YANGON, 26 Aug Patron of the Union Solidarity and Development Association Chairman of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services Senior General Than Shwe delivered an address at the conclusion of Management Course No 11 for USDA Executives in Pyidaungsu Hall of the Central Public Relations Unit in Hmawby at 9 am today.

In his address, Senior General Than Shwe said it could be noted that conclusion of the course has added new strength to the association.

Excerpts from Senior General's address

-Endeavours are being made in conducting these courses for the emergence of persons who will work for the State and the people with sincere cetena at various levels.

-We can learn from the history that weakness in studying international situation had led the nation fall under the colonialists' deception and wicked tricks and became their servitude.

-The Government with conviction has laid down objectives and is implementing them for the benefit of the nation's future.

-Endeavours should be made to win political, economic and defence power in developing the nation.

-The nation will be able to develop its economy if there is strength in political power which assures national solidarity. peace and tranquillity and maintenance of law and order.
- The nation will be able to build up its defence power if its economy is strong.

- The strength of political power is the basic factor and economic power which is the centre link among the three is the most important factor.

It was attended by Ministers member and Trainees.

The Senior General cordially conversed with the trainees and had breakfast together with them. He also posed for a souvenir photo together with Them.

(2) Director-General of Defence Intelligence Staff Division of Malaysian Armed Forces arrives on goodwill visit to Myanmar

YANGON, 26 Aug-At the invitation of Chief of the Office of Strategic Studies and Director of Defence Services Intelligence Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt, Director-General of the Defence Intelligence Staff Division, Malaysian Armed Forces Lt-General Dato Maulub Bin Maamin and Datin Doreena and party arrived here by air this morning on a goodwill visit to Myanmar.

They were welcomed at Yangon International Airport by Chief of the Office of Strategic Studies and Director of Defence Services Intelligence Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt and wife Dr Khin Win Shwe, Deputy Chief of the Office of Strategic Studies and Deputy Director of Defence Services Intelligence Brig-Gen Kyaw Win and wife, heads of department of the Office of Strategic Studies Col Kyaw Thein and Col Than Tun, senior military officers of the Ministry of Defence, Military Attache of Embassy of Malaysia Lt-Col Marzuki Mohd Rusli Bin Hj Ahmad and wife and embassy staff.

(3) Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt receives Director-General of Defence Intelligence Staff Division of Malaysian Armed Forces

YANGON, 26 Aug-Chief of the Office of Strategic Studies and Director of Directorate of Defence Services Intelligence Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt received Director-General of the Defence Intelligence Staff Division, Malaysian Armed Forces Lt-General Dato Maulub Bin Maamin at Dagon Yeiktha of the Ministry of Defence at 5 pm today.

Together with Chief of the Office of Strategic Studies and Director of Directorate of Defence Services Intelligence Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt, were Minister for Foreign Affairs U Ohn Gyaw, Deputy Chief of the Office of Strategic Studies and Deputy Director of Defence Services Intelligence Brig-Gen Kyaw Win, Director-General of Political Department U Khin Maung Win, head of department of Office of Strategic Studies Col Kyaw Thein and Military Attache of Embassy of Malaysia Lt-Col Marzuki Mohd Rusli Bin Hj Ahmad.
YANGON, 26 Aug-Chief of the Office of the Strategic Studies Director of Directorate of Defence Services Intelligence Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt and wife Dr Khin, Win Shwe hosted dinner in honour of Director-General of the Defence Intelligence Staff Division, Malaysian Armed Forces, Lt-Gen Dato Maulub Bin Maamin, Datin Doreena and delegation at No 2 Tatmadaw Guest House this evening.

It was attended by Minister at the Office of the Chairman of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Brig-Gen Myo Thant and wife, Member of Security and Management Committee Vice-Admiral Than Nyunt and wife, Minister for Transport Lt-Gen Thein Win and wife, Military Appointment General Maj-Gen Tin Ngwe, Inspector-General of Defence Services Maj-Gen Sein Htwa, Commander of Yangon Command Maj-Gen Khin Maung Than and wife, Deputy Director of Defence Services Intelligence BrigGen Kyaw Win and wife, senior military officers, Ambassador of Malaysia Dato Abdul Wahab Bin Harun and wife and Military Attache Lt-Col Marzuki Mohd Rusli Bin Ahmad and wife.

YANGON, 26 Aug- Secretary-2 of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Gen Tin Oo inspected building of Ngamoeyeik Creek Bridge (Parami) which will link South Okkalapa and Dagon Myothit (North) townships this afternoon.

Accompanied by Vice-Chairman of Yangon Division Law and Order Restoration Council Deputy Commander of Yangon Command Brig-Gen Thura Myint Maung, Officer on Special Duty at Office of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Col Than Tint, Managing Director of Public Works U Tint Swe, Commander of No 2 Military Region Col Hsan Hsint and officials, the Secretary-2 arrived at the bridge construction site at 3.45 pm.

Superintending Engineer of Yangon Division Public Works U Than Ngwe and Senior Engineer U Myint Lwin of Special Bridge Construction Unit briefed him on efforts for timely completion of the bridge.

The Secretary-2 gave instructions.

The project has been nearly completed except paving of a pedestrian lane of a 100 foot span and installation of its rail.

U Myint Lwin also briefed the Secretary-2 on repair of the bailey bridge being used currently.

Secretary-2 Lt-Gen Tin Oo gave necessary instructions.
(6) Datin Doreena visits Residential Nursery, Shwedagon Pagoda

YANGON, 26 Aug- Datin Doreena, and members, of the Malaysian delegation, accompanied by officials of the Office of Strategic Studies and wife of Military Attaché of Embassy of Malaysia Lt-Col Marzuki Mohd Rusli Bin Hj Ahmad, visited Residential Nursery in Shwegondine in Bahan Township, Myanmar arts and crafts shops in Mya Yeik Nyo Royal Hotel compound and Shwedagon Pagoda, this morning.

Datin Doreena and party arrived at Residential Nursery in Shwegondine where they were welcomed by Director of Social Welfare Department Lt-Col Khin Aung, Administration Officer of the nursery Daw Khin Than Ohn and officials.

Assistant Director of Social Welfare Department Daw Htoo Yaw reported on salient points of the nursery and the guests were conducted round by officials.

The guests went to Myanmar arts and crafts shops in Mya Yeik Nyo Royal Hotel.

In the evening, the guests visited the Shwedagon Pagoda.

(7) Minister for A&I receives MP of Japan, delegation

YANGON, 26 Aug- Minister for Agriculture and Irrigation Lt-Gen Myint Aung received the visiting mission led by Member of the Parliament of Japan Mr Yoichi Tani at his office this afternoon.

The mission was accompanied by officials of Embassy of Japan.

Also present were heads of departments concerned under the ministry and officials.

(8) Minister for H&T receives D-G Of EXE Design of Japan

YANGON, 26 Aug- Member of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Minister for Hotels and Tourism Lt-Gen Kyaw Ba received Director-General Mr Kentaro Tani of EXE Design Co Ltd of Japan and party at his office this afternoon.

Also present were Director-General U Khin Maung Latt of Directorate of Hotels and Tourism and Managing Director U Soe Thein of Myanmar Hotels and Tourism Services.