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Chief of the General Staff (Army, Navy and Air) General Maung Maung Aye Receives a Delegation led by Head of Logistic Department of Lao People's Armed Forces



The Chief of the General Staff (Army, Navy and Air) General Maung Maung Aye received a delegation led by Major General Khamphet Sisanon, Head of Logistic Department of Lao People's Armed Forces at the parlour of Bayintnaung Villa in Nay Pyi Taw on 21 November, cordially discussing the matters on accelerating relations, friendship and cooperation between the two armed forces.

The meeting was attended by the Chief of the General Staff (Army, Navy and Air) together with Quartermaster General Lt -Gen Kyaw Swar Lin, senior military officers from the Office of the Commander-in-Chief. The Head of Logistic Department of Lao People's Armed Forces was accompanied by the officials of the Logistic Department.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (22-11-2023)

- **During the meeting between the Chief of the General Staff (Army, Navy and Air) General Maung Maung Aye and a delegation led by the Head of Logistic Department of Lao People's Armed Forces, views are frankly exchanged on cooperation between the two armed forces.**

Union Minister U Tin Oo Lwin Participates in Ninth St Petersburg International Cultural Forum



Myanmar delegation led by the Union Minister for Religious Affairs and Culture U Tin Oo Lwin attended the “Ninth St Petersburg International Cultural Forum” which was held in St Petersburg, the Russian Federation, from 16 to 18 November. They arrived back in Myanmar on 20 November. In this regard,

- On 16 November, the Myanmar delegates actively participated in three discussions: “Learning History through Culture”, “Historical Memory and Artistic World”, and “Historical Heritage as a Formative Environment”.
- On 17 November, the Myanmar delegates held a meeting with H.E. Ms. Olga Lyubimova, Minister of Culture of the Russian Federation, along with Ministers

and Deputy Ministers from 41 countries. And, the Union Minister attended a meeting where the President of the Russian Federation, Vladimir Putin met with Ministers, Deputy Ministers, prominent experts, and artists who participated in the forum.

- On 18 November, the Myanmar delegation attended the Heritage Award Ceremony at the State Heritage Museum and explored the museum.

The prominent cultural experts from more than 70 countries including the cultural organizations, BRICS Institute and Shanghai Cooperation participated in the forum, and gave sector-wise discussions with 8 topics regarding cultural and artistic aspects in the forum.

Source: The Global New Light of Myanmar Newspaper (22-11-2023)

- **Myanmar delegation led by Union Minister U Tin Oo Lwin participated in the Ninth St Petersburg International Cultural Forum” held in St Petersburg of the Russian Federation.**

Myanmar Delegation led by Union Minister Dr. Thet Thet Khine Participates in 2023 China Intl Travel Mart and ASEAN-China Tourism Investment



Jointly conducted by the Ministry of Culture and Tourism China, Air Traffic Management Bureau and Yunnan people's government, the 2023 China International Travel Mart from 17th to 19th of November, and the 2023 ASEAN-China Tourism Investment Forum on 18th of November jointly organized by ASEAN-China Center and Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture were respectively held at Kunming city, Yunnan Province in the Republic of China where Myanmar delegation led by Union Minister for Hotels and Tourism Dr. Thet Thet Khaing were in attendance.

- On 17 November, the Union Minister and party attended the opening ceremony of the 2023 China International Travel Mart held at Kunming Duanchi Convention & Exhibition Centre and Nihao Chaian program.
- Then, the Union Minister and party met with Mr. Shi Zhongjun, the secretary

general from ASEAN-China Center and discussed about the Myanmar-China bilateral cooperation affairs, and plans to organize the tourism promotion and human resources development discussions, trainings and Myanmar tourism promotion.

- Next, the Union Minister received news media outlets answering the Myanmar tourism development and cooperation works on tourism between Myanmar and China especially Yunnan state.
- On 18 November, the Union Minister and party attended ASEAN-China Tourism Investment Forum held at Empark Grand Hotel Kunming. There, the Union Minister gave the opening remark. She emphasized the strategic importance of attracting tourism investments to the ASEAN region, aligning with the ASEAN Tourism Master Strategy Plan (2016-2025) and there are many invest-

ment opportunities in Myanmar tourism and invited China to be able to make investments in Myanmar's tourism.

