



## Myanmar Situation Update 20 - 26 September 2021

### Summary

Ousted leader Aung San Suu Kyi pleaded 'not guilty' to incitement charges under Section 505b of the Penal Code. According to her legal team and her economic adviser Sean Turnell, she appeared at the Dekkhinathiri District Court in Naypyitaw, along with three ousted Union ministers for the first time since their arrest in February.

A rumor has been spreading that Myanmar's detained leader Aung San Suu Kyi opposed the armed resistance against the junta by the shadow National Unity Government (NUG) and the People's Defense Forces (PDFs) and she denied it as a false report. Also, the National Unity Government is stepping up efforts to provide weapons and other support to anti-junta armed groups across the country following calls from the guerilla fighters for more assistance.

The junta has strongly rejected and objected to the conduct of the countries and organizations which allowed Mr. Kyaw Moe Tun to participate in the annual Ministerial Meeting on the Responsibility to Protect on 20 September.

Myanmar will not address the annual high-level U.N. General Assembly as an agreement was reached where Moscow and Beijing will not object to Kyaw Moe Tun remaining in Myanmar's U.N. seat for the moment as long as he does not speak during the high-level meeting.

The Chinese Embassy has conveyed its concerns to the military junta, saying that forces inside Myanmar seek to instigate anti-China unrest and may be planning to attack China's twin oil-and-gas pipelines in the country.

The Asian Development Bank (ADB) released growth outlook projections suggesting this week and it warned that the impact of Myanmar's military coup compounded by the pandemic's third wave will see Myanmar's GDP shrink by 18.4 percent — an almost 27 percent year-on-year decrease in the ADB's prediction for Myanmar's economic activity<sup>1</sup>. As of 22nd September, 38 factories in Hlaing Tharyar and

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<sup>1</sup> <https://www.mizzima.com/article/adb-warns-about-lower-gdp-growth-due-covid-19-myanmar-sees-drop?>

Shwe Thanlwin industrial zones in Hlaing Tharyar Township were shut down and nearly 10,000 workers have become unemployed, according to industrial committees<sup>2</sup>.

According to the annual report of Freedom House, Myanmar's ranking on the Net 2021 fell by 14 points, dropping in one year from 31 to 17, the steepest decline recorded in one year<sup>3</sup>. Myanmar's junta has shut down phones and the internet in nearly two dozen townships in Kachin, Chin states and Sagaing, Mandalay & Magway regions to block the flow of information in areas where armed clashes between the military and People's Defense Force (PDF) militias have intensified in recent weeks<sup>4</sup>. The junta blamed the anti-coup protesters who had destroyed military-owned communications towers for the data blackouts.

Protests continued in different parts of Myanmar despite the crackdown by the junta over the week. The clashes between the junta forces and the civil resistance fighters or Ethnic Armed Organizations also emerged in all states and regions except Rakhine Region.

According to the information compiled by ANFREL, at least 58 bomb blasts happened across Myanmar in the past week. It was reported that at least 22 people were injured and 9 died<sup>5</sup>. 20 Mytel telecom masts were destroyed across the country<sup>6</sup>.

The Assistance Association for Political Prisoners (AAPP-Burma), the organization that documents atrocities committed by the Myanmar junta on civilians, has been awarded the Sean MacBride Peace Prize for 2021. As of 25 September AAPP sources said 1,125 people have been killed by the junta. 6,803 people are currently under detention and 293 are sentenced. 65 have been sentenced to death and 1,989 are evading arrest warrants<sup>7</sup>.

#### Colour Code and its Categories

Political updates	Repression by the junta	International community	CRFs and EAOs	Humanitarian situation	Media	Other

#### Timeline of events

20 September

<sup>2</sup> <https://elevenmyanmar.com/news/38-factories-have-closed-down-and-nearly-10000-workers-have-become-unemployed-in-hlaing-tharyar>

<sup>3</sup> <https://freedomhouse.org/country/myanmar/freedom-net/2021>

<sup>4</sup> [https://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?story\\_fbid=112127637891230&id=101557665614894](https://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?story_fbid=112127637891230&id=101557665614894)

<sup>5</sup> Annexure I

<sup>6</sup> Annexure II

<sup>7</sup> <https://aappb.org/?p=17845>

Myanmar's detained leader Aung San Suu Kyi has denied false reports that she opposed the armed resistance against the military junta by the National Unity Government (NUG) and the People's Defense Forces (PDFs)<sup>8</sup>.

Junta's Commerce Ministry has set a target of US\$17 billion for total foreign trade in the six-month interim budget period which will start on Oct. 1<sup>9</sup>.

The Assistance Association for Political Prisoners (AAPP-Burma), an organization that documents atrocities committed by the Myanmar junta against the Myanmar people, has been awarded the Sean MacBride Peace Prize for 2021<sup>10</sup>.

