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National League for Democracy

28th October 2005

"Announcement"

1/ The co-ordination meeting of the NLD's central executive committee and organising committees from the states and divisions, central women working committee, youth reorganisation committee, was held successfully at the NLD headquarters from October 24th to 26th.

2/ Delegates from the states and divisions organising committees, central women working committee and youth reorganisation committee, actively took part in discussions and gave suggestions on overcoming current Burma's general difficulties in economic, social, education and health issues. The root cause of the general difficulties is the political stalemate. To be able to solve the difficulties, "national reconciliation" is crucial and the State Peace and Development Council and the National League for Democracy must meet bilaterally to discuss and negotiate to find answers.

3/ The National League for Democracy believes that the two sides must engage in dialogues to the point of satisfaction for both sides and achieve national reconciliation and afterwards the two sides will be able to implement and go through a "democratic transitional period". In order to hold dialogue, it is necessary to meet and thus, communication is vital. For this, the National League for Democracy always opens every communication channels and continues to strive (for communication).

4/ The State Peace and Development Council is the current power holder. NLD is also an organisation, which has been bestowed with power by the Peoples' mandate. Thus, dialogue is required as a first step for national reconciliation, which is urgently needed in the country.

5/ Therefore, the National League for Democracy welcomes and invites any effort for the "national reconciliation", and will strive towards its success.

According to the decision taken at the central executive committee meeting on 27/10/05.

Central Executive Committee

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