The China International Travel Mart 2023 has been held since past 25 years and it is the world's third largest one. The 2023 China International Tourism Fair, celebrating the 10th anniversary of the Belt and

Road Initiative, aimed to boost global tourism in the post-Covid-19 period with the "Nihao China" Hello China program for the development of tourism, it is reported.

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Myanmar held the 52nd Meeting of the Greater Mekong Sub-Region Tourism Group and the Mekong Tourism Coordinating Office Board Meeting via a hybrid system in Nay Pyi Taw on 21 November.

During the meeting, Union Minister for Hotels and Tourism Dr. Thet Thet Khine said the following points;

- Before the Covid-19 pandemic, in 2019, 73.6 million tourists entered the Greater Mekong sub-region and earned USD 101 billion.
- Although there were challenges due to the pandemic, the member countries

made efforts to revive the tourism sector and to recover the international tourism industry.

- The meetings being held will build strong relations and cooperation between the member countries and create a brighter future for the tourism sector in the Greater Mekong Sub-Region. In addition, it would contribute to balanced and sustainable development among member countries.

The director-general of the Directorate of Hotels and Tourism acted as the chair and discussed the development of the tourism sector among the member countries, digital



tourism and destination areas, issues related to infrastructure development, the Greater Mekong Tourism Sector Strategy 2030 and issues related to further cooperation.

The meetings were attended by Deputy minister for Hotels and Tourism, the permanent secretary, the director-general and other senior officials, representatives from other relevant ministries, heads of Tourism Authority from Laos, Myanmar, Thailand and Vietnam, officials of Mekong Tourism Coordinating Office, officials and invited guests of Myanmar Tourism Federation and its brotherly associations, repre-

sentatives of Asian Development Bank-ADB, representatives of tourism industries from Cambodia, China, ASEAN-Japan Centre and Asia-Pacific tourism industry. The Mekong Tourism Coordinating Office Board Meeting will continue on 22 November, it is reported.

Source: The Global New Light of Myanmar Newspaper (22-11-2023)

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Union Election Commission Releases Notifications of Allowing Political Parties to Register/Removing Them from Registered Ones

The Union Election Commission released notifications allowing the Modern People Party and Labour Party to register as political parties, and removing the Shan State Kokang Democratic Party from the list of registered political parties and dissolving it on 20 November.

- UEC released notifications on 20 November 2023 allowing Modern People Party, with its headquarters located at No 101, Apartment 100/101, Aung Thukha Street in No 5 Ward of Kamayut Township in Yangon Region; and the Labour Party, with its headquarters located at No 33/49, at the corner of Maha Bandoola Park Road and Bank Street, Ward No 1

in Kyauktada Township of Yangon Region have been allowed to register under Section 9 of the Political Parties Registration Law.

- The Shan State Kokang Democratic Party has been cancelled from being registered and dissolved as a political party starting 20 November 2023 because the party failed to meet the requirements set by the UEC.

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State Administration Council Information Team Leader Maj-Gen Zaw Min Tun Responds to Rumours about Ongoing Situations in the State

The State Administration Council (SAC) Information Team Leader Maj-Gen Zaw Min Tun responded to the rumours about the recent developments in the State and the ongoing armed conflicts in Shan State (North), Kayah State and Rakhine State as follows -

The excerpts from the SAC Information Team Leader Maj-Gen Zaw Min Tun are as follows:

- Regarding the rumours about the possible schools closing in some townships, Maj. Gen said that internal and external subversives who want to destroy social



and economic sectors of the country are spreading the rumours and the schools will be opened normally.