A NLD party member as well as MP of Regional parliament of Toontay township, Yangon was arrested by junta's army while he returned to his home from hiding.<sup>11</sup>

According to media, a family of four were killed and two other relatives, including a two-year-old child, seriously injured after their house in Natogyi Township, Mandalay Region was hit by random junta gunfire for no reason after they had been drinking alcohol and playing guitar<sup>12</sup>.

An agreement to conduct preliminary field investigation work for the Kyaukphyu Special Economic Zone (SEZ) Deep Sea Port Project was signed on 15 September in Beijing, signaling another step forward for the project, which forms part of China's Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) plans in Myanmar<sup>13</sup>.

An intense firefight between junta soldiers and a combined force of the People's Defense Force-Katha (PDF-K) and the Kachin Independence Army (KIA) broke out in Katha Township, Sagaing Region. More than 40 junta soldiers were killed and many others were wounded<sup>14</sup>.

Two firefights between junta forces and a combined force of the Karenni Nationalities Defense Force (KNDF) and the Karenni Army (KA), broke out near Daw Poese Village in Demoso Township, Kayah State. A civilian resistance fighter was killed and four more injured by artillery fire. The extent of the military casualties remains unknown<sup>15</sup>.

<sup>8</sup><https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/myanmars-suu-kyi-denies-false-reports-that-she-opposes>

<sup>9</sup><https://elevenmyanmar.com/news/myanmar-target-us17-billion-foreign-trade-in-six-month-interim-budget-period>

<sup>10</sup><https://www.ipb.org/yesterdays-news/announcement-2021-macbride-peace-prize-recipient/>

<sup>11</sup><https://www.facebook.com/VoiceofMyanmarNews/posts/922781054990235>

<sup>12</sup><https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/myanmar-regime-forces-kill-family-of-four-in-mandalay-region.html>

<sup>13</sup><https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/agreement-moves-myanmars-kyaukphyu-port-project-a-step>

<sup>14</sup><https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/kia-pdf-joint-force-attack-myanmar-army-in-sagaing>

<sup>15</sup><https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/junta-artillery-falls-like-rain-during-demoso-clash-forcing>

A body of alleged Pyu Saw Htee member from Ye-U township was found in Tanse township of Sagaing Region<sup>16</sup> and alleged female informer from Dawei township was shot dead near Shwe Taung pagoda of Tanintharyi Region<sup>17</sup>.

Media also reported that a female USDP organizer from Chaung-U township of Sagaing Region was shot dead<sup>18</sup> and a trishaw rider who was alleged as a junta's informer was shot dead in Tharkayta<sup>19</sup>.

A water supply pipe that connects to the Myanmar- Wan Paung operation site was blown up in Salingyi township of Sagaing Region<sup>20</sup>.

The Karen National Liberation Army (KNLA) triggered mines to the coalition force of junta's army and Border Guard Force (BGF) near Payitkyo village of Thaton township, Mon State. 3 junta's forces died and 4 cattles from Eihal Ywarlay village were killed due to random shelling of heavy artillery by junta<sup>21</sup>.

Two clashes broke out in a day with the Karen National Liberation Army (KNLA) regiment (5) and junta's Ka.La.Ya (53) in Phapun district of KNU. One died and one junta's troop was injured<sup>22</sup>.

The entire population of around 8,000 residents have already left the Thantlang township of Chin State after being bombarded by Myanmar junta forces during an intense clash with civilian resistance forces on the weekend, according to Thantlang Placement Affair Committee-IDPs Help (TPAC-IDPs). Fewer than 30 residents remained in the town<sup>23</sup>.

Clashes continued between civilian resistance fighters and junta troops in Kayah State's Demoso and have displaced some 500 people in Demoso, with some 300 living in forests and are in shortage of food, according to civil society organizations<sup>24</sup>.

47 illegal Myanmar migrant workers were arrested in Sai Yok province of Thailand.<sup>25</sup>

Residents from some villages of Mai Kai township of Northern Shan State have been fleeing due to the intense fighting between 2 ethnic armed groups, RCSS and SSPP<sup>26</sup>.

<sup>16</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/489269?>

<sup>17</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/thanlwintimes9/posts/3119320424859119>

<sup>18</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/khitthitnews/posts/1302557186848291>

<sup>19</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/489066?>

<sup>20</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/489352?>

<sup>21</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/Doothahtu/posts/375762450688734>

<sup>22</sup> <https://klofm.com/>

<sup>23</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/residents-of-town-in-myanmars-chin-state-flee-junta-artillery-barrage.html>

<sup>24</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/theirrawaddy/posts/4806610149383804>

<sup>25</sup> <https://www.mizzimaburmese.com/article/86816?>

<sup>26</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/theirrawaddyburmese/posts/4886481034729343>

Farkawn Village Council (VC) PuC.Lalramliana Mizoram state said that there were 28 Myanmar IDPs who have been infected with COVID - 19 among over 900 IPDs who fled due to the junta's heavy airstrike in Chin State<sup>27</sup>.

