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UEC Chairman launches mVoter2020 mobile app online



Union Election Commission Chairman U Hla Thein attends the launching ceremony of mVoter2020 mobile application yesterday. PHOTO: MNA

THE Union Election Commission, the Asia Foundation and the International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance (International IDEA) jointly launched mVoter2020 mobile application online yesterday morning.

UEC Chair U Hla Thein,

UEC members, officials of UEC office, the Asia Foundation, International IDEA, European Union, PopStack and other civilian organizations joined the ceremony.

Firstly, the UEC chair said that he was glad for the development of mVoter2020 application

and it is the best for the voters in specific townships under Stay-at-Home order during COVID-19 pandemic.

The elections play vital role in democratic nations, and the people have to choose the Hluttaw representatives who will serve for the sake of country

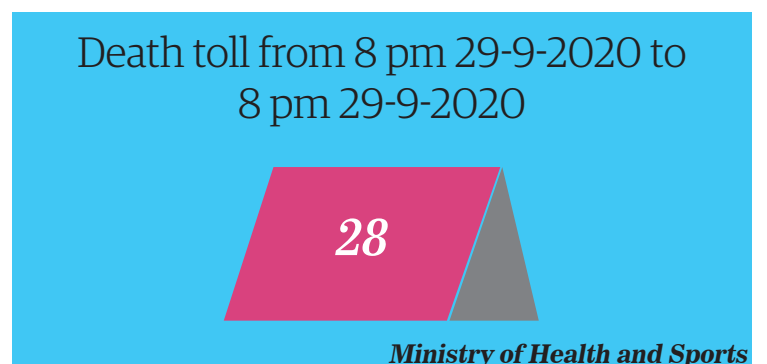
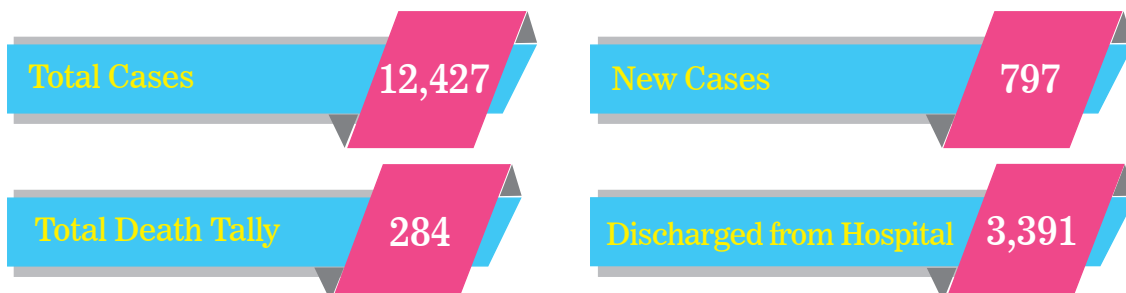
by casting their votes and so they need to know the names, qualifications, experience of the candidates who they vote including the policy, stance and work programmes of their parties, he added.

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797 more new cases of COVID-19 reported on 29 September, total figure rises to 12,427

MYANMAR'S COVID-19 positive cases rise to 12,427 after 797 new cases were reported on 29 September according to Ministry of Health and Sports. Among these 12,427 confirmed cases, 284 died, 3,391 have been discharged from hospitals.—MNA

Updated at 8 pm, 29 September 2020



Union Minister Dr Myint Htwe receives cash donation for COVID-19 measures



Union Minister Dr Myint Htwe receives the cash donation from Union Minister U Soe Win for COVID 19 measures on 29 September. **PHOTO: MNA**

A donation ceremony for measures against COVID-19 prevention, control and treatment was held at the Ministry of Health and Sports yesterday afternoon.

Firstly, Union Minister for Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation Dr Aung Thu, Union Minister for International Cooperation U Kyaw Tin and Union Minister for Planning, Finance and Industry U Soe Win explained the reasons of donations.

Union Minister Dr Myint Htwe said that such donations can be used not only for the

patients during COVID-19 pandemic and also will be a supportive pillar for the healthcare system in the long run.

He also thanked the Ministry of Planning, Finance and Industry for supporting financial resources to use in COVID-19 prevention, control and treatment activities and the Ministry of International Cooperation for its support in establishing connection with international countries for aids.

Then, the Union Minister Dr Aung Thu donated K87.5 million on behalf of the Min-

istry of Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation while K8.5 million by Union Minister U Kyaw Tin on behalf of Theitpan Chun civil society organization and K3 million by Union Minister U Soe Win, his wife Daw Mar Mar Swe, son U Aung Khine + Daw Hnin Hnin Yi, U Soe Tun + Daw Mya Kyay Mone, Dr Min Htin + Dr Thazin Win and U Aye Cho + Pyae families.

Union Minister Dr Myint Htwe received the cash donation and gave certificates of honour in return.—MNA (Translated by Khine Thazin Han)

UEC Chairman launches mVoter2020 mobile app online

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There are about 22 million of internet users via mobile phones in Myanmar nowadays and now they can easily search about the election via mVoter2020 application. The application provides the data of candidates in their respective constituencies, political stances of parties, questions of voters

regarding with election, answers for election-related matters including how to vote and other electoral knowledge and information released by UEC.

He also thanked the officials of the Asia Foundation and International IDEA for their efforts in implementing the applications and the PopStack that created the application free of charge. He made a request to

the voters not to mind if some inconveniences occur while using the mVoter2020 application.

The Asia Foundation Country Representative Mr Mark McDowell, Acting Head of EU Embassy Mr Johann Hesse and Head of International IDEA Mr Marcus Brand expressed words of thanks while an official of PopStack explained how to use the application in details.

The mVoter2020 application can be downloaded at www.mae-paysoh.org and the instructions for use can be found on UEC website www.uec.gov.mm and UEC Facebook Page.—MNA

(Translated by Khine Thazin Han)



Republic of the Union of Myanmar Office of Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services Statement on Ceasefire and Eternal Peace

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29 September 2020

1. For effective and rapid control of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) in the Republic of the Union Myanmar, for implementing lasting peace and in support to the Appeal for Global Ceasefire of Secretary-General Antonio Guterres of the United Nations, the Office of Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services has issued a statement in line with the international standards to enforce a ceasefire in the areas from 1 to 30 September 2020 except the areas where terrorist groups declared by the government take positions.
2. Due to the increasing spread rate and death toll amid second wave of COVID-19 across the country, Myanmar Tatmadaw is actively taking part in prevention, control and treatment of COVID-19 for the interests of country and people.
3. With the aim to increase momentum of effective and rapid containment, prevention and treatment of COVID-19 in Myanmar and restoring lasting peace, the Tatmadaw will extend the suspension of military activities from 1 to 31 October 2020, except in the areas where terrorist groups declared by the government take positions.

Office of the Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services



Check your names in voter list online



The 2020 General Election will be organized soon. The Union Election Commission will announce the second edition of eligible voter lists on 1 October. This will be the final chance to check the names, and that public needs their cooperation to check the names and correct wrong information in the list. The names can be checked online commencing from 1 October. If there were some difficulties in the process due to a large number of online visitors, it is requested to try again. Take the following steps in checking the names online.

Step (1)—Type <https://findyourpollingstation.uec.gov.mm> on the browser of your computer or mobile phone. Or scan the QR code.



Step (2)— After entering the website, press 'Start'. Select the names of Region/State and Township on the second page. Then, use Unicode Font to input your information. * mark means the required information cannot be skipped. Add the national registration card number or the birth date.

Step (3)— Press 'Search'

If the name is not included in the voter list or the information was wrong, go to the ward/village election commission and get the necessary forms for correction. The detailed information is also available at the internet page of UEC <https://uec.gov.mm> and its Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/uecmyanmar>.

Union Election Commission

2020 MULTIPARTY DEMOCRACY GENERAL ELECTION



Who is eligible to vote?

- irrespective of sex or religion
- those who are 18 years of age on the date of the election
- citizens, associate citizens, and those who have permission to become naturalized citizens, who do not contravene the provisions of the Hluttaw Election Law
- a person whose name has been included in the voting list of the respective constituency

Who is ineligible to vote?

- a member of a religious order
- person serving a prison sentence
- person adjudged to be of unsound mind as provided for in the relevant law
- person who has not yet been discharged as an insolvent
- person prohibited by the Election Law
- foreigner or person who has assumed foreign citizenship

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MIC approves seven projects with 5,000 jobs

MYANMAR Investment Commission (MIC) held its regular meeting (13/2020) via video conferencing system, yesterday morning. Chairman of the MIC, Union Minister U Thaung Tun, Vice-Chairman, Union Minister Dr Than Myint and members of the Commission participated in the meeting.

The meeting approved seven new projects in the manufacturing, real estate, hotels and tourism, and other services sectors as well as additional investments in four existing projects. The approved projects amounted to USD (347.85) million, Kyat (23,411.255) million and (4,915) job opportunities are expected to be created.



Union Minister U Thaung Tun joins MIC regular meeting (13/2020) online. PHOTO: MNA

By the end of August 2020, the countries with the largest investments in Myanmar are Singapore, People's Republic of China and Thailand. The power sector accounted for 26.32%. This was followed by the oil and gas sector, accounting for 26.23% and the manufacturing sector, accounting for 14.31 % of the total permitted amount of foreign investment.— MNA

MoI to support needy people from media, literary, film, Thabin, music industries



MOI organizes an online meeting with representatives from world of media, literary and entertainment. PHOTO: MNA

The Ministry of Information organized an online meeting yesterday evening with representatives from media, literary, film, traditional Thabin, and music industries to provide relief fund for the needy persons in these industries amidst COVID-19 crisis.

Union Minister for Information Dr Pe Myint, Deputy Minister U Aung Hla Tun, Permanent Secretary U Myo Myint Maung, and relevant government officials discussed to offer K30 million to each industry.

U Htin Lin Oo from literary circle; U Kyaw Swar Min, U Myat Khaing, U Chit Win Maung and U Wunna aka Mar J, U Myint Kyaw, U Naing Min Wai, Daw Nan Phaw Gay, Daw May Yi Nyein Chan, Daw Tinza, U Htay Aung, and U Khun Sai Aung from media

industry; U Nyi Nyi Tun Lwin, and U Aye Kyu Lay from film industry; traditional dancer Phoe Chit and U Nay Win from Thabin industry; and U Zaw Htoo Aung, U Myint Moe Aung, Daw Haymar Nay Win, U Naing Zaw, U Ko Ko Lwin, U Kyi Min Thein, and Piano Thein Myint Than from music industry also joined the meeting online.

With the permission of the National-Level Central Committee on Prevention, Control and Treatment of COVID-19, the ministry will present a total of K150 million to the five industries on 30 September, and their representatives will later redistribute the money to the needy people.— MNA

(Translated by Maung Maung Swe)

To shape the future with your vote, let's check the voters list.

Requests to voters

1. The Union Election Commission performed monthly correction/addition/cancellation in the preliminary voter lists at the relevant sub-commissions for ensuring accurate voter list after collecting the list of eligible voters in 2019 for the General Election scheduled on 8 November 2020. The first edition of voter lists was published at the offices of respective ward/village-tract commissions and in the villages from 25-7-2020 to 14-8-2020. The voters have applied for corrections and objections.
2. Based on the requests, correction and addition of the voters, the second edition of voter lists will be released for 14 days from 1-10-2020 to 14-10-2020 for the final time at the offices of respective ward/village-tract commissions and in the villages again. For ensuring correct voter lists, the voters need to check the names in the lists.
3. Those, who are not possible to check the voter lists at those places due to directives for health measures depending on the time and the place and due to the other reasons, can check the voter lists updated up to 4-9-2020 on the web application www.findyourpollingstation.uec.gov.mm. The mobile application [findyourpollingstation.apk](#) will be launched in the Google Play Store to check the name of voter lists.
4. Therefore, if the voters did not find their names in the lists, a request can be made by applying Form 3 for addition of name, cancellation of illegal voter names by Form 4 and the correction for wrong information by Form 4 (c) during the 14 days of voter lists announcement. The required forms are available at the sub-commissions of election in respective wards/village tracts free of charge.
5. Moreover, the voters need to take note the voter numbers of family members and themselves while checking the names in the lists so that they could find the names beside the numbers easily at the polling station on the Election Day.
6. For ensuring correct voter lists and for easy voting on the Election Day, the voters need to manage to check the voter lists at least one person from each family (without fail) at the respective offices, or on web application and mobile application. The voter number should be noted for themselves or their family members to save the time in taking out ballot papers at the polling stations on the Election Day.
7. The processes for checking voter lists in web application and mobile application will be explained on the website and Facebook page of UEC.
8. It may take time depending on the number of users on the web application and the mobile application, and that sufficient time should be taken to check the lists.