- Regarding online scamming, Chinese citizens found guilty of online scamming are working together with armed groups in the border areas to cheat the people of both countries.
- Both countries are actively cooperating to eradicate the cases of online scamming. However, media agencies receiving support from Western countries are spreading disinformation and fake news to cause misunderstandings between China and Myanmar and the people.
- Media outlets receiving support from Western countries are portraying the demonstrations by the Myanmar National Network against the violent attacks of MNDAA to disrupt the relations between Myanmar and China.
- The Media outlets receiving support from Western countries and the infor-

mation team of MNDAA are spreading disinformation regarding the violent attacks of MNDAA to spoil the country and utter devastation.

- The KNPP insurgents are spreading the propaganda news regarding the abduction of education staff from Loikaw University stating that they are safe in their hands.
- In reality, after local organizations and associations released statements to strongly condemn the KNPP groups' abduction of education staff from Loikaw University, they released such propaganda news to disguise their cruelty and portray it as if they were protecting them. We all can see that the victims are saying dialogues what they are forcibly asked to.
- It is found that subversive media outlets have kept silent without describing the abduction of Loikaw University education staff by so-called NUG/PDF groups,

- reckless shootings in the education buildings, and the killings of some teachers.
- The ongoing violent acts and media outlets are underway to spoil the country towards the utter devastation of the State.
 - Measures for security and stability of the local areas are underway. Insurgents fired 107 mm rockets using improvised launchers into the Laukkai town. MNDA and TNLA terrorist insurgents, using a large number of strength, launched attacks on military outposts in Namsalat and Mone Kyat village but they suffered heavy casualties.
 - In Rakhine state, armed insurgents attacked Tron-Ai and Non-Bu posts; the Tatmadaw personnel and Myanmar police force members are taking necessary measures to restore security and stability in Pauktaw town; and In Kyauktaw town, AA groups violently took the public-own passenger ferries of Yaynayar (1) vessel and Yaybawe (4) vessel.
 - There were some engagements in the areas to the northeast of Loikaw town and Loikaw prison was attacked.
 - Terrorists using drones launched drop-bomb attacks on the runway of the airport in Kale town.
 - In the areas of armed conflicts, the insurgents faced many casualties due to the gallant attacks of the military personnel.
 - Insurgents and terrorists are particularly targeting the public areas rather than the military targets.
 - The areas in the northeastern part of Shan State reside the majority of Shan ethnic people and TNLA and MNDA terrorist insurgents are using the villages and houses belonging to the Shan ethics to attack military outposts.
 - In this regard, the Shan ethnic people started to object or release condemning statements.
 - Insurgent groups, NUG and PDF terrorist groups are only the ones targeting the utter devastation of the country to achieve their power.

Regarding the rumours about the ongoing situations in the country, the local and foreign destructive elements in collaboration with the subversive media agencies are spreading disinformation to cause misunderstandings among the public. Moreover, they attacked the economic sector of the country such as the fuel sector and banking services and spread rumours of the school closing such as the attacks on the education sector. Therefore, the students and parents are urged to cooperate with the government to eliminate the said destructive elements attacking the students who are the future of the State.

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Security Forces Clear and Restore PyinOoLwin-Nawngkhio-Kyaukme-Lashio Union Highway Destroyed and Blocked by TNLA and PDF Terrorists

In addition to committing various terror acts, including the destruction of department buildings, roads, and bridges by mine blasts in Shan State (North), TNLA and PDF terrorists have been destroying public transport roads used for regional logistics. The roads which are not military targets, are disrupted by digging deep cross ditches and blocking them with piles of earth cuttings.

The destructive activities of TNLA and PDF terrorists include cutting and blocking roads by slashing trees and creating cross pits along the PyinOoLwin-

Nawngkhio-Kyaukme-Lashio Union Highway. These activities occurred at one location each near Shwenyaungpin, Nawngkhio township, Lelkyinkway village, Ohmmakha village, Goktwin Viewpoint, and Naungpit junction, as well as seven locations between Naungpit and Naungpain villages. Due to these perpetrations, travellers and vehicles were unable to use roads causing significant disruptions.

Such sabotages caused losses for the emergency health matters of locals. After making necessary security arrangements,



security forces step by step cleared the blockades made by terrorists, starting from 6 November, and attempted to restore convenient transport for the public. On the night of 19 November, a total of 12 blocked locations were reopened.