Danny Fenster, an American journalist who was arrested in May, was ordered to remain in prison as police investigate a vague accusation that he disseminated information that could be harmful to the military<sup>28</sup>.

Imprisoned anti-junta Myanmar actress Eindra Kyaw Zin has won the Seymour Cassel Best Performance Award for the melodrama What Happened to the Wolf? at Germany's Oldenburg International Film Festival<sup>29</sup>.

Locals said that junta's army set up mines around Mytel telecom masts across the country which was owned by Myanmar military and warned not to go around there<sup>30</sup>. The junta also instructed the mobile shops to make a list of names and addresses of those who bought Keypad phones after a lot of Mytel towers have been destroyed in Myanmar<sup>31</sup>.

The central bank of Myanmar (CBM) reportedly sold \$15 million at the foreign currency exchange rate for the third time in September<sup>32</sup>.

## 21 September

Aung San Suu Kyi pleaded 'not guilty' as the junta court indicted her on incitement charges under Section 505b of the Penal Code, according to her legal defence team<sup>33</sup>.

Kachin youths in Myitkyina staged a flash mob protest to show their opposition to coup leader Senior General Min Aung Hlaing's visit to the capital of Kachin State in northern Myanmar<sup>34</sup>.

A friend of the family has said that junta forces have detained a 14-year-old boy for more than two weeks and said they will only release him if his father, a former local National League for Democracy (NLD) leader from Mandalay Region's Taungtha Township, hands himself in<sup>35</sup>.

<sup>27</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/KhonumthungBurmese/posts/2973918376209518>

<sup>28</sup> <https://www.nytimes.com/2021/09/20/world/asia/myanmar-danny-fenster-jail.html?>

<sup>29</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/jailed-myanmar-actress-wins-top-award-at-german-film-festival.html>

<sup>30</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/ayeyarwaddytimes/posts/1994166057408052>

<sup>31</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/TachileikNewsAgency/posts/4528425110512627>

<sup>32</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/489105?>

<sup>33</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/suu-kyi-pleads-not-guilty-as-junta-court-indicts-her-on-incitement-charges>

<sup>34</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/myanmar-coup-leader-met-by-protests-in-kachin-state.html>

<sup>35</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/military-holds-14-year-old-hostage-in-bid-to-force-his-father>

Amid escalating armed conflicts between Burmese and ethnic armed groups along Thai-Burma border, Thai authorities have instructed security agencies to be alert along its Thai-Burma border to prevent weapons smuggling<sup>36</sup>.

An alleged informer was shot dead near Thinbawkyin bus stop of Dawpone township<sup>37</sup>. Another alleged police informer was shot dead in east Dagon township of Yangon<sup>38</sup>.

Two dead bodies of a 10 household administrator of Malel village and a USDP organizer of Htan Taw village were found with knife wounds in Malel village of Kantbalu township, Sagaing<sup>39</sup>.

Three dead bodies of pro-USDP supporters were found in Kone Maw village of Minkin township, Sagaing region after 100 of unknown people took them away<sup>40</sup>.

A couple who run a restaurant on Monywa-Gangaw-Kalay road were shot dead as they were alleged as junta's informers<sup>41</sup>.

The Karen National Union announced that there were 2 clashes that broke out between Karen National Liberation Army (KNLA) and junta's army in Kyaukkyi township of Bago region. At least 20 junta's troops were injured during the clashes<sup>42</sup>.

The Pale People's Defense Force attacked the junta's base in Nwel Inn village of Pale township, Sagaing region. 2 PDF members were injured and the injuries from the junta's side cannot be identified<sup>43</sup>. Junta's troops arrested 14 villagers from Nwel Inn as hostages the next day<sup>44</sup>.

An exchange of fire happened as a group of armed men attacked the junta's Ka.La.Ya (275) based in Myawaddy township of Karen State. Casualties and injuries from both sides couldn't be identified<sup>45</sup>.

Junta's army raided the base of the Kangyidaunt Guerrilla Force of Ayeyarwady region and the resistance force blew up 2 mines and escaped with no harm<sup>46</sup>.

<sup>36</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/Salweenpress/posts/4122068821237420>

<sup>37</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/VoiceofMyanmarNews/posts/922157608385913>

<sup>38</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/VoiceofMyanmarNews/posts/922711591663848>

<sup>39</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/VoiceofMyanmarNews/posts/922776711657336>

<sup>40</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/VoiceofMyanmarNews/posts/922866141648393>

<sup>41</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/VoiceofMyanmarNews/posts/922803274988013>

<sup>42</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/KloFM/posts/118610353870625>

<sup>43</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/489291?>

<sup>44</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/489489?>

<sup>45</sup> <https://kicnews.org/2021/09/>

<sup>46</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/489504?>

Zomi Revolutionary Army – ZRA which is based on the India-Myanmar border, attacked the small base of local people's defense force in Tedim of Chin State for the third time. Spokesperson of Chin Defense Force (CDF) condemned its act of violent on local armed group<sup>47</sup>.