Union Election Commission

Announcement on special plan for eligible voters in Yangon Region

1. The Union Election Commission has re-scrutinized the voter lists according to the necessary amendments and the request of the voters. It has been announced that the re-scrutinized voter lists will be published (for the final time) at the respective commission's offices in the wards or village-tracts for 14 days from 1.10.2020 to 14.10.2020.
2. Of the 45 townships in Yangon Region, 44 townships except Cocogyun are included in the stay-at-home programme, according to the Ministry of Health and Sports. Due to the resurgence of the COVID-19 outbreaks in Yangon Region, the Yangon regional government has imposed 'stay-at-home' measures for no reason other than health and urgent cases in order to control the spread of the disease.
3. Therefore, the voter lists which are updated until 4.9.2020 can be accessed at findyourpollingstation.uec.gov.mm, a web application for voters who have difficulty compiling voter lists due to the regional health guidelines and other matters.
4. However, the Yangon Region Election sub-Commission has set up a special programme to access the voter lists on the web application <http://bit.ly/yangon-voters>, which has been updated until 26-9-2020, as voters in Yangon Region may have difficulty with accessing the voter lists. The UEC has already announced that the mobile application [findyourpollingstation.apk](#) can be downloaded from the Google Play Store to check if your name is on the voter lists.
5. In addition, if voters in Yangon Region cannot find their names on the lists or if they want to edit information or make objection, they can get help in the following ways;
 - a. The web application will provide the telephone numbers of two responsible persons from the respective wards / village-tracts for each ward / village tract to contact to get help.
 - b. For those voters who have difficulty applying in person, the application form will be provided on the web application and arrangement will be made to apply by taking photos.
 - c. Arrangements will be made to come and apply in person or with the help of a representative or a local official at the relevant ward or village tract sub-election commission offices.

It is informed that how to contact to apply and to search the voter list by using the Web Application will be explained on the Web Application and on Facebook page.

Union Election Commission

Land administration central committee holds 30th coordination meeting

THE Central Committee on Administration of Vacant, Fallow and Virgin Lands organized its 30th coordination meeting via videoconferencing yesterday morning.

Union Minister for Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation Dr Aung Thu, in his capacity as the Chairman of committee, Deputy Minister U Hla Kyaw, committee member and Permanent Secretary U Kyaw Min Oo and committee secretary U Thet Naing Oo joined the meeting from the ministry in Nay Pyi Taw with the other committee members

participated by the Zoom application.

The meeting discussed formation of specific committees to scrutinize complaint reports on applications for the use of vacant, fallow and virgin lands, the return of land certificates, expansion of existing 4-year period to implement the works on the land, inspection on the use of land for livestock breeding and mineral extraction, and issuing second copies for the lost land allocation certificates.—MNA

(Translated by Aung Khin)



Union Minister Dr Aung Thu joins the land administration central committee 30th coordination meeting online. PHOTO: MNA

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Additional statistical bulletin on drug seizures, acting on information

1. In order to prevent and eradicate the dangers of narcotic drugs and psychotropic drugs, the Office of the President has formed the **Drug Activity Special Complaint Department** on 26 June 2018 to systematically accept and respond to reports on drug abuses and other related cases from the general public.
2. With orders from the Office of the President, the Drug Activity Special Complaint Department relayed information on reports on drug-related offences up to 26 September 2020 to the Ministry of Home Affairs to take action, as displayed below:

Sr	Nature of report	Detail on seizure and legal action taken
1.	Information received of Shan Lay who lives in Nan Kway Village of Myitkyina Township, Kachin State, using, distributing and selling illegal drugs.	On 21 September 2020, police searched the house of Shan Lay (a) Kham Khum, 35, son of U Aung Khum who lives in Nan Kway Village of Myitkyina Township and arrested him together with opium. A case has been opened against him with NaMaSa (Myitkyina) MaYa(pa) 134/2020 under Section 19 (a) of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Law.
2.	Information received of Than Tun who lives in Ywar Tha Village of Phaungpyin Township, Sagaing Region, using, distributing and selling illegal drugs.	On 20 September 2020, police searched the house of Than Tun, 57, son of U Tun Kyaing who lives in Ywar Tha Village of Phaungpyin Township and arrested him together with heroin, opium and other 2 compatriots – Maung Thein, 44 son of U Ba Aung, Than Nyunt, 52, son of U Maung Cho. A case has been opened against them with MaMaSa (Phaungpyin) MaYa(pa) 178/2020 under Section 16 (c) and 21 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Law.
3.	Information received of Win Pe who lives in Pin Muu Village, Pinlebu Township of Sagaing Region, using, distributing and selling illegal drugs.	On 24 September 2020, police searched the house of Win Pe, 60, son of U Ba Chwal who lives in Pin Muu Village of Pinlebu Township and arrested him together with heroin and opium. A case has been opened against him with MaMaSa (Pinlebu) MaYa (pa) 178/2020 under Section 16(c) of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Law.
4.	Information received of people who live in Laikkya Village, Thabeikkyin Township, Mandalay Region, using, distributing and selling illegal drugs.	On 23 September 2020, police searched the house of Zaw Min Aye (a) Maung Aye, 24, son of U San Wai who lives in Laikkya Village of Thabeikkyin Township and arrested him together with stimulant pills with WY label and 88/1 label. A case has been opened against him with MaMaSa (Thabeikkyin) MaYa (pa) 26/2020 under Section 19(a) of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Law.
5.	Information received of Nay Zar who lives in Taung Wine, Zaycho ward of Mawlamyine Township, Mon State, using, distributing and selling illegal drugs.	On 21 September 2020, police searched the house of Nay Zar, 43, son of U Thein Myint who lives in Taung Wine, Zaycho ward of Mawlamyine Township and did not find him. Police arrested his wife Daw Wah Wah Win, 39, daughter of U Win Sein together with stimulant pills with WY/R label, 1 point 38 Walther pistol and 60 bullets. A case has been opened against her with NaMaSa (Mupon) MaYa(pa) 52/2020 under Section 19 (a), 21 and 22 (b) of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Law.

6.	Information received of Tin Ko Kyaw and his brother, Htet Wai Lwin (a) Htet Htet who live in No (8) Ward, Shwepyitha Township of Yangon Region, using, distributing and selling illegal drugs.	On 26 September 2020, police searched the house of Tin Ko Kyaw, 31, son of U Kyaw Min Swe who lives in No (8) Ward of Shwepyitha Township and arrested him together with his brother called Htet Wai Lwin (a) Htet Htet, 25 and his sister-in-law called Ma Aye Thida, 20, daughter of U Than Chaung and stimulant pills with WY label, ICE and marijuana. A case has been opened against them with MaMaSa (Shwepyitha) MaYa(pa)33/2020 under Section 19 (a) and 21 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Law.
7.	Information received of people who live in Middle Kannar Ward, Insein Township, Yangon Region, distributing and selling illegal drugs.	On 26 September 2020, police arrested Ye Min Than, 32, son of U Moe who lives in No (4) Ward of Mayangon Township, on Hline River road in Middle Kannar Ward, Insein Township together with stimulant pills with WY label. A case has been opened with MaMaSa (Insein) MaYa(pa) 157/2020 under Section 16 (c) of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Law.
8.	Information received of Ah Thee and Kalar Lay who live in Sein Pan ward of Taunggyi Township, Shan State (South), distributing and selling illegal drugs.	On 20 September 2020, police searched the house of Kalar Lay (a) Nay Min Tun, 20, son of U Maung Lwin who lives in Sein Pan ward of Taunggyi Township and arrested him together with other compatriot called Nyi Nyi Aung (a) Ah Thee, 23, son of U Nyo Maung and stimulant pills with WY label. A case has been opened against them with MaMaSa (Taunggyi) MaYa(pa)62/2020 under Section 19 (a) and 21 of the the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Law.
9.	Information received of Than Lwin who lives in Okkantar Ward, Yaksawk Township, Shan State (South), distributing and selling illegal drugs.	On 25 September 2020, police searched the house of Than Lwin, 47, son of U Kan Htoo who lives in Okkantar Ward of Yaksawk Township and arrested him together with stimulant pills with WY label. A case has been opened against him with MaMaSa(Yaksawk) MaYa (pa) 54/2020 under Section 16(c) of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Law.

3. Out of the information sent to the Drug Activity Special Complaint Department, so far a total of 1,351 cases have been opened files as of 26 September 2020. A total of 2,065 people, including 1,723 men and 342 women had been arrested with 10,422.6194g of heroin, 1,489.42 g of ICE, 47,943.17886 g of opium, 1,407.96g of low-quality opium, 53,363.76 g of speciosa powder, 53,597.32 g of speciosa, 2.5 litres of liquid speciosa, 678,786 stimulant tablets, 14,859.88 g of marijuana, 0.1 litres of opium tincture, 630.28 g of opium blocks, 60 g of poppy seeds, 60.15 g of crushed stimulant tablet powder, 0.001 g of crushed ecstasy powder, 28 firearms, different kinds of 669 cartridges and one grenade. Efforts for fighting the drug trafficking has been stepped up and the department will report on further exposed cases.

4. To seize further drugs and to arrest drugs dealers, people are urged to inform the Ministry of Home Affairs, region and state governments and to inform huge cases of drug trafficking and other suspicious cases directly to the Drug Activity Special Complaint Department of the Office of the President via following contact numbers:

Contacts
Landline No. — 067-590200
Fax Phone No. — 067-590233
Email Address — antinarcotics@presidentoffice.gov.mm

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Union Minister U Han Zaw organizes virtual meeting with directors of Road Departments



Union Minister U Han Zaw participates in the videoconference on coordination meeting with directors of Road Department across the country yesterday. **PHOTO: MNA**

Union Minister for Construction U Han Zaw organized a virtual meeting with directors of Road Departments across the country to discuss development of roads and bridges via videoconferencing yesterday morning.

During the meeting, the Union Minister urged the directors to take efforts to ensure

continuation of road and bridge projects in their states. He said that the roads and bridges damaged by natural disasters need to be repaired quickly. He also urged the officials concerned to regularly inspect the roads and bridges. He told the participants to explain the progress of their projects and future plans.

Deputy Minister Dr Kyaw Linn called on the directors to focus on timely completion of their projects. He also told them to adhere to financial regulations.

After that, directors from Road Departments of Kachin, Chin, Kayah, and Rakhine States, Northern Shan State, Southern Shan State and Eastern Shan

State, and Sagaing and Magway Regions made presentations to explain about their projects and COVID-19 preventive measures in the workplaces.

The Permanent Secretary and the Director-General also made discussions and suggestions in the virtual meeting.

The Union Minister and Deputy Minister said that the construction projects need to be completed timely and have good quality. They urged the officials to offer effective supervisions in carrying out the construction projects. Regarding COVID-19 related measures in workplaces, they urged the participants to adhere to the health guidelines set by the Ministry of Health and Sports and the National-Level Central Committee on Prevention, Control and Treatment of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19).—MNA (Translated by Maung Maung Swe)

MoSWRR discusses providing COVID-19 relief assistance in Yangon Region

The Ministry of Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement held a coordination meeting on 28 September about providing relief assistance in Yangon Region which has seen increasing number of COVID-19 cases in recent days.

Union Minister Dr Win Myat Aye presided over the online meeting taken part by the senior officials of his office and township officers from the respective departments.

At the meeting, the Union Minister discussed participation in prevention, control and treatment of COVID-19 in Yangon Region during the second wave of pandemic, relief plan or social protection and disaster management plans, the global modern practices in addition to the existing measures, developing plans for implementation of



Union Minister Dr Win Myat Aye discusses with officials from departments under his ministry on providing relief assistance in Yangon Region increasing number of COVID-19 cases yesterday. **PHOTO: MNA**

the possible methods and awareness programmes.

Officials also held talks on giving training to the volunteers, motivation works, and assistance to people who are getting medical treatments at the local

hospitals like the disaster victims at the relief camps.

The Deputy Minister advised the officials to follow rules and directives of Ministry of Health and Sports in implementing the strategies amid COVID-19 pan-

demic. The directors-general of respective departments, the directors, local officers and officials from training schools and shelters presented their preparations for providing assistance.—MNA (Translated by Aung Khin)

Nine Yangon hospitals to detect COVID-19 with antigen test kits

WITH the rising of the COVID-19 pandemic transmitted patients rate in Yangon Region, nine Yangon hospitals will start detecting COVID-19 with the use of antigen test kits, which can give a result within 20 to 30 minutes beginning from Yesterday.

"Testing of COVID-19 with the use of antigen test kits is

aimed to find COVID-19 positive patients effectively and rapidly. Using the antigen test kits to test COVID-19 will start in nine Yangon hospitals, said Dr Tun Myint, the Head of Public Health Department in Yangon Region.

These nine Yangon hospitals are Yangon General Hospital, New Yangon General Hospital, North Okkalapa Hospital, Thin-

gangyun Hospital, Insein Hospital, Yangon West Hospital, Yangon East Hospital, Hlinethaya Hospital and Thanlyin Hospital.

The health staff and suspected patients and patients undergoing the emergency operation from these hospitals will do COVID-19 tests using the antigen test kits. These tests will yield the results within 20 or 30 minutes.

Myanmar imported the kits from South Korea to test COVID-19 in a short period. The country will receive a total of 200,000 kits. By experimenting with antigen test kits, Yangon region seems to have a greater number of COVID-19 positive patients than previously.—Myint Maung (Translated by Hay Mar)

Over 10,000 cattle stranded in Muse as China tightens border security amid COVID-19

WITH China stepping up border control as precautionary measures for the COVID-19, trade has ground to a halt, and over 10,000 cattle have been stranded in Muse town.

The domestic companies are sending cattle in line with Standard Operating Procedure to China through the Muse border.

“Before the COVID-19, cattle were highly demanded. During the early outbreak of coronavirus, about ten traders from China entered Myanmar to purchase over 1,000 heads of cattle per day. The resurgences of COVID-19 in Myanmar prompted China to tighten its border areas with Myanmar. Consequently, it was one month that cattle trading was halted. We are not sure when the cattle trading will go back to normal,” Ko Kyi Khin, a cattle trader, explained the reasons for trade suspension.

