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Republic of the Union of Myanmar
State Administration Council

State Administration Council Law No (4/2021)

Amendment of Law Protecting the Privacy and Security of the Citizens

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1. The State Administration Council enacts this law according to Article 419 of the State Constitution of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar.
2. This law shall be called the Amendment of Law Protecting the Privacy and Security of the Citizens.
3. The stipulations of Sections 5, 7 and 8 of the Law Protecting the Privacy and Security of the Citizens shall be suspended in accordance with Article 420 of State Constitution.
4. This law shall be deemed to be effective only during the period when the State Administration Council is assigned to the State Power according to Article 419 of the State Constitution.

I hereby sign under Article 419 of the State Constitution.

Sd/ Min Aung Hlaing
Senior General
Chairman
State Administration Council

Republic of the Union of Myanmar
State Administration Council
State Administration Council Law No (3/2021)
Fourth Amendment of the Ward or Village-Tract Administration Law

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1. The State Administration Council hereby enacts this Law according to Article 419 of the State Constitution of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar.
2. This Law shall be called the Fourth Amendment of the Ward or Village-Tract Administration Law.
3. The sub-section (g) of Section 13 of the Ward or Village-Tract Administration Law shall be substituted as follows:
(g) receiving and granting the information of guest list for overnight guests from other wards or village-tracts, inspecting the guest list and taking action if failed to inform the guest list;
4. After sub-section (c) of Section 16, sub-section (d) shall be added as follows:
(d) if it fails to carry out in accordance with sub-section (a), (b) and (c), the Township Administrator can assign a person to the duties of acting ward or village-tract administrators by seeking the permission of respective region or state administration councils or Nay Pyi Taw council.
5. Section 17 shall be substituted as follows:
17. The person residing in the ward or village-tract shall inform the relevant Ward or Village-Tract Administrator if any of the following cases arises
(a) coming and putting up as the overnight guest who is not listed in his family unit and is residing in other ward or village-tract.
(b) departure of the guest who comes and puts up.
6. Section 27 shall be substituted as follows:
27. Whoever fails to carry out duty contained in sections 17, 18 and 19 shall be punished with fine not exceeding ten thousand kyats. If default to pay the fine, he shall be punished with imprisonment not exceeding seven days by the relevant court.
7. Subsections (b) and (c) of Section 28 shall be substituted as follows:
(b) subsidy to those temporarily appointed in accordance with sub-section (c) or (d) of Section 16
(c) lump-sum subsidy if he serves the entire term of duty efficiently;
8. Section 33 shall be substituted as follows:
33. The Ward or Village-Tract Administrator shall not collect any currency in respect of guest list information.
I hereby sign under Article 419 of the State Constitution.

Sd/ Min Aung Hlaing
Senior General
Chairman
State Administration Council

Special Session of Human Rights Council on Myanmar held

AT the request of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, a special session of the Human Rights Council on Myanmar was held on 12 February 2021 in Geneva, Switzerland. During the session, the United Kingdom and the European Union jointly tabled a resolution on the current situation in Myanmar.

Before the submission of the draft resolution, the Permanent Representative of Myanmar, Ambassador U Myint Thu, made a statement and explained the present situation in Myanmar, including the assumption of the State responsibility by the Tatmadaw on 1 February 2021 in accordance with State Constitution (2008),

the policies of the State Administration Council and plans to be implemented during the period of State of Emergency. He also said that Myanmar will continue to adhere to the Independent, Active and Non-aligned Foreign Policy; uphold the principles of peaceful co-existence and engage with the United Nations towards lasting peace and stability and sustained development to the benefit of the people. Furthermore, he stated that Myanmar has never accepted a country specific resolution which is politicized and unbalanced. He added that such attempt can further complicate the prevailing situation in the country and hamper the prevalence of maintaining law



The special session of the Human Rights Council on Myanmar was held in Geneva on 12 February 2021.
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and order, peace and stability and the socio-economic development of the people. In this

manner, Myanmar dissociated itself from the resolution. China, Russia, Venezuela, Bolivia

and Philippines also dissociated themselves from the resolution.
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Request to Public

1. Democracy practices have granted the public freedom of speech, practices and living. Such freedoms should not harm others. Diverse views of others should be understood, but should not be disturbed or harassed. However, with the reason for human rights, some persons are now under pressure, harassed and threatened in breaching the laws. Undisciplined acts could lead to tarnishing the image of democracy.
2. For preventing destructive actions against the stability of the State, the safety of the public and the rule of law, it is also required to take proper actions in line with the law.
3. All the people who favour justice, freedom, equality and safety are requested to oppose breaching the laws and prevent such actions for the benefit of country and people.