The annual "Freedom on the Net" report was published and said internet shutdowns in Myanmar and Belarus had proved particularly low points as online rights declined globally for the 11th year in a row<sup>48</sup>.

A former editor of Maubin Hit Tai, a local news agency in Ayeyarwady was arrested. Their newsroom was terminated its operation in April<sup>49</sup>.

## 22 September

Myanmar junta has offered Chinese-made Sinopharm COVID-19 vaccines to the Arakan Army (AA) of Rakhine State and AA information officer Khaing Thukha said that the junta will provide AA with 40,000 doses of COVID-19 vaccines through intermediaries<sup>50</sup>.

The All Burma Federation of Student Unions (ABFSU) released a statement that they fear for the life of a students' union chairperson, Ms.Aye Nandar Soe, after she was detained by junta forces while travelling on a long distance bus<sup>51</sup>.

According to a relative, two seriously injured young activists who were arrested during a raid on an apartment on Yangon's 44th Street last month were transferred from a military hospital to Insein Prison last week<sup>52</sup>.

According to residents and ousted lawmakers, a man died after he and 81 others were publicly tortured by junta's soldiers in Ingalone village in Yangon Region's Kungyangon Township last week, after the killing of an alleged military informant<sup>53</sup>.

A youth from Moenyin township of Kachin State was arrested by junta's army with plainclothes on 2 civilian vehicles while he returned to his home from hiding. His mother and sister were also arrested along with him<sup>54</sup>.

<sup>47</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/mm/news/8565>

<sup>48</sup> <https://www.aljazeera.com/news/2021/9/21/freedom-on-the-net-report-grim-picture-online-rights-internet>

<sup>49</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/MizzimaDaily/posts/4804275289607338>

<sup>50</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/myanmar-junta-offers-covid-19-vaccines-to-arakan-army.html>

<sup>51</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/activists-fear-for-life-of-detained-students-union-leader>

<sup>52</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/two-injured-activists-who-survived-deadly-yangon-raid>

<sup>53</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/man-dies-after-soldiers-publicly-torture-dozens-in-yangon-region>

<sup>54</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/ayeyarwaddytimes/posts/1995929520565039>

In Kyaikto Township of Mon State, the junta armed forces arrested Daw Tin Mar Lwin, Taungthusu Ward administrator, and other 4 people working as volunteers for social works<sup>55</sup>.

A former under-secretary-general of the United Nations, Noeleen Heyzer, who had warm relations with Myanmar's previous regime and their proxy government is tipped to be the next UN special envoy for the country after the incumbent's term expires next month<sup>56</sup>.

The United States announced nearly \$180 million to be used in humanitarian assistance for those affected by the Rakhine State/Rohingya refugee crisis in Burma, Bangladesh, and elsewhere in the region<sup>57</sup>.

A U.N. special investigator Thomas Andrewson has submitted its report to the U.N. Human Rights Council accusing the country's military junta of systematic attacks against the people of Myanmar that may amount to crimes against humanity<sup>58</sup>.

The Karen National Liberation Army (KNLA) Battalion 17 and Battalion 432 of junta's army clashed at Tada-U near Walmar village, Noh Ta Khaw Township, Dooplaya District controlled by the KNU Brigade 6, one soldier was killed and two others were wounded from military junta<sup>59</sup>.

The CDF-Mindat launched a guerrilla attack on junta troops in Ashaypyin ward in Mindat of Chin State, and the military responded by firing heavy weapons. The shells destroyed at least three homes and some buildings within the compound of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church<sup>60</sup>.

Four family members of 2 police members who lived in Kyikone Village, Tanse Township, Shwebo District, Sagaing Region were killed, according to local sources. Local PDF denied the act of fatal attack<sup>61</sup>.

An on-duty traffic police officer was shot dead by a gunman in Monywa, Sagaing Region. The Monywa People's Defense Force claimed responsibility for the fatal attack<sup>62</sup>.

<sup>55</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/VoiceofMyanmarNews/posts/923473274921013>

<sup>56</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/former-un-under-secretary-general-tipped-as-next-special-envoy-to-myanmar.html>

<sup>57</sup> <https://www.state.gov/united-states-announces-nearly-180-million-in-humanitarian-assistance-for-the-rakhine>

<sup>58</sup> <https://www.voanews.com/a/myanmar-junta-violations-may-amount-to-crimes-against-humanity/6242469.html>

<sup>59</sup> <https://mizzima.com/article/fighting-reported-knu-brigade-6-area>

<sup>60</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/junta-artillery-shells-destroy-homes-damage-church-in-mindat>

<sup>61</sup> <https://elevenmyanmar.com/news/four-family-members-of-2-police-members-including-a-young>

<sup>62</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/theirrawaddy/posts/4813184095393076>

In Khin-U Township of Sagaing Region, a junta-appointed administrator of Tanaungkaigy village and another Pyu Saw Htee member, were killed on their way back from a meeting with the military junta<sup>63</sup>.