While cattle exports are legal in Myanmar, livestock trade is still not permitted by China. Therefore, Myanmar traders cannot directly send the cattle to China market, so they have to wait for China traders.

“The traders are facing many hardships as it is difficult to take care of the cattle in yards during the rainy season. We can’t do anything else but only wait. As a result, traders have been burdened by labour wages, cost of feedstuff, healthcare services, and other general costs. It costs K3,000-4,000 per day to feed one cow, incurring losses,” U Sai Tun, a trader, stressed.

Usually, a large cow is valued



The Department of Livestock Breeding and Veterinary has been endeavouring to provide healthcare services to over 10,000 heads of cattle remained struck in Muse, and 3,000 of them are under the care of the department.. **PHOTO: SALAI VANRO THAN**

at over K1.8-2.2 million depending on size. Still, the suspension of trade often leads to Chinese traders resorting to price manipulation and offering a lower price.

“Chinese traders are also worried about mandatory quarantine when they enter Myanmar. Another reason is the surging COVID-19 new cases in Myanmar,” said Ko Kyi Khin, a cattle trader.

The Department of Livestock Breeding and Veterinary has been endeavouring to provide healthcare services to over 10,000 heads of cattle remained stuck in Muse, and 3,000 of them are under the care of the department. It is also planning for the remaining cattle.

Myanmar’s exports of livestock and animal products between 1 October and 18 September in the current financial year 2019-2020 touched a low of US\$105.48 million, a sharp drop of \$254.066 million compared with the corresponding period of the 2018-2019FY when China suspended livestock trading.

In the previous budget year, animal products exports were registered at \$359.3 million.

Animal products exports are solely driven by the private sector this year.

Myanmar has held a series of negotiations with China at the Joint Border Trade Cooperation and Coordinating Committee (JBTCC) meetings on

legal exports of cattle along with cross-border control of communicable diseases.

Myanmar, which allowed livestock trading in late 2017, is now exploring new export markets for cattle.

At present, to prevent from animal disease, the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation issued a notification on 11 March 2020 that the cattle are subject to particular goods and procedures for movement of the cattle in the regions and states were mentioned, posing difficulties to those livestock farmers working on a manageable scale.

The health certificate (AHD/PC-3) issued by the head of the related Livestock Breeding and

Veterinary Department in the townships, districts and regions or states are necessary for the transport of the cattle within the country.

If the traders fail to comply with the notification, they will face legal action under the Special Goods Tax Law.

At present, the COVID-19 consequences pose transportation difficulties, and it is hard to seek for approval from the related Livestock Breeding and Veterinary Department.

As a result of this, the drastic plunge of live cattle export forced some breeders to turn to meat market as they are facing financial hardships during the coronavirus pandemic. The meat price is also dropping, said a trader.

The country exports cattle that are above five years old, along with vaccination certificates, health certificates, and farming registration certificates. According to the 2018 cattle census, there are 11.5 million heads of cattle in the country.

Between the 2017-2018FY and the month of October in the current FY, over 460,000 heads of cattle, with an estimated value of over \$581 million, have been exported to China through Muse, according to trade figures.

The authorities have issued cattle export licences to more than 300 companies in the Magway region. There are around 5,000 companies holding cattle export licences across the country.—Salai Vanro Than/ Htet Myat

(Translated by Ei Myat Mon)

Myanmar corn exports reach 2.2 mln tonnes in current FY

MYANMAR corn exports to foreign countries significantly soared to over 2.2 million tonnes, with an estimated value of US\$362.4 million, in the ten months of the current financial year 2019-2020, according to the data released by the Ministry of Commerce.

The export volume surged from \$260 million, worth 1.4 million tonnes registered in the corresponding period of last FY. The sharp increase in export volume is attributed to the growing demand from Thailand this year.

Earlier, China is the primary purchaser of Myanmar’s corn. China has suspended the importation of some agro products through the border gates including corn since 2017-2018FY. Besides, corn is not listed in Chi-

na’s legitimate goods for border trade.

Therefore, the ministry is making an effort to seek China’s AQSIQ registration and to reach an agreement with China for legal trade.

As a result of this, Myanmar traders turned to the Thailand border market. However, Thailand’s feed processing factories cannot still offer the competitive price against domestic buyers and maritime trade partner, maize traders said.

Myanmar corn traders have asked the government officials to extend the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on corn export with Thailand to ensure smooth trade.

The MoU between Myanmar and Thailand on corn trade

signed on 12 December 2017, and the three-year MoU has expired in August 2020.

Under the MoU, Myanmar corn exports were exempted from tax between 1 February and 31 August. The trade is halted about five months of Thailand’s corn production to protect the rights of their growers. Also, Thailand imposed 73 per cent of tax on corn import then, said a corn exporter.

Myanmar is the second-largest exporter of corn among regional countries. There are over 1.9 million acres of corn plantations, primarily in Sagaing and Magway regions, and Chin, Kayah, Shan, and Kayah states.

Last year, corn traders faced losses due to the falling demand from China, said Union

Minister Dr Than Myint for the Commerce at the forum for corn crop sector development, held on 6 June 2020 in Nay Pyi Taw.

Next, Myanmar exports corn to India, Viet Nam, Malaysia, Singapore and the Philippines through maritime trade. Yet, the volume of corn exports to those markets is relatively small.

The corn crop is mostly demanded by feedstuff processing business. This being so, it is the potential business for both domestic and external markets, said an official of the Ministry of Commerce.

Myanmar surpassed corn export target of over a million tonnes in the current financial year.

Myanmar shipped 1.5 million tonnes of corn, worth US\$270

million, to foreign countries in the previous financial year 2018-2019. At that time, 200,000 tonnes of corn, worth over \$40 million, was shipped through maritime trade. In comparison, 1.3 million tonnes of corn, with an estimated value of \$230 million, was sent through the border trade, according to the data released by the Ministry of Commerce.

As per data from the Ministry of Commerce, Myanmar exported 1.5 million tonnes valued \$270 million in the 2018-2019FY, 1.4 million tonnes of corn worth over \$290 million in the 2017-2018FY, 1.2 million tonnes of corn worth \$250 million in the 2016-2017FY, and, 1.1 million tonnes of corn worth \$300 million in the 2015-2016FY.—Htet Myat

(Translated by Ei Myat Mon)

COVID-19 and chronic diseases

COVID-19 has been unforgiving for people living with non-communicable diseases, or NCDs, such as diabetes, cardiovascular-related illness, cancers, and mental health conditions, as well as other conditions such as high blood pressure and obesity.

This virus is potentially deadly, especially for the elderly and those with chronic diseases.

Those in particular danger are the elderly and others who have chronic diseases.

So, families need to take precautions for them and need to think about keeping elders somewhat isolated from public gatherings and to cooperate with the health authorities amidst the COVID-19 crisis.

Non-communicable diseases (NCDs) pose a major health challenge for Myanmar.

We have managed to reduce cases of communicable diseases by a certain extent, but non-communicable diseases are hindering Myanmar's economic growth and plans for sustainable development.

The four major groups of NCDs — cardiovascular diseases, cancer, chronic respiratory diseases, and diabetes — account for over 80 per cent of all NCD-related deaths and share the same four major risk factors: tobacco use, alcohol abuse, unhealthy diet, and physical inactivity.

With enforcement of stricter stay-at-home measures in our country, especially in Yangon Region which is experiencing surge in positive cases, in response to the COVID-19 pandemic to limit transmission of the virus, new challenges for primary care practitioners who manage patients with chronic diseases emerged.

The COVID-19 pandemic has also brought ill consequences to the socio-economic development and our response to the pandemic is much related with the social protection and natural disaster management.

Hence, apart from the strategy to combat the pandemic, ways should be found to enforce the current response to COVID-19 to ensure that no one is left behind in receiving proper health care, amidst the ongoing pandemic.

The Covid-19 pandemic is like nothing we have seen in our lifetimes.

We must do everything possible to lessen its potential destructiveness. Part of that is also making sure we do not forget about the important care patients require to stay healthy and function.

If we can provide quality healthcare to all families and people in our nation, then we will not only prevent premature deaths, but empower our citizens to lead healthy lives.

Then, we can overcome the crisis together with a population and healthy workforce who can contribute in making our societies and economy strong again.

Globalization, the Covid-19 Pandemic and Poverty Alleviation in Myanmar

By Lokethar

FROM the optimist's point of view, globalization has resulted in "progress" made by nations in terms of increase in their GDPs and per capita incomes. This has brought about increase in the quality of life and living. As for the increase in the quality of life, it has come about through increase in the satisfaction of not only basic needs but also the availability of consumer products that satisfies the "Comfort Needs" of those who's income-rise has been both the cause and effect of the "unbridled consumerism" leading to the exponential rise in global trade. Globalization itself is not an evil, but "unbridled consumerism" which fast tracked globalization is. From a somewhat different perspective, the exponential rise in global trade, fuelled by the rise of unbridled "consumerism" and the waste generated in it's wake is to blame for the degradation of the global environment. The undertaking by countries of large infrastructure projects including exploitation of natural resources has also led to degradation of environment and displacement of entire communities affecting their way of life. (It was only from the last two decades or so that environmental impact assessment of large scale projects have been systematically undertaken). Furthermore the use of fossil fuels for energy needs of globalization is to blame for the deterioration of the ozone layer which is attributed by the environmentalists to the increase in global warming. Hence the resulting climate change and the wild weather patterns experienced around the globe can be attributed to globalization as well.

A crippling blow

However, the recent Covid-19 Pandemic has hit globalization a crippling blow. Every aspect of the "progress" made by globalization has drastically dropped. Trade has been curtailed as a result of reduction of demand for many consumer products, particularly manufactured ones. According to WTO, "Global trade is set to shrink as much as 18.5% in Q2".

The abovementioned happenings have affected Myanmar as well. According to numbers available, Myanmar's GDP growth rate had been a robust 6.8% in 2018 and is said to have dropped to around 1.8% following the Covid-19 Pandemic. Myanmar is considered to be a prospective growing economy by the ADB and is forecast to attain a growth rate of around 6% in the coming year. With abundance of natural resources, low labour cost and it's

Poverty alleviation measures directed at enhancing of agricultural and rural development will need to be earnestly undertaken to alleviate poverty and build Myanmar as a nation committed to the good of the people of the country as a whole.

IN HONOUR OF INTERNATIONAL TRANSLATION DAY WHICH FALLS ON 30 SEPTEMBER

"Finding the words for a world in crisis"

By Zaw Tun

OUR world today is undergoing the threat of the pandemic, struggling for survival against the second wave of COVID-19. In such critical times, reaching out for the latest information is getting more important than ever. For this purpose, translators, as well as language professionals, are in charge of conveying the messages to all over the world despite the problems of the language gap among nations. Naturally, this year's motto for the International Translation Day, which falls on 30 September, is: "Finding the words for a world in crisis". In this IT Age, information is of crucial importance, and it is the translators' responsibility that the latest information from any corner of the world should be shared, with no delay, among our fellow members since "All the world's a stage" no more but the World is now the global village.

To begin with, the International Translation Day, which has already been "officially recognized by the General Assembly of the UN in Resolution 71/288", is celebrated every year in honour of St. Jerome (c. 347-30 September 420), for his laudable endeavour of translating the major portions of the New Testament from Greek

into Latin. Since 2005, the UN St. Jerome Contest in seven languages of the world is held to highlight the important role of translators. Its objectives are: "to celebrate multilingualism within the United Nations and highlight the important role that language professionals play in the multilateral system." Translators and language professionals are often credited for being ambassadors getting the nations together; not only for information exchange, but also for negotiations for peace and security of the world.

In fact, Myanmar people have not been estranged with the art of translation, as can be observed in the Myazedi Stone Inscription (AD 1113) of Bagan, a four-sided inscription of Prince Rajakuma's donation recorded in four languages. The Burmese Translation Society, established on 26 August 1947, had also made contributions towards the development of translation with the aim of "introducing world culture, literature and education to the Myanmar public". In 1952, the genre in translation from English to Myanmar (Charles Dickens' Great Expectations) was first awarded. In 1963, the Burmese Translation Society later assumed a new name: Sarpay Beikman. It has since then been presenting awards not only in translation but also in other categories.

strategic geographical location for sea trade, it could perhaps be a destination to invest for companies that would like to shift their production facilities from elsewhere or to invest in new ones. But then the investors may tarry depending on how much longer the Covid-19 virus will be around or perhaps mutate to a less lethal version.

As of now, due to closing down permanently or temporarily of manufacturing facilities around the world many workers have been unemployed. In some cases where the production is on going, to accommodate social distancing requirements, thinning down of the workforce has been resorted to. According to ILO some 1.6 million persons will lose their livelihoods because of the Corona Virus-19 Pandemic. In Myanmar, according to a news item carried in the Global New Light of Myanmar of 28 June 2020 around 140,000 workers from a total of 5,700 factories, workplaces and restaurants have lost their jobs. The return back to rural areas of the people who previously sought employment or business opportunities in the urban areas together with the return of migrant Myanmar workers abroad will add to the unemployment situation and increase dependence on social measures to mitigate it's adverse affects on communities and societies across Myanmar.

The net result is that some

sections of the population will suffer the consequences of the pandemic to a greater extent than others. People who have previously recovered from poverty, particularly in the rural areas, are likely to fall back to previous poverty levels due to the economic downturn. The rural population make up 70% of the total, and the poverty level in the rural areas are double that of the urban areas. The rural poverty level has to be addressed to mitigate some of the more severe consequences of the income imbalance between rural and urban populations.