Thanks to removing barriers, the road up to Kyaukme has now been restored to regular traffic, and the security forces will

continue trying to clear the remaining blockades along the Union Highway for normal operation. The security forces, in cooperation with residents, are making progress in conducting a counter-terrorism campaign against terrorists who destroyed public transport roads that are not military targets.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (21-11-2023)

- Security forces cleared barriers and repaired a total of 12 blocked locations made by TNLA and PDF terrorists along the PyinOoLwin-Nawngkhio-Kyaukme-Lashio Union Highway.
- Thanks to removing barriers, the road up to Kyaukme has now been restored to regular traffic, and the security forces will continue trying to clear the remaining blockades along the Union Highway for normal operation.

Security Forces Restoring the Areas Destroyed and Blocked by TNLA and PDF Terrorists



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People Rally to Show Support for Tatmadaw Personnel Serving National Defense and Security Duties



People who desire peace and stability have been supporting Tatmadaw personnel, members of the Myanmar Police Force, people's militia and their family members serving on the front lines for national defense and security.

In doing so, on 16 November, the peace advocates including patriotic monks and people gathered at the Oakthar Football ground in Oakthar Myothit in Bago City of Bago Region. They all conducted a rally to

condemn the actions of various terrorist-armed insurgent groups, including the KIA, TNLA, MNDAA, AA, BPLA, and PDF. The rally attendees also expressed strong support for the frontline military personnel dedicated to safeguarding national defense and security.

During these gathering at the football ground, the participants condemned the actions terrorist armed insurgents.

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Tatmadaw River-going Mobile Hospital Vessel (ShwePuzun), Riverine Boat (Sagu) and Tamadaw Sea-going Mobile Hospital Vessel (Thanlwin) with the Tatmadaw Mobile Medical Teams and Medical Teams from Ministry of Health Provide Helath Care Services



The Tatmadaw River-going Mobile Hospital Vessel (ShwePuzun) and riverine boat (Sagu) with the Tatmadaw Mobile medical teams and medical teams from the Ministry of Health comprised of specialists, medical officers and nurses are providing healthcare services to locals from the villages in the delta area along the Ayeyarwady river in the Ayeyarwady region and the Bago region. Similarly, Tamadaw Sea-going Mobile Hospital Vessel (Thanlwin) is also providing healthcare services to local people from villages of Cocokyun township in the Yangon region, Hainggyikyun township in the Ayeyarwady region and along the Rakhine coast. The Tatmadaw River-going Mobile Hospital Vessel (ShwePuzun) and riverine boat (Sagu) provided health care services as follows:

- On 15 November, a total of 431 residents in wards and surrounding villages of Pyay township of Bago region;
- On 17 and 18 November, a total of 909

local residents in wards and surrounding villages of Kyangin township of Ayeyarwady region;

- On 19 and 20 November, a total of 283 local residents in wards and surrounding villages of Moenyo township of Bago region.
- On 21 November, 403 local residents in wards and surrounding villages of Zalun township of Ayeyarwady region;

Tamadaw Sea-going Mobile Hospital Vessel (Thanlwin) provided health care services as follows:

- On 16 and 17 November, a total of 1,591 local residents in wards and surrounding villages of Kyaukpyu township of Rakhine state;
- On 19 and 20 November, a total of 940 local residents in wards and surrounding villages of Thandwe township of Rakhine state;
- On 21 November, a total of 1,125 local residents in wards and surrounding vil-



lages of Chaung Thar village of Ayeyarwady region;

A total of 5,682 patients including 2,041 patients who need medical treatments, 230 patients who need surgical operations, 179 patients with obstetric/gynecologic diseases, 261 patients with pediatric diseases, 913 orthopaedic diseases, 362 patients with ENT-related diseases, 1,261 patients with eye diseases and 435 patients with dental and oral diseases were given medical treatment at the Tatmadaw River-going Mobile Hospital Vessel (ShwePuzun), riverine boat (Sagu) and Tamadaw Sea-going Mobile Hospital Vessel (Thanlwin). The medics conducted

operations on 74 patients who needed to perform general surgery and 54 others who needed to perform eye surgery onboard. Moreover, diagnoses and treatments were also provided to 51 patients who needed to take X-ray scans, 107 patients who needed to take television X-ray scans, 228 patients who needed to receive laboratory tests, 223 patients who needed to take ultrasound scanning and 151 cardiologic patients undergoing ECG procedures.