A staff member of the Mogoke Electricity Supply Corporation office, Lieutenant San Win, was shot dead by a gunman<sup>64</sup>.

2 junta's informers as well as veterans were shot dead in Chaung Shal village of Nyaung U, Mandalay<sup>65</sup>. A junta's informer from Taikkyi township of Yangon was also shot dead<sup>66</sup>.

A clash broke out between Karen National Union regiment (3) and junta's army near Setle village in Kyaukkyi township of Bago region. 2 junta's troops died in the clash<sup>67</sup>.

In Myinmu township of Sagaing, a police officer was shot by local people's defense force<sup>68</sup>.

Two military trucks were attacked with a mine near Kanni village of Kyaik Hto township, Mon State. 25 junta's troops died and 5 were injured. As junta's troops shot back at random, 2 civilians died and 4 were injured<sup>69</sup>.

A member of Thantlang Placement Affairs Committee said that IDPs from Thantlang township of Chin State are in desperate need of food and medical supplies as they had been fled in such a hurry due to the heavy artillery fired by the junta<sup>70</sup>.

There have been over 3000 IDPs in Mai Kai township of southern Shan State and are in desperate need of food, medicine and shelter<sup>71</sup>.

A US federal judge ordered Facebook Inc. to hand over records related to accounts it shut down in 2018 that were linked to government-backed violence against the Muslim Rohingya minority in Myanmar<sup>72</sup>.

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<sup>63</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/ayeyarwaddytimes/posts/1995690997255558>

<sup>64</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/mawkunmagazine/posts/4287755224670670>

<sup>65</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/ayeyarwaddytimes/posts/1995662563925068>

<sup>66</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/ayeyarwaddytimes/posts/1995087550649236>

<sup>67</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/MizzimaDaily/posts/4796376750397192>

<sup>68</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/489676?>

<sup>69</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/Salweenpress/posts/4129106620533640>

<sup>70</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/The74Media/posts/411666167019577>

<sup>71</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/shwepheemyaynews/posts/1039119180237546>

<sup>72</sup> <https://www.reuters.com/business/media-telecom/us-court-compels-facebook-release-records-anti-rohingya>

Sean Turnell, an economic adviser to ousted leader Daw Aung San Suu Kyi, appeared at the Dekkhinathiri District Court in Naypyitaw, along with three ousted Union ministers: former planning and finance ministers U Kyaw Win and U Soe Win and deputy planning and finance minister U Set Aung for the first time since their arrest in February<sup>73</sup>.

The junta released the statement in its own newspaper saying that they strongly rejected and objected to the conduct of the countries and organizations which allowed Mr. Kyaw Moe Tun to participate in the annual Ministerial Meeting on the Responsibility to Protect on 20 of September<sup>74</sup>.

A letter was spreading on social media that Bullet Hla Swe, supervisor of Gantgaw USDP party, saying that if PDFs hurt USDP members again, they would respond in defence by systematic use of weapons like Tumi guns, hand-made guns, swords, spears, pointed bamboos and hand-made mines, in cooperation with the junta armed forces<sup>75</sup>.

Amnesty International has called on members of the United Nations to prevent further bloodshed amid the deepening humanitarian catastrophe in Myanmar during the interactive dialogue on the report of the High Commissioner on the situation of human rights in Myanmar at the 48th session of the UN Human Rights Council<sup>76</sup>.

Junta spokesman Major General Zaw Min Tun disputed the report of the killing of the pastor Christian Pastor Cung Biak Hum in Thantalang of Chin State and the looting of belongings from the corpse as a “one-sided accusation”<sup>77</sup>.

Junta’s police officers shot and arrested a 24-year-old man who is a well-known and active protester in local anti-coup demonstrations and also detained his mother during a raid at their home in Bago, according to local sources<sup>78</sup>. Later he died at the hospital on 24th of September<sup>79</sup>.

Two people working with displaced people in Kayah State as well as two residents of Loikaw Township, grandmother and her grandchild have been detained for over a week and denied access to lawyers, said a spokesperson for the Karenni Human Rights Group<sup>80</sup>.

In Chin State, the junta army in Mindat police station wildly opened fire and a female staff member of the general administration office was hit with a bullet and died, according to local residents<sup>81</sup>.