However, undertakings to address the rural poverty requires much support from local as well as the international community which has been helping developing countries to mitigate the effects of the Corona Virus-19 Pandemic. For Myanmar to pull through, it should also rely more on itself and use it's available resources to a greater extent.

Viable option

One viable option is to boost the economy by increasing the share of the agriculture, livestock breeding and fishery sectors which have an abundant of yet unexploited resources. It will at the same time address the poverty situation of the rural areas. Recent data does not seem to show investment in agriculture, livestock breeding and fishery, as a separate item, probably be-

cause of it's poor showing. Local entrepreneurs it seems, shy away from investing in the agriculture, livestock breeding and fishery sector. However investment in the agriculture, livestock and fishery sector should be vigorously promoted, particularly to improve it's contribution to the economy as well as to benefit the rural populace and decrease poverty.

It seems from experience, that economic development by itself does not lead to proportionate rise in living standards of all levels of people. Given that the Law of Nature allows for different levels of people of different economic status, there should be efforts undertaken by society to alleviate poverty of the lowest levels so as to enable them to better their lives.

Due to previous economic development in Myanmar, a reduction in poverty did happen to an extent. Now with the advent of the Covid-19 the previous gains have no doubt been wiped out. The living conditions of the poorer section of the population, particularly in the rural areas will probably worsen. Poverty alleviation measures directed at enhancing of agricultural and rural development will need to be earnestly undertaken to alleviate poverty and build Myanmar as a nation committed to the good of the people of the country as a whole.

With charity to all and malice to none.

Myanmar Gazette

Appointment of Permanent Secretary

THE Union Government has appointed Dr Ko Ko Naing, Director-General of the Department of Disaster Management of the Ministry of Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement, concurrently as Permanent Secretary of the same ministry.



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Flood Bulletin

(Issued at 11:00 hrs MST on 29-9-2020)

Flood condition of Ayeyawady River

According to the (10:30) hrs MST observation today, the water level of Ayeyawady River at Shwegu has reached its danger level. It may continue to rise from the present water level by about (1/2) foot during the next (1) day and may remain above its danger level.

Advisory

It is especially advised to the people who settle near the river banks and low lying area in Shwegu Township, to take precaution measure.



Myanmar Daily Weather Report (Issued at 7:00 pm Tuesday 29 September 2020)

BAY INFERENCE: Weather is partly cloudy over the North Bay. Monsoon is strong over the Andaman Sea and South Bay and moderate elsewhere over the Bay of Bengal.

FORECAST VALID UNTIL NOON OF 30 September 2020: Rain or thundershowers will be isolated in Eastern Shan State, scattered in Upper Saging Region, Kachin, (North and South) Shan and Kayah states, fairly widespread in Nay Pyi Taw, Lower Sagaing, Mandalay, Magway and Bago regions, Chin and Rakhine states and widespread in the remaining regions and states with likelihood of isolated heavy falls in Lower Sagaing, Mandalay, Magway and Ayeyawady regions, Rakhine, Kayin and Mon states. Degree of certainty is (80%).

STATE OF THE SEA: Squalls with moderate to rough seas are likely at times off and along Myanmar Coasts. Surface wind speed in squalls may reach (30-35)m.p.h. Wave height will be about (5-9) feet off and along Myanmar Coasts.

OUTLOOK FOR SUBSEQUENT TWO DAYS: Moderate to strong monsoon over the Andaman Sea and Southeast Bay of Bengal.



Myazedi Inscription in Mon language at the Gubyaukgyi Temple, Bagan. PHOTO: WIKIPEDIA

Zo National Region Development Party presents its policy, stance and work programmes

Zo National Region Development Party Chairman Kham En Thang presented party's policy, stance and work programmes through radio and TV on 29 September.



Esteemed people

Mingalaba! I am Zo National Region Development Party Chairman Kham En Thang. Our party is precisely called Zo Party.

As all of you know, the Republic of the Union of Myanmar comprises eight major national races — Kachin, Kayah, Kayin, Chin, Mon, Bamar, Rakhine and Shan — with 135 ethnic groups.

Our Zo ethnic group includes in the Chin national race, which consists of 53 ethnic groups. 'Zo' is the name of a person, and Chin race is derived from the progenitor named "Pu Zo". We note that the remaining Chin ethnicities are the names of the geographical locations.

Our party's major objectives:

(1) To protect Zo National Identity from disappearance and preserve Zo's culture and heritages;

(2) To participate in building Union of Myanmar as a Multiparty Democratic Federal Union, on behalf of Zo nationals along with the modern Myanmar political trend.

Our party's main motto is "From Nationalism to Patriotism".

Despite so many political systems and political ideologies in the world, there are only two major groups -- nationalism that based on people and patriotism that based on territory and locality. These are what we call 'Nationalism' and 'Patriotism'.

Famous Scientist Albert Einstein defines "Nationalism" like that:

Nationalism is an infantile disease.

It is the measles of mankind.

"Patriotism" was defined by Theodore Roosevelt, 26th president of the United States, as follows:

Patriotism means to stand by the country.

It does not mean to stand by the president.

If we briefly review the two ideologies, we learn that nationalism is concerned with individual persons, races and groups, and patriotism is concerned with the entire nation.

We can learn that nationalism is held by monarchs and dictators, while patriotism is the fundamental policy of democratic countries. If we look back into world history, the states ruled by nationalists have experienced falling and have been gradually transformed into the democratic system.

It is not a strange thing that democracy is widely

accepted as each country is made up of many national races. Therefore, our nation also needs systematic and faster steps in transforming democracy.

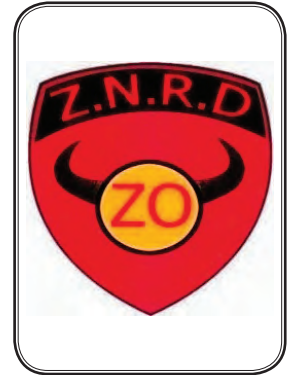
We will smoothly transform into a federal Union or new well-disciplined democratic country if we truly understand the differences between nationalism and patriotism.

In 2020 General Election in November, people will have to vote after drawing lessons from the past weaknesses, and we need to collaborate and find solutions for the future of our country, together with other larger political parties in Hluttaw.

As the saying goes, 'Collective leadership achieves success', if all ethnic parties are working together in unison, we can resolve an opening to all political and economic hardships that all Myanmar citizens are facing.

As a state ethnic-based party, I would like to request the ethnic people to support local party fully, without any stint of colours. I also want to urge them to stand on their own feet courageously and to vote with that courage.

May all 135 ethnic people have good health and wealth.



Announcement on allowing public servants, Defence Service members and police members to import/buy vehicles

1. The following are the rules for allowing public servants, Defence Service members and police members to buy vehicles.

- (a) Public servants who have achieved the badge of a good public servant and are aged over 57 on 1-10-2020 (three years before their official retirement); with the rank of Deputy Director and above: up to the rank of Permanent Secretary; will be allowed to import vehicles or to purchase vehicles at the vehicle showrooms in Myanmar. Public servants with the rank of Assistant Director and below will be allowed to purchase vehicles manufactured locally via SKD system.
- (b) Those who switched from Defence Service to civil service departments in rural areas can apply for the badge of a good public servant at their relevant ministries, and only after they receive the badge, they will be allowed to import/buy vehicles.
- (c) A total of 501 Defence Service officers who have achieved Good Military Service Medal and have three years left before their official retirement (who have similar ranks with civil service department's rank of Deputy Director and above) will be allowed to import vehicles or to purchase vehicles at the vehicle showrooms in Myanmar. 4,049 Defence Service officers (who have similar ranks with civil service department's rank of Assistant Director and below) and have achieved Good Military Service Medal and have three years left before their official retirement will be allowed to purchase vehicles manufactured locally via SKD system.
- (d) A total of 126 police officers from Myanmar Police Force (who have similar ranks with civil service department's rank of Deputy Director and above) and have achieved Good Police Service Medal and have three years left before their official retirement will be allowed to import vehicles or to purchase vehicles at the vehicle showrooms in Myanmar. 1,021 police officers (who have similar ranks with civil service department's rank of Assistant Director and below) and have achieved Good Police Service

Medal and have three years left before their official retirement will be allowed to purchase vehicles manufactured locally via SKD system.

- (e) Municipal officials working in states/regions/Nay Pyi Taw Council Area who have achieved the badge of a good public servant and are aged over 57 on 1-10-2020 (three years before their official retirement); with the rank of Deputy Director and above: up to the rank of Permanent Secretary; will be allowed to import vehicles or to purchase vehicles at the vehicle showrooms in Myanmar. Municipal staff members with the rank of Assistant Director and below will be allowed to purchase vehicles manufactured locally via SKD system.

Note: The number of public servants who have achieved the badge of a good public servant and have left three years before their official retirement is just over 1 per cent of the total public servant population of 1.1 million. Similarly, only over 1 per cent of Defence Service members and police members will be allowed to import/purchase vehicles

2. The following is the amount of money to be allowed for the public servants, Defence Service members and police members to purchase vehicles.

No	Position	Value
(a)	(Permanent Secretary/ Director-General)	CIF value equivalent to K50 million
(b)	(Deputy Director-General)	CIF value equivalent to K30 million
(c)	(Director)	CIF value equivalent to K30 million
(d)	(Deputy Director)	CIF value equivalent to K30 million
(e)	(Assistant Director and below)	factory's price equivalent to K30 million

3. Similarly, in coming years, a similar announcement will be issued to allow public servants, Defence Service members and police members who are aged over 57 to import/purchase vehicles.

Ministry of Commerce

National Development Party (NDP) presents its policy, stance and work programmes

National Development Party (NDP) Chairman Dr Nay Zin Lat presented party's policy, stance and work programmes through radio and TV on 29 September.



Greetings esteemed citizens

I am the Chairman Dr Nay Zin Lat of the National Development Party (NDP).

The general election is upon us, and every citizen will be voting. We have gone through two reforms, and everyone has experienced the good and bad sides.

Please review the party and the representatives and make the right choice this time.

Esteemed monks and people

The single vote of each citizen is the future of yourself and the nation.

Do you want regular access to necessities?

It would be best if you chose the right representative.

Do you want more job opportunities?

It would help if you chose the right representative.

Do you want to improve the livelihoods of all people?

You must analyze the skills of our party's good representative and make the right vote.

Candidates from the National Development Party have experienced business people with a genuine understanding of the sector. They were selected because they can implement the wish of the people indeed, and thus we guarantee you can cast your vote

for them with both eyes closed.

Esteemed people

If our party representatives make their way into the Hluttaw because the public believes in them, then we would like to notify you now that we will continually drive the Hluttaw to fulfil basic needs, boost the national economy and implement rural development.

The National Development Party has selected candidates whose sole duty will be to work to fulfil public interest. Each of them is a pool of learned scholars, successful business people and have solid backgrounds so the people can place their full trust in them.

Esteemed people

The main objective of the party is essential. It is already evident in the party's name. National Development Party representatives are capable of self-development and equally capable of improving the lives of all citizens. Thus it is the reason they were selected to contest in the election.

The main drivers of the National Development Party have already developed themselves. They possess either a comprehensive education or accomplished business. We have issued clear, exact and practical policies.

Allow me to explain briefly.

National economy

National Development Party has actual businesspersons contesting as candidates so they will take full responsibility to resolve issues related to the basic needs of the people.

Our candidates understand how to elevate the working class, middle class and upper class of the national economy. I am a businessperson myself and will therefore be supporting National Development Party representatives from the background.

Our party understands how to promote state and regional economies, what policies to enact to attract more foreign investments, and how to create jobs for

the unemployed.

We know farmers do not receive adequate benefits for the work they put in. Our party understands how to resolve a large number of debts farmers have and how to turn a profit on their crops.

National Development Party is made of specialists, members with master degrees in business administration and public affairs management. They are capable of implementing practical policies.

Our party has good policies on education and healthcare.

Foreign affairs

If National Development Party representatives are allowed to enter the Hluttaw, we will guide parliament to reduce international pressure and find solutions to existing dangers in the nation.

Esteemed people

In conclusion, we urge the public to select experienced political parties and skilled representatives in the upcoming election.

Our party representatives are capable of self-development and will take on the task of improving livelihoods, so we urge the people to vote for the dancing-peacock logo in the yellow backdrop, our National Development Party.

Do you wish to improve livelihoods?

National Development Party has the dancing-peacock logo in the yellow backdrop.

Do you wish for genuine change?

National Development Party has the dancing-peacock logo in the yellow backdrop.

May all esteemed people receive prosperity and good health.



ROK govt, people donate COVID-19 detection kits to Myanmar

THE government of Republic of Korea and its people donated COVID-19 detection kits, the Standard Q COVID-19 Ag, to Myanmar for prevention and containment measures of the pandemic.

Organized by the Myanmar office of Korea Foundation for International Healthcare (KOFIH), the donation ceremony was made at the Yangon International Airport yesterday evening when the items arrived at the airport.

Mr Jeonghan Hahm, the Deputy Chief of Mission of ROK in Myanmar, handed over the detection kits to Director-General Professor Dr Zaw Than Tun from the Department of Medical Research.

Regarding the donation, the deputy chief of mission said that the donated test kits were worth over US\$42,000, which will be very useful for COVID-19 control measures in Myanmar and more stocks of such items will also be sent to Myanmar.

