Pyidaungsu Hluttaw representatives submit proposals
Approval sought at Pyidaungsu Hluttaw to discuss proposals

NAY PYI TAW, 24 March-The regular session of the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw today sought approval for accepting new proposals submitted Hluttaw representatives to discuss them.

Pyithu Hluttaw Representative U Htay Oo of Hinthada Constituency submitted a proposal that this Hluttaw objects the economic sanctions imposed against Myanmar. He said that all the persons wishing to serve the interest of the nation and the people do not accept the sanctions against Myanmar. Therefore, he opposed the sanctions in accord with the wishes of the people. He said that he welcomes positive activities for development of social-economic status of the State and the people and all the people are to strive for successfully overcoming the obstacles and sanctions through collaborative efforts.

Dr Kyaw Kyaw Htay of Launglon Constituency seconded the proposal.

The Hluttaw sought the approval to discuss the submitted proposal and decided to discuss it.

The Hluttaw representatives wishing to discuss the proposal are to enlist at the Director-General of the Hluttaw Office after today’s session.

Pyithu Hluttaw Representative U Ye Tun (a) U Min Tun of Hsipaw Constituency said that although he wanted to submit the proposal “to urge the government for forming a Union level commission with the participation of outside scholars to be able to support the government with wider observations, suggestions and papers so as to carry out necessary reformation in realizing the market-oriented economic system in conformity with the new system of the State”, he knew arrangements have been made for formation of Hluttaw committees and joint committees to submit executive and legislative matters, national races affairs, economic, financial, social and foreign affairs and others. Therefore, he said that he did not want to submit his proposal to the Hluttaw.

Amyotha Hluttaw Representative Dr Myat Nyana Soe of Yangon Region Constituency-4 submitted a proposal that “he called on the government to collect special important microeconomic index into country’s economic management through accurate information and to form a national commission for economic management to accurately calculate GDP”.

U Phone Myint Aung of Yangon Region Constituency-3 seconded the proposal.

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After making clarification on his proposal, Dr Myat Nyana Soe submitted that he would like to amend his proposal. According to the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Rule 73 (a), the amendment of the proposal is to be sent to the Hluttaw at least three days ahead. So the proposal of the representative was not in line with the rules.

The Pyidaungsu Hluttaw sought the approval to discuss the submitted proposal and announced that the proposal was cancelled as the Hluttaw disagreed to the proposal because the proposal was not in line with the Pyidaungsu Hluttaw rules and the matters related to the proposal are being undertaken by the State at present.

Next, Amyotha Hluttaw Representative Dr Myat Nyana Soe of Yangon Region Constituency-4 submitted a proposal that “he called on the government to extend special economic zones”.

U Kyaw Kyaw of Rakhine State Constituency-2 seconded the proposal.

In seeking the approval at the Hluttaw, the government has promulgated the Myanmar Special Economic Zone Law, and the Dawei Special Economic Zone Law. At present, the government is undertaking the tasks to extend special economic zones and has the completed plans to successfully carry out the tasks.

Afterwards, the Hluttaw took decision by vote with 139 for, 435 against and 60 abstentions that Hluttaw declined to approve the proposal.