NOVEMBER 6-12, 2021

uring the forty-first week since the coup, fighting between the Burma Army (BA) and Kachin Independence Army (KIA) occurred in Njangyang, Shwegu, and Myitkyina in Kachin State, and Katha in Sagaing Region. Over the week, there were clashes between the BA and PDFs in Kawlin, Chaung-U. Ayadaw, Yinmabin, and Tigyaing in Sagaing Region, Gangaw in Magwe Region, Matupi and Hakha in Chin State, Palaw in Tanintharyi Region, Hsensi, Pekon and Mobye in Shan State, Kyaikhto of Mon State. Additionally, the BA clashed with the KNDF in Demoso, Karenni (Kayah) State, with MNDAA in Mongkoe, Shan State and with AA in Maungdaw, Rakhine State. This week, violence against regime informants and collaborators, and around government offices and junta's assets was reported in Shwegu and Hpakant in Kachin State, Lashio and Mongmit in Shan State, Pale and Taze in Sagaing Region, Pauk in Magway Region, Pyu and Pyay in Bago Region, Maha Aungmyay in Mandalay Region, South Dagon, Mingaladon, Mayangone, and Hlaing Tharyar in Yangon Region, and in Naypyitaw. The bombing nearby schools were reported in Myitkyina and Hpakant in Kachin State, and Manton in Northern Shan State. The bombing of military-owned Mytel telecommunication towers continued across the country, including in Myittha of Mandalay. There are also reports of COVID-19 spreading and needs urgent food and healthcare assistance, in N-gum La (KIO-controlled area) and Laiza.

Humanitarian Crisis and Human Rights Violations

- In the evening of November 4 in Mayangone Township, Yangon, the junta arrested 20 young people from a hostel. Though it is also not known if the arrest was linked to the shooting of Thein Aung, the Chief Financial Officer of Mytel, who was shot dead earlier on the same day, the arrest occurred in the ward close to the incident.
- On November 5 in Kutkai in Shan State, over 40 IDPs from Pan Ku camp were sick and needed healthcare assistance.
- On November 6 in Hakha, Chin State, <u>BA arrested 26 people</u> after the fighting in the morning.
- On November 7 morning, a group of heavily armed men shot at people in a tea shop of Hopin, Kachin State, killing 6 people including two girls and a monk and injuring at least 13 people.
- In the afternoon of November 7, a BA soldier from the Light Infantry Battalion 336 raped a 62-year-old woman at her home in Kutkai, Shan State.
- On November 8 in Singu, Mandalay Region, the BA raided Hintharma village, and destroyed houses and boats.
- On November 8 in Pekon, Shan State, <u>BA arrested 6</u> residents, 3 of whom were under 18.
- On November 8 in Pekon, Shan State, <u>BA torched Latu village</u> after clashes with the local forces. The entire village was

Other Updates

- On November 9, a judge sentenced Karen State's ousted chief minister, Nang Khin Htwe Myit, to 75 years in prison and state finance minister, Than Naing, to 90 years in prison.
- On November 10, the Ministry of Justice of NUG announced the temporary formation of All-Myanmar Judicial Employees Association.
- On November 11, a special court in Dawei Prison <u>sentenced the ousted</u> <u>Tanintharyi Region chief minister U</u> <u>Myint Maung to 11 years</u> in prison.
- On November 12, a court inside Yangon's Insein Prison sentenced American journalist Danny Fenster to 11 years in prison.
- NUG's Defense Ministry reported that within a month (October 7 -November 6), there were a total of 668 incidents related to coup

displaced.

- On November 8 and 9 in Katha, Sagaing Region, <u>BA torched</u> 12 houses in Moe Tar Lay village, displacing villagers.
- On November 9 in Depayin, Sagaing Region, <u>BA raided and torched 3 villages</u> Winyan, Kone Yoe and Tatti, displacing hundreds of villagers.
- On November 10 in Natmauk, Magway Region, <u>BA shot four teenagers who were playing games</u> in Sahkanma village, killing a 16-year-old, Wai Thu Aung.
- In Thantlang, Chin State, BA burned down <u>at least three</u> <u>houses on November 9</u>, <u>seven houses on November 10</u>, and <u>three more houses on November 11</u>.
- During this week, the raids carried out by BA <u>forcibly</u> <u>displaced over 30,000 people in Sagaing region</u>; they are in urgent need of food and medical supplies.
- resistance. This includes 83 attacks from the EAOs and 207 from PDFs, and 313 civilians who were killed and 63 who were wounded. The NUG also reported that 1,300 BA soldiers were killed and 463 were injured during the same period.
- Japanese beverage company <u>Kirin</u>
 plans to dissolve its joint venture with
 the <u>Junta's</u> Myanmar Brewery by
 December, 2021.
- In three townships in Yaw ethnic areas, Gangaw, Htilin, and Saw, the local forces and politicians formed the People's Administration Department with the elected MPs.



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