The first stock of kits can be used to test 4,000 suspected patients.

Professor Dr Zaw Than Tun also said that those test kits can give out rapid results within 30 minutes in a safe and confined room from the swabs of suspected patients, and need lesser time than the existing diagnosis methods which take five to six hours in the laboratories.

The new arrivals have better quality than the rapid test



Department of Medical Research Director-General Dr Zaw Than Tun receives ROK donation of COVID detection kits. PHOTO: PE ZAW

kits and can give out accurate results in simple process. How-

ever, the new kits must be kept between -15 C to -20 C temper-

atures.— Zaw Gyi, (Translated by Aung Khin)

Akha National Development Party presents its policy, stance and work programmes

Akha National Development Party Chairman U Tun Aung presented party's policy, stance and work programmes as follows:



Esteemed people and voters

I would greet you all with our Akha auspicious word "Nee Sar Ovuq Luvq-ur" meaning I wish you all health and happiness. I am U Tun Aung, Chairman of Akha National Development Party. We are an ethnic group living in the areas on the east bank of Thanlwin River in eastern Shan State. We are the people who have preserved our dress and cultural heritage until now. We have been holding cultural festivals such as new year festival, swing festival and harvesting festival to uplift our integrity. Now, I will explain the slogan, flag and logo of the party.

The slogan of the party is "Raise integrity through the Unity", meaning every nationality has the obligation for the development of the race, region and nation.

The flag has a red colour at the centre circled by yellow, green, white and blue which represents the equality among all the nationalities of the Union under the Sun.

The party's logo is a swing, which in Akha language, means unity.

Esteemed people and voters

National development depends on political parties. Only the members of the political parties can reach the

grassroots in the places they are living and know the actual situation. The party has laid down the policies since its establishment. I will present some of our policies. We believe that only the Akha people can discover and understand the basic requirements for the development of their social, health, education and economic sectors; and that they will be the only persons that can render effective and broader assistance in looking into those requirements. We also believe that only the Akha people can help solve their own problems.

Ethnic affairs

The Union of Myanmar is formed with 135 different nationalities. The party believes that only ethnic races can ensure equality among them and minority rights.

There will be internal peace, ethnic unity and progress only if the State, the Tatmadaw and all the nationalities have mutual trust and understanding, and that is also our belief.

We accept that only with the respect for and understanding of the diversity of names, localities, political ideologies of all ethnic races, will we be able to uplift the integrity of every nationality. We must also place in the fore Our Three Main National Causes – Non-disintegration of the Union, Non-disintegration of national solidarity and Perpetuation of sovereignty.

The participation of ethnic representatives in the Union level law-making bodies to address the ethnic affairs under the 2008 Constitution is the mission of the party. Only then will the multiparty democracy of the country be meaningful.

We will achieve success in building a multiparty democratic nation only if the efforts are based on mutual trust and cooperation between the State, the Tatmadaw of the Union, departmental personnel, political parties.

The role of the Tatmadaw

Peace among the ethnic races must be restored for the Republic of the Union of Myanmar to stand tall till the end of the world, and Union Tatmadaw must be the only armed institution. We also believe that a modern Tatmadaw must be built to ensure eternal peace, to defend the country against alien enemies and to raise the dignity of the country.

According to the country's current situation, we believe that the Tatmadaw must be in the vital role in the political transition process for a certain length of time for ensuring peace and stability and the rule of law.

Work programmes

Akha people will cordially join hands with all other nationalities of the Union. We will systematically carry out primary ground surveys, statistical analysis and reviews, and also adopt strategies and tactical plans for human resources development undertakings including economic, education, social and health sectors. In this regard, the party has been steadfastly implementing the political, social and education sectors of Akha people.

Esteemed people, voters and ethnic race of eastern Shan State

We will field three candidates in the coming 2020 multiparty democracy election. So we request the Akha people and all other nationalities of eastern Shan State to vote in support of our party with the logo of a Swing as it will play a role in raising the dignity of the nationality, the region and the nation. I wish you all peace. With this, I conclude.



Campaign speeches of political parties for 2020 General Election on 30 Sept - 1 Oct

CAMPAIGN speeches of the Party for People, Union Farmer-Labour Force Party for 2020 General Election will be broadcast on MRTV, Hluttaw Channel, Myanmar Radio and MRTV Facebook page at 7 pm on 30 September, and will be published in the state-owned newspapers— the Myanmar Alinn, the Mirror and the Global New Light of Myanmar —on 1 October. — MNA

114 Myanmar nationals fly back home from foreign countries by MAI relief flight

THE Myanmar Airways International flew 114 citizens back home from foreign countries yesterday.

The group of returnees included 1 from the Czech Republic, 1 from Hong Kong, 4 Canada, 1 from Egypt, 3 from Italy, 4 from Belgium, 3 from Viet Nam, 4 from Germany, 1 from South Africa, 4 from Switzerland, 5 from Brazil, 5 from Indonesia, 4 from Britain, 9 from the United States and 65 from the Republic of Korea.

The Ministry of Labour, Immigration and Population, the Ministry of Health and Sports and the Yangon Region

government arranged 14-day quarantine at specific places or designated hotels, followed by the 7-day home quarantine. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs has organized 24 relief flights from the ROK in collaboration with Myanmar embassies in foreign countries and local ministries concerned to bring back citizens stranded abroad due to the suspension of international commercial flights, in accordance with the guidance of the National-Level Central Committee on Prevention, Control and Treatment of COVID-19.—MNA

(Translated by Aung Khin)



Myanmar citizens returned from abroad line up for immigration process at the Yangon International Airport on 29 September 2020. PHOTO: MNA

Researchers at University of Namur develop less painful swab test

TESTS for coronavirus are uncomfortable at best, painful at worst. To ease pain for patients, the University of Namur in Belgium has developed a swab better adapted for the septum.

Sébastien Penninckx, who is heading up the project, explained that around 60% of the population had a deviated septum, which proved painful when using a rigid swab to perform the coronavirus test. To combat this, the team have developed

a flexible swab which can be twisted in all directions, thus fitting into differently shaped nostrils without causing pain.

The flexible swab, which was digitally designed then created using a 3D printer, has been tested by doctors on 50 patients, with conclusive results.

Penninckx said the experiments revealed the swab was not only less painful for the patient, but just as efficient as the swabs currently in use for coronavirus screening.

Developed in Namur, the flexible swabs can be produced anywhere in the world, by a company or by a hospital equipped with a 3D printer.

Stéphane Lucas, professor of physics at the University of Namur, lauded the technology used to create the swabs, explaining the process of exporting them was as simple as sending out a USB stick or an email with the design file and information required to print the swabs locally. — AFP ■



The team have developed a flexible swab which can be twisted in all directions, thus fitting into differently shaped nostrils without causing pain. PHOTO: AFP

Czechs, Slovaks to declare coronavirus state of emergency

THE Czech Republic and Slovakia are set to declare states of emergency this week to combat the coronavirus pandemic, the prime ministers of the EU neighbours said on Monday after a sharp rise in cases.

Czech Prime Minister Andrej Babis told the Nova television station that he expected the state of emergency to be approved at an extraordinary government meeting on Wednesday, but did not detail the nature of the restrictions.

A country of 10.7 million people, the Czech Republic has seen record spikes in coronavirus infections in recent days, bringing its total to 65,313 confirmed cases, including 615 deaths.

Babis was echoed by Slovak Prime Minister Igor Matovic who said the “extremely serious” situation called for “very

bold decisions” following a meeting of his country’s crisis management team.

The measure is also expected to be approved by the government on Wednesday and would be the second time that Slovakia introduces a state of emergency to combat the pandemic.

Under the proposed restrictions, all sporting events, cultural events and religious services would be banned from October 1.

Weddings and funerals would only be allowed if all the participants can prove they have had a negative test for coronavirus.

Restaurants, bars, and cafes would close at 10:00 pm (2000 GMT) and if people not living in the same household come closer than two metres (six feet) outdoors, they would have to wear masks.— AFP ■



Commuters on a metro train in Prague on Sept 22, 2020. Since June, the average number of deaths per day worldwide has hovered around 5,000. PHOTO: AFP

Boost for vaccine doses planned for poor as virus rages on



As the restrictions tighten, protests have erupted as businesses worry about their survival and individuals grow frustrated about their jobs. PHOTO: AFP

UP to 100 million additional doses of any eventual Covid-19 vaccines will be secured for delivery to poorer countries in 2021, health groups announced Tuesday, as the virus showed no sign of receding after claiming more than one million lives around the world.

The announcement doubles the number of doses already secured from the Serum Institute of India by the Gavi vaccine alliance and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, following an initial agreement last month.

The public-private health partnership stressed that the eventual total is “potentially several times” greater, and said the price would be capped at \$3 per dose.

“No country, rich or poor, should be left at the back of the queue when it comes to Covid-19 vaccines; this collaboration brings us another step closer to achieving this goal,” Gavi chief Seth Berkley said in a statement.

As nine vaccine candidates are in last-stage trials, the World Health Organization

is stepping up efforts to provide faster and cheaper testing to poorer countries.

The WHO said Monday that some 120 million rapid tests for Covid-19 will be made available to low- and middle-income countries at \$5 each under a \$600 million scheme -- as long as funding can be secured.

The kits -- faster, cheaper and easier to administer than regular standard polymerase chain reaction (PCR) swab tests, but also less reliable -- will be rolled out across 133 countries in the next six months.

“This will enable the expansion of testing, particularly in hard-to-reach areas that do not have lab facilities or enough trained health workers to carry out PCR tests,” WHO director-general Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus told a virtual press conference.

Experts have for months been calling for widespread adoption of this low-cost technology so that people can test themselves several times a week.

In the US, President Donald Trump said 150 million tests would be distributed that deliver results in 15 to 30 minutes. — AFP ■

Millions in Chile capital emerge from lockdown

CHILE on Monday lifted strict coronavirus lockdown measures for millions of people in the capital Santiago, a month ahead of a key referendum to amend the dictatorship-era constitution.

Most of the capital’s seven million population moved to phase three of a five-step decon-

finement plan, allowing the reopening of bars and restaurants as well as regional transport links.

However, fears are widespread that a new outbreak in infections could drive parts of the capital back into confinement.

“It’s like I agree and don’t

agree at the same time,” said Gabriela Flores, a 21-year-old student in Puente Alto, Santiago’s most populous district.

“What’s happening now is that they are acting as if nothing happened. What they want to do is to increase trade and get back to work so they don’t have to worry about people.”— AFP ■

