



Republic of the Union of Myanmar

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Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Speech given by Foreign Minister H.E Daw Zin Mar Aung at the Global Campaign

Dear Friends and Supporters All Around the World,

Thank you all so much for showing unwavering support to people of Myanmar.

On behalf of the National Unity Government, formed by the democratic will of the people of Myanmar, I am greatly honored to deliver the message to the Global Campaign for our movement.

This campaign is showing sense of unity and solidarity in our struggle; they are messaging that we are not alone in this; and they are signaling that the strengths of solidarity transcend the boundaries.

The military thinks that our people will be silenced by instituting fears among us. However, history proves that our people are never silent.

It has been six months since our democratic sovereignty was taken by force by the brutal military junta. Within the past six months, all the people in Myanmar, either as an individual or a family or a society, have been facing the tremendous challenges. The world has fully witnessed the extreme brutalities of the military junta. Our fellow ethnic nationalities from all over the world have seen that Myanmar people are struggling everyday to restore basic democratic rights.

The terrorist military (Tatmadaw) has repeatedly committed atrocities in our motherland for decades with impunity until today. This is nothing short of the act of treason. We must end those atrocities in our generation. Otherwise, we will owe to our next generations and our fallen heroes.

This August marks the 33rd Anniversary of 1988 Democracy Revolution. After 33 years, we are continuing our struggles under the banner of "Spring Revolution". This time, each and every one of Myanmar people

are decisively marching towards the end of military dictatorship. Not only are the people inside Myanmar fighting against the military junta and its supremacy in politics but also the people from different ethnic nationalities all over the world are joining hands with their brothers and sisters in Myanmar. For that, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to all of you on behalf of the National Unity Government.

While the democratically elected civilian government and people of Myanmar are fighting the global pandemic COVID-19 together, the military junta staged the coup d'état just for the sake of power. Due to the thirst of power of the military, the people in Myanmar are now facing crises not only in politics, but also in healthcare, economic wellbeing, and social arena. While our people are suffering the attacks of COVID-19 (Delta Variant), the military is using deceitful techniques to hold onto power at the expense of our people's life. Therefore, together, we must fight both COVID-19 pandemic and military dictatorship and its supremacy in politics which has been internally eroding our country for many decades.

Brothers and sisters, this is the last chance we have. We want nothing, but unambiguous victory from this Revolution; that is to establish Federal Democratic Union. If we all march together with our fullest strengths to eradicate the military dictatorship once and for all, I sincerely believe that our next generations will have the chance to be born in a society which human dignity is not exceptional.

Our Revolution shall win!