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Dear U Aung Shwe and U Lwin,

I wish to acknowledge, on the Secretary-General's behalf, receipt of your letter of 31 May 2006 addressed to him and thank you warmly for your constructive comments.

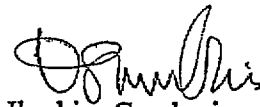
I also wish to extend my personal gratitude to you and your colleagues in the Central Executive Committee of the National League for Democracy for the useful discussion we had during my recent visit to Myanmar.

As I explained to you in Yangon, the United Nations remains committed to assisting your efforts in achieving genuine national reconciliation and democratization in Myanmar. Upon my return to New York, I reported to the Secretary-General and a group of interested Member States that I was very encouraged by the willingness expressed by both the Government and Daw Aung San Suu Kyi to find common ground to resume their dialogue and for the United Nations to play a role in this regard.

The challenges facing Myanmar are by no means small, but I do not believe that they are insurmountable. The United Nations will continue to engage with the Government and encourage its leaders to make the seven-point road map process for transition to democracy more inclusive and credible by including representatives of the NLD and other ethnic nationality political groups. In so doing, we will count on you for the flexibility and cooperation that the NLD leadership has expressed recently, including its Special Declaration of 12 February 2006.

The United Nations will also keep you informed of any developments in the areas of humanitarian assistance. I look forward to our continued discussions and cooperation in the coming months.

Yours sincerely,

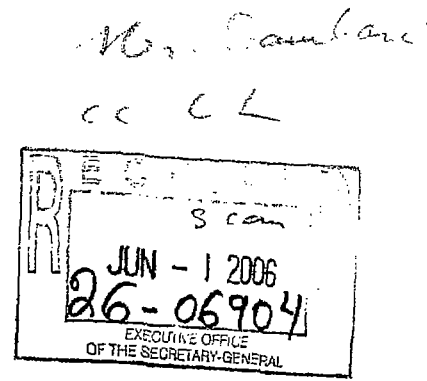


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His Excellency Mr. Kofi Annan
Secretary General
United Nations

June 1, 2006

We, on behalf of the Central Executive Committee (CEC) of the National League for Democracy (NLD), highly honour Your Excellency's persistent efforts, during your tenure as the Secretary General of the UN, for the restoration of democracy in Burma. We would like to express our sincere gratitude for the efforts.

On the other hand we assume it is a pity that all the endeavors during your two terms as the Secretary General have been ineffectual. We are of the opinion that this ineffectiveness is due to the lack of support from the Security Council.

Historical evidences decisively demonstrate that it will be impossible to build up Burma as a stable and peaceful democratic State without the free consent of all the nationalities since the country is a multi ethnic nation.

The detention of Daw Aung San Suu Kyi was extended for another one year against the explicit demands of yourself, international community, the ASEAN countries and great expectation of the people of Burma for her release. The peoples are presently suffering under unprecedented political, economic, health and social hardships. It is obvious that all the ethnic nationalities including Shan, Chin, Kachin and especially Karen, the second highest population, besides Burmans, have to endure ordeals including severe repression.

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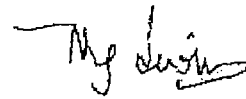
Moreover, due to the mismanagement of the current authorities and the nationwide weaknesses in prevention and treatment, the significant portion of the population is suffering from HIV/AIDS, malaria, tuberculosis, etc and, the risk of becoming pandemic is now threatening the region.

Although Burma is a member State of the UN, the State Peace and Development Council has repeatedly ignored the recommendations of Your Excellency and the successive resolutions of the UN General Assembly. It is presently even intensifying the act of suppression against the people and the democratic activists and hence we believe that there is no alternative except some actions of the Security Council.

Therefore, as recently recommended by the Archbishop Desmond Tutu and Mr. Vaclav Havel, to find the way to national reconciliation in Burma through political dialogue in order to relieve the people from the current hardships, we would like to earnestly request again Your Excellency's attempt to obtain the backing of the Security Council in solving our country's issues.



U Aung Shwe
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From: National League for Democracy, Rangoon (Yangon), Burma (Myanmar)

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Re: UN Security Council Resolution on Burma (Myanmar)

Pages: 3 pages including this coversheet

Date: June 1, 2006

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Dear Sir,

Please find attached, the letter of National League for Democracy, signed by U Aung Shwe (Chairman) and U Lwin (Secretary), calling for UN Security Council resolution to empower you and your offices in facilitating national reconciliation and reconciliation in Burma.

We appreciate if you email me at aungdin@uscampaignforburma.org to acknowledge receiving this letter.

Regards,

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