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chemical preparations in the nature of cleaners for enhancing the performance of engine cooling systems; chemical preparations for locking screw threads; battery fluid, namely, acidulated water for recharging batteries; filtering materials; chemical preparations in the nature of filtering materials for industrial use; hydraulic fluids; compositions for repairing vehicle tires, namely, rubber cement for repairing pneumatic tires; artificial and synthetic resins and diesel exhaust fluid; chemical additives for enhancing the performance of lubricating oils, greases and internal combustion engine fuels for engines, compressors, generators, pumps, and vehicles; chemical fluid additives for coolants, lubricants, oils, and fuels for engines, compressors, generators, pumps, and vehicles; chemical fluid additives for lubricants, oils, and fuels for machines, machine tools, and parts therefor, for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, landscaping, lifting, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; rust inhibitor fluid for preventing formation of rust in the cooling system of internal combustion systems, and liquid chemical composition for soaking decalcomania in order to separate the transparent printed layer from its paper backing and render the surface of said transparent layer adhesive; chemical substances for preserving foodstuffs; sealants; color brightening chemicals; filtering materials" in **Class 1**; "Industrial oils and greases, wax; lubricants; dust absorbing, wetting and binding compositions; fuels and illuminants; candles and wicks for lighting; greases, lubricants, oils, and non-chemical engine treatments and additives for engine oils, diesel fuel, transmission fluids and cooling systems for engines, compressors, generators, pumps, and vehicles; greases, lubricants, oils, and non-chemical engine treatments and additives for engine oils, diesel fuel, transmission fluids and cooling systems for machines, machine tools, and parts therefor, for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, landscaping, lifting, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; Industrial oils for engines, transmissions, hydraulic systems, and drive train compartments; hydraulic oils; greases, lubricants and oils for engines; greases, lubricants and oils for industrial machinery; non-chemical engine treatments and additives for engine oils, gasoline and diesel fuels, transmission fluids and coolants; oils and greases, lubricants, anti-seize and sealing lubricant; wax for industrial purposes; diesel oil; anti-seizure lubricating compounds for use on engines; lubricant designed for use in ball and roller bearings and bushings" in **Class 4**; "Common metals and their alloys, ores; metal materials for building and construction; transportable buildings of metal; non-electric cables and wires of common metal; small items of metal hardware; metal containers for storage or transport; safes; pipes and tubes of metal; metal plugs; metal sealing rings; metal seals; metal tie downs; metal bungs; metal caps for tubing ends; metal closures for containers; metal pipe collars; metal clamps; metal couplings for use with hoses; metal storage tanks; metal drain plugs; metal drawbar pins; metal locking pins; metal snap rings; metallic drain traps and drain caps; metal pipe extensions; metal debris deflectors; clad steel plates; metal track hardware, namely, track links, track shoes and track pins; metal chains; metal number plates; parts and fittings for all the aforesaid goods sold as a unit with the goods; metal gaskets for machinery and land vehicles, metal pipe connectors, metal pipe fittings, metal cylinders for compressed gas or liquids sold empty, metal hose clamps, and metal hose fittings; metal tool boxes; articles of common metal; key tags, key chains, key rings, money clips and name plates; bolts; nuts; washers; springs; materials of metal for railway tracks; ironmongery; goods of common metal not included in other classes; fastening, securing, and sealing devices; plugs, straps, clips, nuts, bolts, screws, rings, pins, washers, seals, ties, nipples, bindings of metal, bungs, caps, closures, collars, clamps, couplings, hooks, links, nails, pegs, rivets, guards, tanks, drain plugs, cotter pins, drawbar pins, clevis pins, locking pins, eye bolts, snap rings; 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snubber seals; cylinder seals; piston wear rings; insulation used for sound suppress and HVAC; rubber, gutta-percha, gum, asbestos, mica, and goods made from these materials and not included in other classes; goods made from rubber and from plastic; adhesive tapes; cylinder jointing; gaskets; coupling and joints not of metal; materials for repairing tires; rubber sealing materials; parts and fittings for all the aforesaid goods; electrical insulating tape, flexible plastic hoses for use in ventilation, hoses for air conditioners made of rubber, hydraulic hoses made of rubber, and non-metal oil hoses" in **Class 17**; "Leather and imitations of leather; animal skins and hides; luggage and carrying bags; umbrellas and parasols; walking sticks; whips, harness and saddlery; collars, leashes and clothing for animals; leather and imitation leather goods, namely, wallets, credit card cases, business card cases, key holders, coin purses, briefcases, garment bags for travel, back packs, duffel bags, flight bags, tote bags, umbrellas, traveling bags, athletic bags, all purpose sport bags, school book bags, shoulder hand bags, purses" in **Class 18**; 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metal building materials; ores; non-electric cables and wires of common metal; small items of metal hardware; metal containers for storage or transport; non-electric cables and wires of common metals; pipes and tubes of metal; metal plugs; metal sealing rings; metal seals; metal tie downs; metal bungs; metal caps for tubing ends; metal closures for containers; metal pipe collars; metal clamps; metal couplings for use with hoses; metal storage tanks; metal drain plugs; metal drawbar pins; metal locking pins; metal snap rings; metallic drain traps and drain caps; metal pipe extensions; metal debris deflectors; clad steel plates; metal track hardware, namely, track links, track shoes and track pins; metal chains; metal number plates; parts and fittings for all the aforesaid goods sold as a unit with the goods; parts for land vehicles and machinery, namely, metal gaskets for machinery and land vehicles, metal pipe connectors, metal pipe fittings, metal cylinders for compressed gas or liquids sold empty, metal hose clamps, and metal hose fittings; metal tool boxes; metal camshafts; metal studs; metal rod ends; metal rods; metal rivets; metal pins; metal brackets; metal clamps; metal bolts; metal nuts; metal washers; metal screws; metal fasteners; metal rings; metal belts; metal pulleys; metal springs; metal keys; metal Woodruff keys; metal clips; common metal powders used in manufacturing; metals in foil or powder form for 3D printers" in **Class 6**; "Scientific, research, navigation, surveying, photographic, cinematographic, audiovisual, optical, weighing, measuring, signalling, detecting, testing, inspecting, life-saving and teaching apparatus and instruments; apparatus and instruments for conducting, switching, transforming, accumulating, regulating or controlling the distribution or use of electricity; apparatus and instruments for recording, transmitting, reproducing or processing sound, images or data; recorded and downloadable media, computer software, blank digital or analogue recording and storage media; mechanisms for coin-operated apparatus; cash registers, calculating devices; computers and computer peripheral devices; diving suits, divers' masks, ear plugs for divers, nose clips for divers and swimmers, gloves for divers, breathing apparatus for underwater swimming; fire-extinguishing apparatus; scientific, research, navigation, surveying, photographic, cinematographic, audiovisual, optical, weighing, measuring, signaling, detecting, testing, inspecting apparatus and instruments for conducting, switching, transforming, accumulating, regulating or controlling the distribution or use of electricity; apparatus and instruments for recording, transmitting, reproducing or processing sound, images or data; recorded and downloadable media, computer software, blank digital or analogue recording and storage media; computers and computer peripheral devices; fire-extinguishing apparatus; computer software; electric wire, harnessing, gauges and switches; electronic displays; electronic connectors, terminals, and controls; circuit breakers; fuses; leveling rods; reflective mirrors to prevent accidents; power inverters; batteries; electrical parts and fittings for land vehicles, machinery, and equipment, namely, amplifiers for wireless communications, antennas, and batteries; electric relays; control mechanisms for machines, engines, or motors; fuel/air ratio controls for engines; speed governors for machines, engines, and motors; radios; antennas; electric cables; converters; speakers; glasses; eyeglasses; sunglasses; mobile phone and tablets; mobile phone accessories, namely, cases, covers, screen protectors, headphones, batteries, power supplies; Solar panels for the production of electricity; drones" in **Class 9**; "Apparatus and installations for lighting, heating, cooling, steam generating, cooking, drying, ventilating, water supply and sanitary purposes; light lenses; machine head lights; interior lights; machine work lights; light, machine and lamp; light bulbs; head light bulbs; tail light bulbs; vehicle turn signal light bulbs; dashboard light bulbs; electric torches for lighting; lights for vehicles and lamps; reflectors for vehicles; air conditioning apparatus; air conditioning filters; defrosting apparatus for vehicles; parts and fittings for all the aforesaid goods sold as a unit with the goods; parts and fittings for land vehicles, agricultural machinery, and earth moving machinery, namely, backup lights for land vehicles; coolant recovery systems comprising reservoirs, pumps, filters, and cleaners; electric light bulbs; LED light bulbs; rear lights for vehicles; valves as part of radiators" in **Class 11**; "Unprocessed and semi-processed rubber, gutta-percha, gum, asbestos, mica and substitutes for all these materials; plastics and resins in extruded form for use in manufacture; packing, stopping and insulating materials; flexible pipes, tubes and hoses, not of metal; flexible pipes, tubes, fittings, hoses, seals, junctions, and rings not of metal; non-metal seals for use on pipe joints and flanges; semi-processed brake lining material; clutch linings; non-metal gaskets for commercial and industrial applications; insulating gloves; rings of rubber or of plastic for use as pipe connection seals; parts and fittings for all the aforesaid goods sold as a unit with the goods; parts and fittings for land vehicles, agricultural machines, and earth moving machines, namely, connecting hoses for vehicle radiators; absorbent products, namely, perforated pads, for the containment and clean-up of oil based chemicals, oils and liquids; non-medical adhesive strips; snubber seals; cylinder seals; piston wear rings; insulation used for sound suppress and HVAC" in **Class 17**; and "Advertising; business management; business administration; office functions; business management and consultation; business management assistance, cost price analysis; promotion for others; compilation of information into computer databases; systemization of information into computer databases; business management assistance and consultancy for the sale of goods; product distribution for advertising purposes and operations management services; business management and consultation services, namely, product distribution operations management services; logistics consulting services, namely, order management and fulfillment services, warehouse management, inventory management, records accuracy management, managing manufacturing logistics, managing reverse logistics, supply chain design logistics and management, transportation scheduling and planning management; logistics consulting services, namely, providing contract logistics services and consulting in the areas of inventory management, freight transportation management, warehouse and product distribution operations management and designing and managing complete logistics solutions for others; marketing services; compilation and systemization of information into computer databases; management and compilation of computerized databases; retail stores featuring vehicles, equipment, and machines for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, landscaping, lifting, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; retail stores featuring power generation equipment, generators, and tools; online retail store services and retail store services featuring clothing and clothing accessories, footwear, headwear, toys, games, leather goods, bags, glasses, cups, keychains, watches, computer software, eyewear, pictures, books, sporting goods and gift items; providing searchable computer databases, websites, and online information services relating to purchasing of equipment, machines, machine tools, and parts therefor, for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, forest management landscaping, lifting for use in construction, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; providing searchable computer databases, websites, and online information services relating to purchasing of engines and power generation equipment; providing searchable computer databases, websites, and online information services relating to renting of equipment, machines, machine tools, and parts therefor, for use in forest management; business data acquisition and analysis via computer networks and the Internet; technical business consulting services in the field of capturing new revenue streams, reducing waste, conserving capital, and improving cash flow; arranging and conducting auctions; on-line auction services" in **Class 35**. Any fraudulent imitation or unauthorized use of the above Trademarks or other infringements whatsoever thereto will be dealt with according to law.

Daw Yee Mon Aung, (Advocate)

For **Caterpillar Inc.**

c/o **Baker & McKenzie Limited**

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Dated: **30 September 2020**

TRADEMARK CAUTION

Caterpillar Inc., a company incorporated and existing under the laws of The United States of America, and having its principal office at 100 N.E. Adams Street, Peoria, Illinois 61629, United States of America, hereby declares that the Company is the Owner and Sole proprietor of the following Trademark:



The above Trademark is used in respect of "Machines, machine tools, power-operated tools; motors and engines, except for land vehicles; machine coupling and transmission components, except for land vehicles; agricultural implements, other than hand-operated hand tools; incubators for eggs; automatic vending machines; air intake and exhaust assemblies for engines; engines, other than for land vehicles; non-land vehicle engines, current generators, compressors, and pumps as parts of machines, motors, and engines, and parts therefor, for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, landscaping, lawn care, lifting, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; machines and parts therefor, for use in compaction, compressing gas, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, namely, cutting and clearing trees, landscaping, lawn care, lifting, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, paving, pipelaying, powering oil and gas drilling operations, producing power from engines and generators, pumping oil, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; machine tools and parts therefor, for use in cutting and clearing trees and brush, compaction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, landscaping, lawn care, lifting, mining, mulching, paving, pipelaying, and tunnel boring; machinery for earthmoving earth conditioning and material handling; cable controls and hydraulic controls for the foregoing goods; engines, electric generators and diesel electric generator sets, parts and fittings thereof; diesel engines for marine purposes; cable control apparatus for controlling cable actuated equipment; hydraulic control apparatus; replacement parts and fittings for all of the aforesaid goods" in **Class 7**; "Vehicles; apparatus for locomotion by land, air or water; land and marine vehicles for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, landscaping, lifting, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; vehicles adapted to be employed in farming operations, road building and mining, logging, earth moving, hauling, maintenance of roads for moving and removing of earth, snow and like materials, carrying and dumping units adapted to be employed for transporting and dumping said materials; vehicles used in warehouse for moving boxes, crates and the like; engines and parts and fittings for all the aforesaid goods; locomotives; railcars; trucks; vocational trucks for construction, earth moving, agriculture, logging, mining, oil and gas, quarry, paving, transportation, and waste management applications; engines for land vehicles; brake air compressors for land vehicles and vehicle structural parts and fittings for all of the foregoing goods" in **Class 12**; "Advertising; business management; business administration; office functions; business consultation; product distribution for advertising purposes and operations management services; logistics consulting services, namely, order management and fulfillment services, warehouse management, inventory management, records accuracy management, managing manufacturing logistics, managing reverse logistics, supply chain design logistics and management, transportation scheduling and planning management; marketing services; compilation and systemization of information into computer databases; management and compilation of computerized databases; retail stores featuring vehicles, equipment, and machines for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, landscaping, lifting, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; retail stores featuring power generation equipment, generators, and tools; retail store services featuring engines, and parts therefor; online retail store services featuring parts for vehicles, equipment, and machinery for use in earth moving, earth conditioning, material handling, construction, mining, paving, agriculture, and forestry; online retail store services featuring parts for engines and power generation equipment; online retail store services and retail store services featuring clothing and clothing accessories, footwear, headwear, toys, games, leather goods, bags, glasses, cups, keychains, watches, computer software, eyewear, pictures, and books; providing searchable computer databases, websites, and online information services relating to purchasing of equipment, machines, machine tools, and parts therefor, for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, forest management landscaping, lifting for use in construction, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; providing searchable computer databases, websites, and online information services relating to purchasing of engines and power generation equipment; providing searchable computer databases, websites, and online information services relating to renting of equipment, machines, machine tools, and parts therefor, for use in forest management; business data acquisition and analysis via computer networks and the Internet; technical business consulting services in the field of capturing new revenue streams, reducing waste, conserving capital, and improving cash flow; arranging and conducting auctions; on-line auction services; business management assistance, cost price analysis; promotion for others; business management assistance for the sale of goods, business management consultancy for the sale of goods; business information, commercial management assistance for the sale of goods; provision of information, management, advisory and consultancy services relating to all the aforesaid services; all the aforesaid services are in connection with construction, transportation, mining, forestry, energy, logistics, electronics, financing and electric power generation; all included in Class 35" in **Class 35**; and "Construction services; installation and repair services; mining extraction, oil and gas drilling; repair, servicing, and maintenance of vehicles, engines, equipment, machines, machine tools, and control units and parts therefor, for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, landscaping, lifting, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; service, maintenance, and repair of engines and power generation equipment; service, maintenance, and repair of control units for all of the foregoing; machinery installation; rental of equipment, and machines for use in compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, lifting for use in construction, mining extraction, paving, pipelaying, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, and tunnel boring; rental services featuring equipment, machines, and machine tools for use in compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, lifting for use in construction, material handling in the nature of movement and storage of materials and products, mining extraction, paving, pipelaying, and road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, and tunnel boring; remanufacturing of vehicles, engines, machines, machine tools, and parts therefor, for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, landscaping, lifting, marine propulsion, material handling in the nature of movement and storage of materials and products, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; providing searchable computer databases, websites, and online information services relating to repair and maintenance of equipment, machines, machine tools, and parts therefor, for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, landscaping, lifting for use in construction, marine propulsion, material handling in the nature of movement and storage of materials and products, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; providing searchable computer databases, websites, and online information services relating to repair and maintenance of engines and power generation equipment; providing searchable computer databases, websites, and online information services relating to renting of equipment, machines, machine tools, and parts therefor, for use in compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, lifting for use in construction, material handling in the nature of movement and storage of materials and products, mining extraction, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring; providing searchable computer databases websites, and online information services relating to rental of engines for use in machinery; mining services; building construction supervision; construction, pipeline construction and maintenance, road paving; heating apparatus installation and repairing services; rebuilding machines that have been worn or partially destroyed; rust-removal; tire repairing; repairing services for hand tools; on-site servicing of equipment; rental of materials handling equipment for the aforesaid services; provision of information, management, advisory and consultancy services for the aforesaid services; all included in Class 37" in **Class 37**.