16 patients who needed hospital treatments were arranged to receive required medical treatments at nearby hospitals, it is reported.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (22-11-2023)

- **The Tatmadaw River-going Mobile Hospital Vessel (Shwe Puzun), riverine boat (Sagu) and Tamadaw Sea-going Mobile Hospital Vessel (Thanlwin) are providing health care services to local residents from villages along the Ayeyarwady River and Rakhine coast.**
- **From 15 to 21 November, the medical teams provided healthcare services to a total of 5,682 patients including patients who needed surgical operations, patients with obstetric/gynecologic diseases, patients with pediatric diseases, patients with orthopedic diseases, patients with orthopedic diseases, patients with eye diseases, patients with ENT related diseases, patients with general diseases, patients with dental and oral diseases.**

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Generous Donors Present Cash Awards for Security Personnel Serving State Security and Defence Duties Gallantly



The ceremonies of presenting cash awards to the security personnel who are gallantly serving security and defence duties in the areas of North-Eastern Command by the generous donors were held from 1 to 16 November as follows:

- At the Anawrahta Hall of the Yangon Command, 27 generous donors presented K5,148.2 million cash award to the Command's commander Maj-Gen Zaw Hein and officials for security personnel.
- At the Ayechanphyo Hall of the Southern Command, 44 generous donors presented K1,83.5 million cash award to the

Command's commander Brig-Gen Kyi Thike and officials for security personnel.

During the respective events, the Chief Ministers, the commanders, and officials spoke words of thanks for such contributions and presented certificates of honour to the generous donors. From 1 to 16 November, K13,997.6 million cash awards had been presented for security personnel, it is reported.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (17-11-2023)

- **The generous donors from various regions and states presented K13,997.6 million cash awards to the officials from 1 and 16 November for the security personnel who are gallantly serving the security and defence duties in the area of North-Eastern Command.**

Generous Donors Present Foodstuffs for Security Personnel in the Areas of North-East Command



Generous donors presented cash awards for security personnel serving State Security and Defence duties gallantly in the areas of North-East Command. Moreover, they also donated foodstuffs (boxes of Biryani), boxes of butter rice with chicken curry and foodstuffs from 15 to 20 November. The boxes of Biryani and boxes of butter rice with chicken curry donated by the generous donors were sent to Lashio via Yangon by a military aircraft, and the officials accepted them.

Monks and people wrote letters such as “May all security personnel be healthy”, “May all the security personnel win every battle”, “May all the security personnel be safe” inside the boxes of Biryani and boxes of butter rice with chicken curry, and sent them to security personnel, it is reported.

