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Chin National Front's Statement on
"THREAT TO THE PEACE: A CALL FOR THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL TO ACT
IN BURMA"

The CNF is grateful to the honorable former President of Czechoslovakia Vaclav Havel and Nobel Peace Prize Laureate Bishop Desmond Tutu for their submission of "Threat to the Peace: A call for the United Nations Security Council to Act in Burma," a comprehensive report that calls on the august body to intervene in the deteriorating situations in Burma. The CNF would like to announce its total support for the call of the two international figures in urging the UNSC to act upon Burma.

The CNF has always been ready for a reconciliation in order to solve the political crisis in Burma. However, it is the solemn view of the CNF that the State Peace and Development Council's unilateral and exclusionary approach to national reconciliation through 'Political Road Map' has proven miserably ineffective. It did not meet the basic prerequisites necessary to bring about national reconciliation, democracy and federalism in Burma. The process only strengthens the military regime's grips on power and there is no room for solutions to the ethno-political conflicts and constitutional crisis in the Union.

The continued reign of the SPDC only serves to augment problems of human rights violations, illegal immigrations, internal displacement, refugee exodus, illicit drugs trafficking, prostitutions and spread of HIV/Aids in the country— problems that now transcend to the regions of South East Asia. The contagious effects caused by Burma's 'internal affairs' now become not only a regional problem but a matter of serious international concern.

The CNF strongly appeals to all civilized members of the world community to recognize the urgent need for international intervention in Burma. We especially urge the United Nations Security Council to act promptly and decisively on Burma as recommended by former Czech President Vaclav Havel and the South African Archbishop Desmond Tutu.

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