Any fraudulent imitation or unauthorized use of the above Trademark or other infringements whatsoever thereto will be dealt with according to law.

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Dated: **30 September 2020**

TRADEMARK CAUTION

Perkins Holdings Limited, a company incorporated and existing under the laws of United Kingdom, and having its registered office at Eastfield, Peterborough PE1 5FQ, United Kingdom, hereby declares that the Company is the Owner and Sole proprietor of the following Trademarks:

PERKINS

The above Trademarks are used in respect of "Industrial oils and greases, wax; lubricants; dust absorbing, wetting and binding compositions; fuels and illuminants; candles and wicks for lighting; lubricants, namely, industrial lubricants, motor vehicle lubricants, and lubricants for engines; fuels and illuminants, namely, lamp oil; non-chemical additives to motor fuel; diesel oil; fuel oils and mixtures; engine oils; non-chemical additives for engine oils; motor spirits; motor vehicle lubricants; lubricating oil for motor vehicle engines; grease for machines; wax; motor fuel; anti-seizure compounds; preparations for retaining ball and roller bearings and bushings; petroleum ether" in **Class 4**; "Scientific, research, navigation, nautical, surveying, photographic, cinematographic, audiovisual, optical, weighing, measuring, signalling, detecting, testing, inspecting, life-saving and teaching apparatus and instruments; apparatus and instruments for conducting, switching, transforming, accumulating, regulating or controlling the distribution or use of electricity; apparatus and instruments for recording, transmitting, reproducing or processing sound, images or data; recorded and downloadable media, computer software, blank digital or analogue recording and storage media; mechanisms for coin-operated apparatus; computer peripheral devices; diving suits, divers' masks, ear plugs for divers, nose clips for divers and swimmers, gloves for divers, breathing apparatus for underwater swimming; fire-extinguishing apparatus; magnetic data carriers, recording discs, compact discs, DVDs and other digital recording media; cash registers, calculating machines, data processing equipment, computers; downloadable and recorded computer software for testing, monitoring, and operating engines; electrical and electronic apparatus and instruments, namely, electrical adaptors, electrical amplifiers, electrical connectors, electrical couplings, electrical fuses and electrical locks; measuring and testing apparatus and instruments; cable and wire; electricity conduits; switches; switches being pressure switches for monitoring, controlling, and switching hydraulic or pneumatic systems, temperature switches; pressure switches; pressure switches for monitoring, controlling, and switching hydraulic or pneumatic systems; connectors; connectors being electrical connectors, wire connectors; jump leads; fuses; circuit testers; voltage testers; fuse holders; transformers; battery testing apparatus for sale in kit form; thermostats; gauges; levelling apparatus and instruments; tape measures and rulers; microscopes; tachometers; diagnostic apparatus and instruments; meters; thermometers; alarms; horns for signalling; flasher units; optical reflectors; scientific and technical apparatus, namely, optical mirrors; aerials; battery chargers; weighing apparatus and instruments; computers and computer programmes; computers and downloadable and recorded computer programmes for testing, monitoring, and operating engines; calculating machines; laser pointers; protective clothing; protective headgear; audio visual teaching apparatus; video tapes; vehicle warning triangles; audio tapes; compact discs; holders for compact discs; holders for discs cards bearing magnetic strips; calculators; electric couplings; levels; electric locks; radios; vehicle radios; batteries; battery jump starters; speed checking apparatus and instruments; battery cables; electricity connectors for sale in kit form; electrical terminals; water temperature regulators; probes; ammeters; battery testers; terminals; electrical terminal blocks and battery terminals; gas detectors; flow meters; ohmmeters; pressure measurement tools; battery ground strap connectors; battery tie down connectors; conduit and wire protectors; emergency jump start apparatus; emergency jump start receptacle assemblies; voltage converters; mobile application software; downloadable and recorded mobile application software for testing, monitoring, and operating engines; downloadable mobile applications; downloadable and recorded mobile applications for testing, monitoring, and operating engines; mobile apps; telematic apparatus; global positioning systems (GPS); sensors for engines; starter cables for motors; electronic control systems for machines; electronic control systems for engines; parts, fittings and components for all the aforesaid goods" in **Class 9**; "Advertising; business management; business administration; office functions; retail, wholesale and online retail store services featuring vehicles, equipment and machines for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, landscaping, lawn care, lifting, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management, engines and motors, generators, machine tools, and parts therefor; retail, wholesale and online retail store services featuring machines and vehicles for use in agriculture, compaction, construction, demolition, earth conditioning, earth contouring, earth moving, forestry, landscaping, lawn care, lifting, marine propulsion, material handling, mining, mulching, oil and gas distribution, oil and gas exploration, oil and gas production, paving, pipelaying, power generation, road building and repair, site preparation and remediation, tunnel boring, and vegetation management; retail, wholesale and online retail store services featuring diesel engines, gas engines, electrical engines, internal combustion engines, marine engines, generators of electricity, current generators, alternators and parts, fittings and components therefor; retail, wholesale and online retail store services featuring industrial oil and greases, lubricants and engine oils; wholesale distributorship services featuring parts for the service, maintenance, and general overhaul of vehicles, engines, generators and motors" in **Class 35**; and "Construction services; installation and repair services; mining extraction, oil and gas drilling; building construction; repair services for vehicles, power generation equipment, agricultural and construction machines, diesel engines, gas engines, electrical engines, internal combustion engines, marine engines, hybrid engines, diesel motors, gas motors, electrical motors, internal combustion motors, marine motors, generators, machine tools, and parts therefor; installation services for vehicles, power generation equipment, agricultural and construction machines, diesel engines, gas engines, electrical engines, internal combustion engines, marine engines, hybrid engines, diesel motors, gas motors, electrical motors, internal combustion motors, marine motors, generators, machine tools, and parts therefor; repair, installation, maintenance, reconditioning and servicing of vehicles, power generation equipment, agricultural and construction machines, diesel engines, gas engines, electrical engines, internal combustion engines, marine engines, hybrid engines, diesel motors, gas motors, electrical motors, internal combustion motors, marine motors, generators; repair, installation, maintenance and servicing of parts, fittings or components for vehicles, power generation equipment, agricultural and construction machines, diesel engines, gas engines, electrical engines, internal combustion engines, marine engines, hybrid engines, diesel motors, gas motors, electrical motors, internal combustion motors, marine motors, generators; rental of construction machinery and engines therefor; reconditioning of industrial machinery and engines; machinery retrofit and conversion services; overhaul of diesel, gas, electrical, internal combustion, marine, and hybrid engines; tuning of diesel, gas, electrical, internal combustion, marine, and hybrid engines; remanufacturing being replacement and refurbishment of diesel, gas, electrical, internal combustion, marine, and hybrid engines; rebuilding of diesel, gas, electrical, internal combustion, marine, and hybrid engines; maintenance, servicing, tuning and repair of diesel, gas, electrical, internal combustion, and marine motors; advisory services relating to the installation of diesel, gas, electrical, internal combustion, marine, and hybrid engines" in **Class 37**.

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Dated: **30 September 2020**

Japan's NTT to take over country's biggest mobile carrier for US \$40 bln

TOKYO — Nippon Telegraph and Telephone Corp. said Tuesday it has decided to make its NTT Docomo Inc. subsidiary a fully owned unit through a 4.25 trillion yen (\$40 billion) tender offer, the largest-ever in Japan.

With Prime Minister Yoshihide Suga pushing for significant cuts in smartphone service fees and telecom companies vying to adopt high-speed 5G networks, NTT aims through the move to build a more effective management team to guide the mobile carrier group.

NTT, which had a 66.21 percent stake in the mobile phone service company as of March 31, announced it plans to acquire the remaining shares from individual shareholders, financial institutions and others through the tender offer.

It would be the largest-ever takeover bid in Japan, according to mergers and acquisitions advisory firm Recof Corp.

Even before becoming leader, Suga repeatedly criticized Japan's major wireless carriers for maintaining an oligopoly. Earlier in the month, he instructed the telecommunications minister to ensure a reduction in mobile phone fees, which are said to be high compared to other countries.

NTT denied the move is directly aimed at cutting mobile costs.

But President and CEO Jun Sawada also said in an online press conference that "we could further cut rates after NTT Docomo strengthens its fiscal health" through the buyout.

"We will take full advantage of our group's resources to enhance our competitiveness," he said.—Kyodo ■

TRADEMARK CAUTION

DESCENTE, LTD., a company incorporated in Japan and having its registered office at 11-3, Dogashiba 1-chome, Tennoji-ku, Osaka Japan is the owner and proprietor of the following Trademark;



In respect of "Clothing, footwear, headwear; school uniforms; clothing for children; work clothing; jogging pants; sweat pants; suits; skirts; ski jackets; ski pants; trousers; smocks; formalwear; coats; overcoats; topcoats; raincoats; sweaters; cardigans; shirts; open-necked shirts; cuffs; collars [clothing]; sport shirts; blouses; polo shirts; shirts for suits; overalls; stuff jackets [clothing]; liveries; jackets [clothing]; shirt fronts; jumper dresses; shorts; pants (Am.); fishing vests; dresses; parkas; breeches for wear; pinafore dresses; pullovers; vests; ponchos; leggings [trousers]; nightwear; pajamas; bath robes; undershirts; corsets [underclothing]; combinations [clothing]; chemises; drawers [clothing]; shorts and briefs; brassieres; petticoats; swimwear [bathing suits]; swimming caps [bathing caps]; girdles; sweat-absorbent underclothing; sweat-absorbent underwear; corselets; underclothing; underwear; bathing suits; swimsuits; bathing drawers; bathing caps; bathing trunks; underpants; slippers [underclothing]; teddies [underclothing]; dress shields; dressing gowns; babies' pants [underwear]; pyjamas; panties; boxer shorts; bodices [lingerie]; bodies [underclothing]; tee-shirts; beach clothes; knickers; short-sleeve shirts; leotards; socks; gloves [clothing]; neckties; thermal supporters [clothing]; mufflers [neck scarves]; ear muffs [clothing]; scarfs; leg warmers; headgear for wear; caps [headwear]; hats; suspenders; belts [clothing]; footwear; shoes; rain boots; leather shoes; sneakers; boots; women's shoes; winter boots; infants' shoes and boots; heelpieces for boots and shoes; insoles for shoes and boots; tongue or pull strap for shoes and boots; welts for shoes and boots; footwear uppers; tips for footwear; shoe soles for repair; ankle boots; heels; inner soles; boot uppers; half-boots; heelpieces for footwear; welts for footwear; beach shoes; lace boots; slippers; masquerade costumes; footwear for sports; golf shoes; soccer shoes; ski boots; snowboarding boots; gymnastic shoes; climbing boots; mountaineering boots; bowling shoes; boxing shoes; field hockey shoes; baseball shoes; rugby shoes; footwear for track and field athletics; football shoes; studs for football boots; windsurfing shoes; clothes for sports; anoraks; sports over uniforms; Kendo outfits; ski suits for competition; headbands [clothing]; wind-jackets; stockings; wristbands [clothing]; karate uniforms; cyclists' clothing; motorists' clothing; judo uniforms; ski gloves; clothes for water sports; wetsuits for surfing; wet suits for water-skiing; knitwear [clothing]; waterproof clothing; sports jerseys; uniforms; tights; hosiery; footmuffs, not electrically heated; sweat-absorbent stockings; spats; esparto shoes or sandals; sandals; soles for footwear; sports shoes; non-slipping devices for footwear; boots for sports" included in **International Class 25**.

Fraudulent or unauthorised use or actual or colourable imitation of the Mark shall be dealt with according to law.

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Dated **30th September 2020** hh@kcyangon.com

TRADEMARK CAUTION

Water Pik, Inc., a company incorporated and existing under the laws of United States of America, and having its registered office at 1730 East Prospect Road, Fort Collins, Colorado 80553-0001, United States of America, hereby declares that the Company is the Owner and Sole proprietor of the following Trademarks:

WATERPIK

The above Trademark is used in respect of "Oral irrigators" in **Class 10**; "Shower heads" in **Class 11**; and "Oral healthcare products, namely electric toothbrushes and handheld flossers" in **Class 21**.

Any fraudulent imitation or unauthorized use of the above Trademarks or other infringements whatsoever thereto will be dealt with according to law.

Daw Aye ThaZin Myo (H.G.P)

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Yangon, The Republic of the Union of Myanmar.