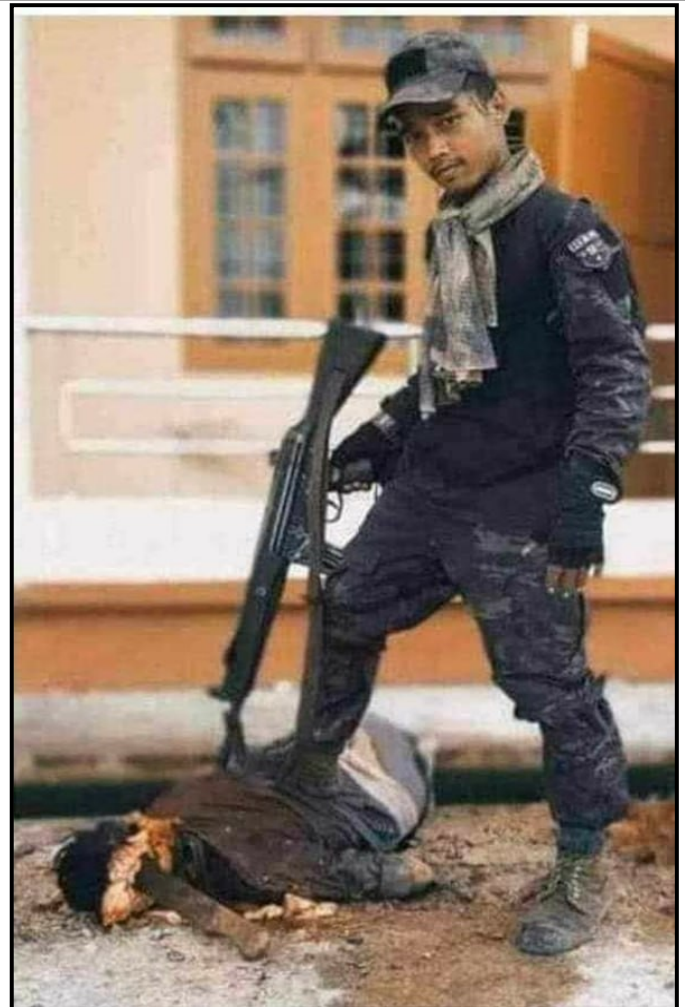
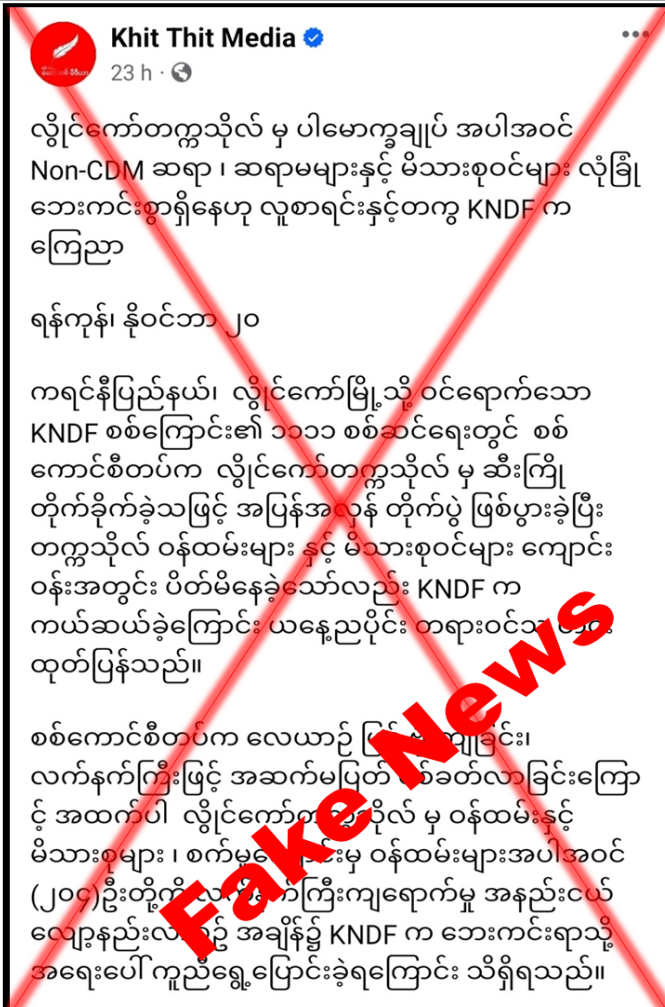
Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (21-11-2023)

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Foodstuffs Provided for Security Personnel in the Areas of North-East Command



KNPP, PDF Terrorists Spread False News of Evacuating Faculty Members, Families, and Rector of Loikaw University



The above image describing subversive media agency spreading disinformation in Burmese language (L) Brutal killings of some faculty members in Loikaw University by KNPP and PDF terrorists posted on the social media as the evidence (R)

KNPP and so-called PDF terrorists launched deliberate attacks on Loikaw University in Kayah State which is not a military target on 13 and 14 November with heavy and small weapons and abducted faculty members who were teaching students peacefully and families including the rector of the University. After doing such forcible abductions, they disseminated misinformation on social media.

