in the wood near the village.

- They then hid the two 107mm rockets and other explosives in four different locations.
- Under the instructions of offender Bo Tayza (aka) Han Min Tun (to be arrested), the arrested offenders plotted to attack on the crowded places where people gather for funfairs. However, the plot was prevented in time by information advantage and the pre-emptive actions of security personnel.

It is reported that measures will be taken to take harsh legal actions against the arrested offenders.

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- With the contact of fugitive Han Zaw Min, ex-village administrator and NLD party member, the two arrested offenders became members of the terrorist group so-called Naypyitaw PDF group led by Bo Tayza (aka) Han Min Tun (to be arrested) who is currently operating around Pekon township of Shan state (south).
- Although the arrested offenders planned to attack on the crowded places where people gather for funfairs, their plot was prevented in time by information advantage and the pre-emptive actions of security personnel.



Offender Sein Lwin (aka) Maung Sein (aka) Khayay



Offender Win Myo Htet (aka) Win Noe (aka) Belar



Fugitive Han Zaw Min, a member of NLD party



Fugitive Khin Myo Thet (Wife of Han Zaw Min)



A 107mm rocket seized along with offender Sein Lwin (aka) Maung Sein (aka) Khayay



A 107mm rocket seized in the compound of fugitive Han Zaw Min's house, a NLD party member, in Zeephyupin Village of Pyinmana Township



An explosive related materials seized in the compound of fugitive Than Tun (aka) Chindwin's house in Zeephyupin Village of Pyinmana Township



An explosive related materials seized inside the bushes near Awai Yar Dam in Zeephyupin Village of Pyinmana Township

## Actions Continue against Unscrupulous Persons who Follow and Make Incitements and Propaganda of CRPH and NUG Terrorist Groups, their Subordinates and Colluded Groups

The entire population has already been informed not to follow the incitements and propaganda made by CRPH and NUG declared as terrorist groups, their subordinates and colluded groups. In spite of that, some unscrupulous persons are making incitements and propaganda to disrupt the State peace and stability via social media. Therefore, necessary actions have been taken against them in line with law. In this regard:

• From 22 to 28 March 2023, three people from Nay Pyi Taw Council Territory, six people from Yangon region, five from Magway region, one from Sagaing region, two from Bago region, three from Mandalay region, one from Kachin state and one from Mon state were arrested.

• From 27 January 2022 to 28 March 2023, legal actions were taken against a total of 1,314 people under the law.

It is reported that necessary actions will be continued against such instigators and unscrupulous persons making propaganda and instigations.

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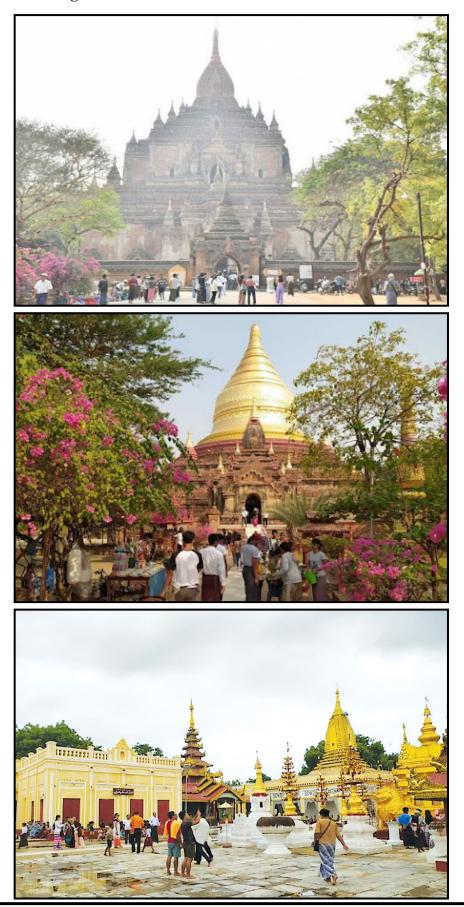
### Visitors Crowd Bagan Ancient Cultural Area and Chaung Tha Beach

During summer holidays-cum-three public holidays (from 25 to 27 Mar), Bagan -Nyaung U ancient cultural area and Chaung Tha beach were crowded with visitors from different areas of the country.

Around 80,000 pilgrims from different areas of the country visited ancient famous pagodas and religious buildings and recreational elephant camps in Bagan ancient cultural area on a daily basis. Restaurants, shops for clothes, souvenir shops, horse carts and mini Oways (three wheelers motorcycles) for hire, agencies of local tour guide, hotels, motels and guest houses are crowded with visitors daily.

Similarly, as more visitors visit Chaung Tha beach, local residents working beach-related businesses come to earn more income. Concerned authorities manage to oversee the operations, such as joyful relaxation of visitors, the sale of local products to be followed sale guidelines and convenient parking area for cars, it is reported.

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