Dated: **30th September 2020**

TRADEMARK CAUTION

L'Oreal, a company incorporated and existing under the laws of France, and having its principal office at 14 Rue Royale, 75008 Paris, France, hereby declares that the Company is the Owner and Sole proprietor of the following Trademark:

URBAN DECAY

The above Trademark is used in respect of "Cosmetics; perfumes; toilet waters; eau de cologne; makeup; hair preparations and treatments; essential oils; non-medicated cosmetics and toiletry preparations; non-medicated dentifrices; perfumery; bleaching preparations and other substances for laundry use; cleaning, polishing, scouring and abrasive preparations" in **Class 3**.

Any fraudulent imitation or unauthorized use of the above Trademark or other infringements whatsoever thereto will be dealt with according to law.

Daw Yee Mon Aung, (Advocate)

For **L'Oreal**

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The Republic of the Union of Myanmar.

Dated: **30th September 2020**

TRADEMARK CAUTION

Inner Mongolia Yili Industrial Group Co., Ltd., a company incorporated and existing under the laws of P.R. China, and having its registered office at No. 1, Jinshan Road, Jinshan Development Zone, Hohhot, P.R. China, hereby declares that the Company is the Owner and Sole proprietor of the following Trademark:

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Singapore Airlines drops 'flights to nowhere' after outcry

SINGAPORE — Singapore Airlines said Tuesday it had scrapped plans for "flights to nowhere" aimed at boosting its coronavirus-hit finances after an outcry over the environmental impact.

With the aviation industry in deep crisis, several carriers — including in Australia, Japan and Taiwan — have been offering short flights that start and end at the same airport to raise cash.

They are designed for travel-starved people keen to fly at a time of virus-related restrictions, and have proved surprisingly popular.

But Singapore's flag carrier — which has grounded nearly all its planes and cut thousands of jobs — said it had ditched the idea following a review.

The carrier has come up with alternative ideas to raise revenue, including offering customers tours of aircraft and offering them the chance to dine inside an Airbus A380, the world's biggest commercial airliner.—AFP ■

Weibo parent Sina to delist US stocks in \$2.6 bn deal

NEW YORK — Chinese internet giant Sina Corp, the parent company of the country's vast Twitter-like Weibo platform, plans to delist its US shares and go private, making it the latest mainland firm to withdraw from Wall Street as relations between Beijing and Washington sour.

Sina will cease trading on the tech-rich Nasdaq exchange — where it has traded since 2000 — after its board agreed to a merger with a group run by its chief executive that values the firm at \$2.59 billion.

The move comes as a growing number of Chinese companies have delisted from the US or opted for secondary, domestic listings as the world's two superpowers butt heads over a number of issues including technology, Hong Kong and the virus.

The US is considering plans to impose stricter rules on firms listed in the country to open up their audit papers to US accountants, which could lead to Chinese companies forced out.

That could push them

towards Hong Kong or Shanghai.

E-commerce giants Alibaba and JD.com, which are traded in New York, have already launched huge offerings in Hong Kong in the past year, while Alibaba's financial arm is planning a mega dual IPO in the two cities.

China's leading chip-maker SMIC, meanwhile, delisted in June. This week the US slapped new export restrictions on the beleaguered manufacturer, battering its Hong Kong stocks.—AFP ■

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Former IMF chief Rato acquitted in Spain bank trial

MADRID — Former IMF chief Rodrigo Rato and all other defendants put on trial on accusations of fraud and falsifying the books in the 2011 stock listing of Spain's Bankia bank were acquitted on Tuesday.

The court said bank's stock listing had received approvals "from all necessary institutions".

The listing was very popular among small investors, who lost their shirts when the Spanish state had to nationalize the bank the following year and inject 22 billion euros (\$25.7 billion) to keep it from collapsing.

Rato, who headed the International Monetary Fund from 2004 to 2007, led the merger in 2010 of several struggling banks into Bankia. —AFP ■

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South China expands hub airport to boost Greater Bay Area development

GUANGZHOU — The Guangzhou Baiyun International Airport (Baiyunport) in south China's Guangdong Province has started an expansion project of this major air hub, according to the airport.

The expansion of Baiyunport is a major move in boosting the construction of a world-level airport cluster amid the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area development, said the airport.

The expansion includes multiple major sectors of airport operation, such as airfield engineering, air traffic control and fuel supply.

The airport will construct two more runways, which are 3,400-metre long and 45-metre wide, and 3,600-metre long and 45-metre wide, respectively.

Besides expanding the existing two terminals, the project will construct a new terminal, with the floor area of 422,000 square-metres.



Aerial photo taken on Aug. 18, 2020 shows the Hengqin Port. The new port to facilitate travel between Macao and Zhuhai, south China's Guangdong Province, was officially put into use, a new step to boost development of the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area. PHOTO: XINHUA/CHEONG KAM KA

The expansion project will also add 190 stances for aircraft, as well as construct facilities to help air cargo transport and other operations at the airport.

Baiyunport is one of China's leading air hubs and a major player in Guangdong's civil aviation industry.

It has seen six consecutive

months of stable increase in all major airport performance indices since March amid the nationwide work and travel resumption. — Xinhua ■

S. Korea concludes slain fisheries official tried to defect to North

SEOUL — South Korea's coast guard said Tuesday it has concluded that a South Korean fisheries official who was shot to

death at sea last week by North Korean troops likely tried to defect to North Korea.

"The investigation team of

the Coast Guard has judged that the missing official tried to defect to the North given the fact that he was wearing a life jacket when he was found by the North," the Korea Coast Guard said in a statement.

It said its conclusion was based on information from the military, analysis of the possible direction that the man drifted at sea on a floating object, and other circumstantial evidence.

"The North knew personal details of the missing official, he showed his willingness to defect to the North, and he was well aware of the surrounding coastal area of Yeonpyeong Island," it said.

Yeonpyeong Island is located near the Northern Limit Line,

the de facto sea border between North and South Korea in the Yellow Sea.

North Korea, a day after the official's death was announced last week, apologized to South Korea over the incident, while claiming its troops regarded him as an intruder.

His body is still missing.

South Korea has asked North Korea to hold joint investigation to clarify disputed facts and shed light on details of the incident.

The missing official's brother met with foreign press later Tuesday and issued a plea to North Korean leader Kim Jong Un for return of the dead body, while denying his sibling intended to defect to the North.—Kyodo ■



Photo taken from China's Jilin Province on Sept. 5, 2020, shows a North Korean soldier on patrol duty in Ryanggang Province, bordered by the Chinese province on the north. PHOTO: KYODO

Thailand extends state of emergency, allows some foreign tourists

BANGKOK — Thailand on Tuesday extended its state of emergency for yet another month to control the spread of the coronavirus, while easing restrictions on the entry of foreigners to gradually reopen its vital tourism industry.

Six extensions have been made since the emergency decree was first issued on March

25 as the government seeks to curb domestic transmission of the virus while averting a full-scale lockdown

Under the decree, people have been urged to stay at home and avoid gathering in groups, though anti-government rallies have been held by protesters calling for more democracy and reform of the monarchy.

International commercial passenger flights have been banned since April 4, but from Thursday, some groups of foreign travellers and business people with special visas will be allowed to enter Thailand, according to the Ministry of Tourism and Sports.

First among them will be a group of 150 tourists from Guang-

zhou, China, who will visit the Thai resort island of Phuket via charter flight on Oct. 8.

After that, two more groups of foreign travelers — from China and Europe — will arrive on Oct. 26 and Nov. 1, respectively.

Thailand has so far reported 3,559 virus cases with 59 fatalities. The last local transmission case was in mid-August.—Xinhua ■

NEWS IN BRIEF

Domestic flights resumed to Afghanistan's northern Kunduz province

KUNDUZ — An Afghanistan's private airline resumed domestic air travel to restive northern Kunduz province after a flight from the capital city Kabul landed there on Tuesday, a provincial government spokesman said.

"Amongst cheers from a crowd around a meeting attended by Kunduz Governor Abdul Satar Mirzakwal and a number of provincial authorities, a Kam Air private company passenger plane landed at the local airport in Kunduz city this afternoon," spokesman Usmatullah Muradi told Xinhua.

Located on a height few kilometers south of the Kunduz city, the airport enjoyed a good security, but due to growing insurgency in other parts of the city, both state-run and private air aviation companies have suspended their flights for up to 10 years.— Xinhua ■

3,835 people being isolated over Covid-19 concerns in Laos

VIENTIANE — Laos' National Taskforce Committee for Covid-19 Prevention and Control on Tuesday has announced that it has been monitoring 3,835 people across Laos over Covid-19 concerns.

A total of 3,835 people has been quarantined at 44 accommodation centres across the country, Deputy Director-General of the Department of Communicable Diseases Control under the Lao Ministry of Health, Phonpaserd Sayamoungkhoun, told a press conference in the capital Vientiane.

The Lao government continues to strictly monitor people entering Laos to prevent a second wave of Covid-19, according to the report.

People entering Laos will be sent to quarantine centres for 14 days to prevent the spread of the virus. On Monday, a total of 2,324 people entering Laos through international border checkpoints.— Xinhua ■

Hazard 'ready' for Madrid return, says Zidane

MADRID — Real Madrid coach Zinedine Zidane said on Tuesday Belgium's Eden Hazard is set to return to play after missing the opening two games of the La Liga season with an ankle problem.

Hazard last played for the Spanish champions in August's Champions League loss at Manchester City in his first campaign at the Santiago Bernabeu where he scored just once after suffering various injuries.

"I see him very close, he is as ready as possible, he's training well with the team," Zidane said ahead of Wednesday's home

league game against Real Valladolid.

"He trains regularly, and he's doing well, and we'll see how we play him," the Frenchman added. The former Chelsea attacker has been criticized by local media who claim he was overweight after he joined in July 2019 for a reported fee of 100 million euros (\$117 million).

He featured 22 times for Zidane's men after sustaining foot and hamstring issues.

"He has a big problem in that sense where it's bothered him for a long while, but now he seems to be doing better," Zidane said.

"The season is very long and he's a professional. What he wants is to be with his teammates and help them," he added.

Zidane has made no purchases during the summer with the Spanish transfer window closing on October 5.

Attackers Gareth Bale and James Rodriguez have left Madrid as has left-back Sergio Reguilon.

"I am very happy with what I have," the 48-year-old said. "We already have a lot of players. Why bring more people here? They are all very good, I'm happy, really happy." — AFP ■



Eden Hazard's only goal for Real Madrid came in October's win over Granada. PHOTO: AFP/FILE

Almost perfect Djokovic ready for Roland Garros bow



Best behaviour: Novak Djokovic celebrates after winning in Rome. PHOTO: POOL/AFP/FILE

PARIS — Novak Djokovic begins his bid for a second French Open title and 18th Grand Slam title on Tuesday, pledging to be on his best behaviour following his US Open disqualification.

The world number one tackles Sweden's Mikael Ymer, ranked 80, seeking a 32nd win in 33 matches in 2020.

His only loss was against himself following his now infamous default in New York for an

angry swipe of the ball which hit a line judge in the throat. "Of course, I will make sure I don't make the same mistake twice," said the Serb who remains only one of two men to have defeated 12-time champion Rafael Nadal in 15 years in Paris.

Djokovic suffered no hangover from his US Open controversy, quickly wrapping up a record 36th Masters title in Rome in a perfect claycourt tune-up for

Paris.

An extra incentive in Paris for the Serb is the opportunity to become the first man in the Open era — and only the third man in history — to win each of the four Grand Slam titles twice.

Ymer, 22, who is of Ethiopian descent, hasn't won a main draw match on tour since the sport resumed after its lengthy suspension due to the coronavirus.— AFP ■

Lampard says Chelsea need time to gel

LONDON — Frank Lampard says he is struggling to find the time to work with his new-look Chelsea team on the training pitch as the fixtures come thick and fast.

Tammy Abraham's last-gasp strike rescued a 3-3 draw against West Bromwich Albion on Saturday after the London side had trailed 3-0.

The result means Chelsea have taken just four points from their first three Premier League matches after an opening win against Brighton and a 2-0 defeat to Liverpool.

Lampard, who has spent heavily during the summer transfer window, blamed "very clear individual mistakes" for his team's

problems at the Hawthorns.

But he said it was difficult to put in enough work on the training ground, with two matches a week and a looming international break. "I keep saying it and I'm not pleading or making excuses — it's just a fact," Lampard said ahead of Tuesday's League Cup clash against Tottenham.

"Part of the reason we had a successful year last year was the work we put in on the training ground."

"When you have new players in you really want to work like that," he added. "We haven't had the chance. So not just at the back, the whole way we're playing, it needs work." — AFP ■



Chelsea boss Frank Lampard. PHOTO: AFP

Klopp wowed by Liverpool's early season form

LONDON — Jurgen Klopp said yesterday (Sept 28) that he has been blown away by the standards Liverpool have set at the start of their Premier League title

defence after coming from behind to beat Arsenal 3-1 at Anfield.

Goals from Sadio Mane, Andy Robertson and Diogo Jota saw off the Gunners, who had

won their opening two league games of the season.

While Manchester City, Chelsea, Manchester United, Tottenham and now Arsenal have all

lost in the opening three weeks of the new campaign, Liverpool have taken maximum points to lay down an early marker that they remain the team to beat in

the Premier League this season.

"It's really early in the season and with this performance it is absolutely 'wow'," said coach Klopp. — AFP ■