<sup>73</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/daw-aung-san-suu-kyis-australian-advisor-appears-in-naypyitaw>

<sup>74</sup> <http://www.mdn.gov.mm/newspaper/public/ebooks/read/6797>

<sup>75</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/myithmautkhith/posts/337815208033506>

<sup>76</sup> <https://www.amnesty.org/en/documents/ior40/4763/2021/en/>

<sup>77</sup> <http://www.mdn.gov.mm/newspaper/public/ebooks/read/6792#4>

<sup>78</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/junta-police-shoot-and-arrest-activist-in-bago>

<sup>79</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/MizzimaDaily/posts/4803694102998790>

<sup>80</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/more-volunteers-and-civilians-detained-in-myanmars-anti-regime>

<sup>81</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/deltanewsagency/posts/1488837351493958>

Around 20 locals from Ngahtogyi, Taungthar and Myingyan township of Mandalay were arrested from 19-22 September by junta's army after a series of explosions and shootings happened<sup>82</sup>.

Cherry Htet, former personnel security guard of ousted leader Aung San Suu Kyi, had been taken away from house arrest to make custody and charged under Section 505b of the Penal Code at Naypyidaw No (1) police station, according to the sources close to the military<sup>83</sup>.

British MPs have reaffirmed calls to grant Myanmar nationals in the UK 'protected status' and argued that the government should treat the National Unity Government of Myanmar, a group of elected lawmakers, as a 'government-in-waiting'<sup>84</sup>.

The United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, Michelle Bachelet, urged the international community to redouble its efforts to restore democracy in Myanmar and prevent wider conflict before it is too late<sup>85</sup>.

U.S. Department of State Counselor Derek Chollet met in New York with Myanmar United Nations Permanent Representative Kyaw Moe Tun and representatives of Burma's National Unity Government of Myanmar, highlighting the importance of a swift return to democracy<sup>86</sup>.

The Chaung-U People's Defense Force (CHU-PDF) announced that two military trucks were attacked by nine mines between Nat Ye Kan village and Ye Poe Sa village in Mandalay-Monywa Road, at least six junta's troops were killed and many more injured in a landmine attack<sup>87</sup>.

According to village officials, the junta's forces warned some village officials in Buthidaung township not to provide food to the Arakan Army (AA) given by the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) for villagers<sup>88</sup>.

A hundred-household administrator from Myayenandar Ward, Chanmyathazi Township, Mandalay Region was shot at by two unknown gunmen<sup>89</sup>.

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<sup>82</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/VoiceofMyanmarNews/posts/923486878252986>

<sup>83</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/490431?>

<sup>84</sup> <https://www.politics.co.uk/news-in-brief/mps-reaffirm-need-to-grant-myanmar-nationals-protected-status/>

<sup>85</sup> <https://www.reuters.com/world/asia-pacific/un-commissioner-urges-international-effort-myanmar-before-it-is-too-late-2021-09-23/>

<sup>86</sup> <https://www.state.gov/counselor-chollets-meeting-with-burmese-representatives/?>

<sup>87</sup> <https://mizzima.com/article/pdf-landmine-kills-least-six-chaung-u-township>

<sup>88</sup> <https://mizzima.com/article/military-warns-people-buthidaung-township-not-provide-food-arakan-army-aa>

<sup>89</sup> <https://elevenmyanmar.com/news/two-unidentified-men-shot-administrative-member-of-myayaynanda-ward-in-mdy>

The military convoy with three trucks carrying around 100 soldiers and some supplies has been attacked by the Kachin Independence Army (KIA) near Namati Town, Kachin State. No accurate casualties have been confirmed yet<sup>90</sup>.

The Chinland Defence Force (CDF) said that there are now eight soldiers who have deserted the Myanmar army and joined their resistance group over the last two months<sup>91</sup>.

Patheingyi Western Defense Force (PWDF) claimed that they murdered the junta's informer as well as organizer of USDP party from Nyaung Chaung ward of Patheingyi township<sup>92</sup>.

A group of 15 gunmen with 8 motorcycles entered the Kokkokone village of Kawlin township, Sagaing and shot the house of the village administrator and the house of a police officer. During the attack, the village administrator, his son and the police died at the scene and the wife of the administrator was injured<sup>93</sup>.

Myanmar National Democratic Alliance Army (MNDAA) interrupted a convoy of junta's army heading to the Pan Sai of Monekoe of Northern Shan State with 4 rocket-propelled grenades<sup>94</sup>.

A police officer guarding the Mytel office in Monywa township of Sagaing Region was shot dead by People Defense Force and his weapon was confiscated by PDF<sup>95</sup>.

A junta's informant from Myothit ward of Hakha, Chin State was shot<sup>96</sup>.

In Dimawso Township of Kayah State (Karenni), the junta armed forces shot mortars at Kyaukse lake near Konetha village and the Karenni National Defense Force (KNDF) and Karenni Army (KA) made a defensive attack on junta's assault. Consequently, there was a clash between them and a combined force of KA+KNDF in Pekhone township. According to the KNDF, there were no casualties on the side of Karenni forces<sup>97</sup>.

A couple of junta informants as well as USDP members from Ayadaw township of Sagaing were shot<sup>98</sup>.