When they raided Loikaw University, they threatened faculty members, families

and the rector that they might be killed for not joining CDM, and abducted them as human shields while some faculty members were brutally killed. Moreover, some educational buildings were destroyed in their attacks, and the examination for the third shift of the University of Distance Education scheduled on 13 November was stalled indefinitely causing huge losses to students.

It was also found out that they broadcast false news claiming that they evacuated faculty members, families and the rector



The image that KNPP and PDF terrorists raided non-military target of Loikaw University posted on the social media as the evidence

and placed them safely even though they forcefully seized them and video files of faculty members and the rector who are just saying the plot they created via misinformation media outlets on 20 November aiming at destroying the peace and stability of the country.

servicing their duties and showing their loyalty to the country without joining the CDM and are being abducted by KNPP and PDF terrorists.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (22-11-2023)

Tatmadaw is now making concerted efforts for rescue operations to ensure the safe return of faculty members, families and the rector of Loikaw University who are

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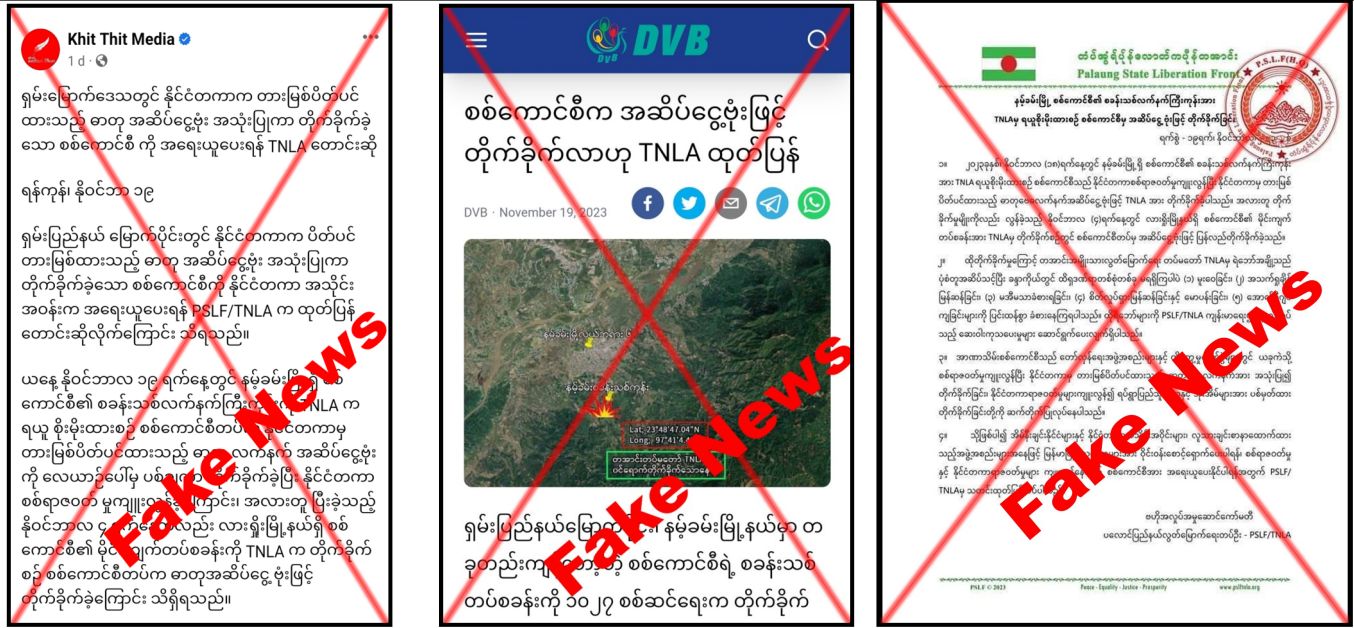


The image that KNPP and PDF terrorists raided non-military target of Loikaw University resulting educational buildings damaged, posted on the social media as the evidence



The images of false news that the KNPP and PDF terrorists evacuated faculty members, families and the rector from Loikaw University after forcibly abducting them

Misinformation Spreads that Tatmadaw is Using Gas Bombs



The above images describing some subversive media agencies spreading misinformation in Burmese language

Sakhan Thit Security Camp in Namhkam Township, Shan State (North) is being attacked by terrorists named TNLA and so-called PDF terrorists. False news released by the TNLA is being distributed on the online media, claiming that the Tatmadaw has attacked using poison gas bombs while carrying out security operations necessary for the security of the area and the rule of law.

