Eleventh-day regular session of First Pyidaungsu Hluttaw held. Approval sought for appointment of Auditor-General of the Union. Persons suitable to be appointed as judges of Supreme Court of the Union nominated

NAY PYI TAW, 22 Feb-The eleventh-day regular session of the First Pyidaungsu Hluttaw was held at Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Hall in Hluttaw Building, here, at 11 am today, attended by Speaker of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw U Khin Aung Myint, Speaker of Pyithu Hluttaw Thura U Shwe Mann, and representatives of Pyithu Hluttaw and Amyotha Hluttaw.

Director-General U Myint Thein of the Hluttaw Office acted as master of ceremonies.

After taking position, Speaker of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw U Khin Aung Myint announced the validity and start of the session as 654 out of 658 Pyidaungsu Hluttaw representatives who have the right to attend today’s session were present, accounting for 99.39 per cent.

The Speaker of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw announced that although an announcement was issued for Pyidaungsu Hluttaw representatives to raise objection with clear evidences that the nominee does not meet the qualification prescribed in Subsection (a) of Article 242 of the constitution of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar regarding nomination of U Lun Maung to the post of Auditor- General of the Union made by the elected President, there were no objection to the nominee. Accordingly, Pyidaungsu Hluttaw approved the nominee.

Afterwards, the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Speaker submitted nomination to the posts of judges of the Union Supreme Court made by the elected President in coordination with the elected Chief Justice of the Union.

The elected President and the elected Chief Justice of the Union nominated U Tha Htay, U Soe Nyunt, U Mya Thein, U Myint Aung, U Aung Zaw Thein and U Myint Han for the posts of judges of Union Supreme Court in accord with paragraph (1), Sub-section (d) of Article 299 of the Constitution of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar and Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Rule 26.

The Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Speaker announced that the contact persons of respective parties may take out the curriculum vitae of the nominees, appropriate to be appointed as judges of Union Supreme Court nominated by the elected President and elected Chief Justice of Union, at the Director- General of the Hluttaw Office, to examine whether the said persons possess qualification described in Article 301 of the constitution of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar and that if there were any representatives inclined to raise objection against the nominees, they may report to the Director- General of the Hluttaw Office this evening in accord with Sub-section (b) of Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Rule 27, taking clear evidences.

Next, the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Speaker announced the eleventh-day regular session of the First Pyidaungsu Hluttaw ended and the twelfth-day regular session would continue at 11 am on 24 February.

The session came to an end at 11.15 am

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