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<sup>90</sup><https://www.thehindwin.com/2021/09/23/myanmars-military-councils-convoy-is-attacked-near-namati-kachin-state/>

<sup>91</sup><https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/eight-myanmar-army-soldiers-defect-to-chinland-defence-force>

<sup>92</sup><https://www.facebook.com/deltanewsagency/posts/1488861881491505>

<sup>93</sup><https://www.facebook.com/VoiceofMyanmarNews/posts/923388458262828>

<sup>94</sup><https://www.facebook.com/kachinwavesnews/posts/4720586311287777>

<sup>95</sup><https://www.facebook.com/myithmautkhit/posts/337405888074438>

<sup>96</sup><https://www.facebook.com/MizzimaDaily/posts/4800394489995418>

<sup>97</sup>[https://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?story\\_fbid=158722546435669&id=100670325574225](https://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?story_fbid=158722546435669&id=100670325574225)

<sup>98</sup><http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/489902?>

A camp in charge said that IDPs from Sein Lone village track of Momauk township of Kachin State are in need of medical supplies and shelters<sup>99</sup>.

There have been nearly 100 IDPs who had been infected with COVID-19 in Monekoe of Muse district in Northern Shan State and are in shortage of COVID-19 preventive equipment<sup>100</sup>.

Myanmar's junta has cut off internet connection in 11 townships in conflict-affected areas of Magway and Chin, according to locals and people's defense forces<sup>101</sup>.

## 24 September

A senior defence official of the National Unity Government (NUG) said that they are stepping up efforts to provide weapons and other support to anti-junta armed groups across the country following calls from the guerilla fighters for more assistance<sup>102</sup>.

A U.N. spokesman said that Myanmar will not address the annual high-level U.N. General Assembly as an agreement was reached where Moscow and Beijing will not object to Kyaw Moe Tun remaining in Myanmar's U.N. seat for the moment as long as he does not speak during the high-level meeting<sup>103</sup>.

Junta has announced its plans to prosecute Dr. Aye Nyein Thu, better known as A Nyein, who has been aiding and providing healthcare treatment to internally displaced persons (IDPs) in Chin State's Mindat Township, for allegedly supporting local People's Defense Force (PDF) groups<sup>104</sup>.

A woman detained by Myanmar's junta accused of supporting the People's Defense Forces, has been hospitalized in Dawei after she was beaten during her interrogation, according to sources close to her<sup>105</sup>.

Junta's soldiers raided Kyikone Village for a second time and set houses on fire after relatives of a policewoman living in the village were murdered by unknown assailants on Wednesday night, destroying 15 houses<sup>106</sup>.

<sup>99</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/saved/?cref=28>

<sup>100</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/VoiceofMyanmarNews/posts/924006091534398>

<sup>101</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/fears-of-more-atrocities-as-myanmar-junta-blocks-internet-in-parts>

<sup>102</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/nug-stepping-up-efforts-to-supply-guerilla-fighters-with-weapons>

<sup>103</sup> <https://www.reuters.com/world/myanmar-will-not-address-world-leaders-un-afghanistan-will-2021-09-24/>

<sup>104</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/myanmar-junta-seeks-to-arrest-doctor-assisting-displaced-persons>

<sup>105</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/woman-hospitalized-after-being-beaten-by-myanmar-junta>

<sup>106</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/myanmar-junta-torches-village-twice-in-two-days.html?>

A member of the executive committee of the education staff's general strike committee as well as the former chairman of the Yangon University of Education Students' Union, was detained by the military junta<sup>107</sup>.

14 soldiers from Ka.Ma.Ya (599) from Kyaukkyi township of Bago region defected their base and joined with Karen National Union Regiment (3) along with their weapons<sup>108</sup>.

2 Rohingya people including the former village administrator of Gutarpyin village, had been arrested by junta's army in Buthidaung township of Rakhine State and the reason of the arrest was unknown, locals said<sup>109</sup>.

Several informed sources said that the Chinese Embassy has conveyed its concerns to the military junta in Naypyitaw, concerning that forces inside Myanmar seek to instigate anti-China unrest and may be planning to attack China's twin oil-and-gas pipelines in the country<sup>110</sup>.

A Pyu Saw Htee member was shot dead at his house in Sa ward of Pyi Gyi Tagon township of Mandalay<sup>111</sup>.

The Chaung-U People's Defense Force (PDF) in Sagaing Region has warned junta-appointed ward and village administrators in the township to resign from their positions by Sept. 30 or face consequences<sup>112</sup>.

Two soldiers were killed and six others were injured in a bomb attack on a military vehicle that was leaving after setting fire to 15 houses in Kyigone village in Taze Township, Sagaing, according to locals<sup>113</sup>.

Two junta's troops were killed by sniper shots of the Karen National Union - KNU near Htone Bo Lay villages and Weeyaw villages of Thaton township, Mon State<sup>114</sup>.

