



To:
Hon. Mr. Ban Ki-moon
Secretary-General
United Nations

From: The 88 Generation Students, Myanmar/Burma

CC:
Mr. B. Lynn Pascoe, Under-Secretary-General, United Nations
Mr. Ibrahim Gambari, Under-Secretary-General and Special Adviser to the Secretary-General on Myanmar/Burma
U Aung Shwe (Chairman) and Daw Aung San Suu Kyi (General Secretary), National League for Democracy
U Aye Thar Aung, Secretary, Committee Representing the Peoples' Parliament (CRPP)
Veteran Politicians of Myanmar/Burma
Members of Parliament-Elect, Myanmar/Burma

Date: 20 August 2007

Re: Our Support to the Proposal Made by the 92 Members of Parliament-Elect from Myanmar/Burma

Dear Excellency,

On behalf of the 88-Generation Students group, I would like to extend my regards to you and your Special Envoy Mr. Ibrahim Gambari, For your serious involvement and relentless effort to help national reconciliation and democratization in Myanmar/Burma.

With the letter dated June 4, 2007, we have informed Mr. Gambari on how the USDA, the civilian arm of the ruling military government, has intensified its attack and harassment of us and other democracy activists in Myanmar/Burma. With the letter dated June 27, 2007, we have offered Mr. Gambari our suggestions to make the national convention more credible with the participation of the peoples' representatives. Now, we would like to express our support of the proposal made by the 92 members of Parliament-elect, calling for the United Nations and your good offices to convince the SPDC (ruling military government) to modify the current seven-step road map, with the letter dated 1 August 2007, addressed to your Excellency.

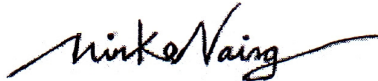
We, the "88-Generation Students" group is comprised of former student leaders, who organized and led the nationwide peaceful democracy uprising in Myanmar/Burma in 1988 and were subsequently arrested and imprisoned by the SPDC. We all have spent over a decade in prison and were tortured severely while in prison. Since our release, we tirelessly continue non-violent action to promote national reconciliation and democratization in our country. We sincerely believe that emergence of meaningful political dialogue between the SPDC, National League for Democracy party and ethnic political party representatives is the only way to solve all political, economic and social problems that Myanmar/Burma is facing

today. Therefore, we fully support the proposal of the 92 MPs to modify the current seven-step road map.

These MPs were elected by the people of Myanmar/Burma in the 1990 general elections and the real representatives of the people of Myanmar/Burma. They are mandated by the people of Myanmar/Burma to establish the democratic country, with freedom, justice and equality among all nationalities. Therefore, we fully support their reasonable proposal to make the SPDC's seven-step road map to be an inclusive, participatory, transparent and democratic one, as suggested by yourself and international community. We also hope that you and your Special Envoy Mr. Gambari will be able to convince the international community to support their proposal and make the SPDC accept it. We believe that their proposal will pave the way for successful negotiation between the SPDC, the NLD and ethnic representatives, for the sake of the country.

I also enclose our press statement No. 15/2007, issued on August 8, 2007, on the 19th anniversary of the 8888 popular democracy uprising, to highlight our policy and position.

Best regards,



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