The false statement of the TNLA group, including Khit Thit Media, which does not want national peace and stability, has been published on social media pages and has broadcasted false information.

The Tatmadaw has not used poison gas bombs in any battles. TNLA and PDF terrorists have been killed due to the gallant attacks of the military with the help of effective heavy weapons in counter-terrorist operations. Their group was demoralized and no longer willing to fight, so they falsely claimed that Tatmadaw had used poison gas bombs and relied on subversive media to spread false news and misinformation. Tatmadaw affirmed that it will continue to carry out counter-terrorism operations for regional security and law enforcement.

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Disinformation and Fake News being circulated about Airstrike near Myothit Village in Namsang Township



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It is found that disinformation and fake news are being spread on social media at which it is stated that there was an airstrike on a place near Myothit village in Namsang Township in northern Shan State at 11 pm on 19 November and it claimed lives of some local people.

The Tatmadaw is conducting counter-terrorism operations for the security and the prevalence of law and order in the area. It is reported that terrorists recklessly launched heavy weapon attacks during the clash, and the shells landed in the said-village. In this regard, the Tatmadaw did not launch any

airstrikes on the scene of the incident at all. Destructive media have a grudge against the counter-terrorism operations by the Tatmadaw together with the people and so, they are creating and circulating disinformation and fake news regarding it on social media in

order to cause dissension between the people and the Tatmadaw, it is reported.

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (22-11-2023)

- **The news about the airstrike on a place near Myothit village in Namsang Township is the fake news. The reality is that terrorists recklessly launched heavy weapon attacks during the clash, and the shells landed in the said-village.**

Myanmar Transfers Illegal Immigrants from Border Areas to Respective Authorities



The government is focusing on State peace, stability and rule of law. Moreover, the government is investigating and identifying the illegal immigrants from the border areas of Myanmar. After the investigation process of the foreigners illegally residing in the border areas, they were systematically transferred to the authorities of the relevant countries. In this regard,

- On 20 November, a total of 1,042 Chi-

nese individuals (982 men and 60 women) were identified and handed over.

- On 21 November, a total of 1,859 Chinese individuals (1,816 men and 43 women) were identified and handed over.
- From 31 October to 21 November 2023, a total of 3,918 Chinese people (3,733 men and 185) have been verified, and transferred systematically to the authori-

ties of the People's Republic of China.

The government emphasizes prevailing rule of law in border regions, and reaffirmed its commitment to verifying and transferring

illegal immigrants from the border areas, it is reported.

Source: The Global New Light of Myanmar Newspaper (22-11-2023)

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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 15 to 21 November 2023, ten people from Yangon region, six people from Mandalay region, two from Bago region, one from Tanintharyi region, two from

Rakhine state and two from Shan state, totaling 23 were arrested.

- From 27 January 2022 to 21 November 2023, legal actions were taken against a total of 1,836 people under the law.

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

Source: Myawady Daily Newspaper (22-11-2023)

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Efforts made to Increase Export Volume in the Fiscal Year of 2023-2024



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

- Over seven-month period, from 1st of April to 3rd of November in the fiscal year of 2023-2024, the Thai-Myanmar border trade reached a total of USD 3,034.079 million. It includes export val-

ue of USD 2,099.315 and USD 935.394 million of import value.

The country conducts border trade with neighboring Thailand through Tachileik, Myawady, Kawthaung, Myeik, Hteekhee, Mawtaung and Maesae border trade posts. Among them, the Hteekhee trade post conducts the largest trade, it is reported.

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