There were a total of 9 clashes between Karen National Liberation Army (KNLA) regiment 3 and junta's army within 3 days in Kyaukkyi township of Bago region. There were a lot of casualties from the junta's side<sup>115</sup>.

<sup>107</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/MizzimaDaily/posts/4806454436056090>

<sup>108</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/deltanewsagency/posts/1489075271470166>

<sup>109</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/mm/news/8566>

<sup>110</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/beijing-tells-regime-it-fears-attack-on-its-oil-gas-pipelines-in>

<sup>111</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/489986?>

<sup>112</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/theirrawaddy/posts/4823277867717032>

<sup>113</sup> <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lphlmhALf-M>

<sup>114</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/thanlwintimes9/posts/3132368640220964>

<sup>115</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/KloFM/posts/119628773768783>

A NLD party member was shot dead by junta's police forces from No (7) Station in Mahar Aung Myay township of Mandalay as he was accused of running away<sup>116</sup>.

PDF Zoland and Civic Defence Militia attacked a convoy of junta's army in Tedim township of Chin State. At least 6 junta's forces died and a lot were injured<sup>117</sup>.

A 100 household administrator as well as junta's informant was shot dead by Local PDF in Asin village of Yay township, Mon State<sup>118</sup>.

40 IDPs who fled their homes following clashes between junta forces and Karenni resistance groups in Kayah State, have contracted coronavirus and are in desperate need of medicine and food supplies, said a volunteer helping the displaced people<sup>119</sup>.

More than 3,000 people from villages in Magway Region's Gangaw Township have been displaced to the surrounding forests by recent junta's army aids and are in need of food, shelter, and medical care<sup>120</sup>.

Ten undocumented Myanmar migrant workers were arrested at a forest along the Thai-Myanmar border in Kanchanaburi province<sup>121</sup>.

The whole village of Ngalai in Matupi township, Chin State have fled into the forest due to the fighting between CDF-Matupi and junta's army, only families with lots of children and elderly people left in the village<sup>122</sup>.

Volunteers helping IDPs in Kachin State said that there was a need for food and medicine supplies in IDPs camp of Kachin State as they have been inaccessible by aid groups for a while<sup>123</sup>.

Junta's Central Committee for the COVID-19 Prevention, Control and Treatment announced that Basic Education schools, Private schools and Monastic Education schools will continue to close till 24th of October for one month to control the drop of COVID-19 contagion<sup>124</sup>.

<sup>116</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/mm/news/8562>

<sup>117</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?>

<sup>118</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/thanlwinkhetnews/posts/1311940065905222>

<sup>119</sup> <https://www.irrawaddy.com/news/burma/villagers-displaced-by-myanmar-military-regime-infected>

<sup>120</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/gangaw-township-idps-struggle-to-survive-in-forests-after-fleeing>

<sup>121</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/KhaosodEnglish/posts/4724857660866462>

<sup>122</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/KhonumthungBurmese/posts/2976175079317181>

<sup>123</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/standardtimedaily/posts/4066971156748141>

<sup>124</sup> <https://elevenmyanmar.com/news/basic-education-schools-will-continue-to-close-till-24th-october?>

Junta instructed monasteries not to accept people as permanent residents to live in the monastery and if there are guests, they have to register as overnight guests<sup>125</sup>.

## 25 September

Pro-democracy Buddhist monks took the streets of Mandalay, rallying against the military coup in demonstrations that coincided with the 14th anniversary of previous clergy-led mass protests referred to as the Saffron Revolution<sup>126</sup>.

Junta announced in its newspaper that they strongly rejected politically motivated human rights mechanisms and their unprofessional conclusions in the 48th regular session of the Human Rights Council in Geneva, significantly ignoring the root cause of the current political situation in Myanmar with the electoral frauds in 2020 General Elections with 11.3 million voter lists irregularities<sup>127</sup>.

Former Mandalay Region Chief Minister Dr. Zaw Myint Maung and Regional Minister for Electricity Zarni Aung were charged at Mandalay Region high court via video conferencing for the cases under anti-corruption law and the next court hearing will be on October 1, sources said<sup>128</sup>.

A staff member who came to fix Mytel Telecom tower near Nant Hwe village, Maingyu 105 mile village tract, Muse Township, stepped on the landmine planted by junta's army and lost his feet<sup>129</sup>.

The junta army arrested 3 people, including Dr. Zaw Htoi Aung, a Kachin ethnic doctor providing medical care to the IDPs in Sagaing Region<sup>130</sup>.

Quad leaders \_ U.S. President Biden, Japan PM Suga, India PM Modi, and Australia PM Morrison called for an end to violence in Myanmar and 'urgent implementation' of ASEAN Consensus when they participated in their first in-person Quad Leader's Summit in Washington<sup>131</sup>.

At least 25 junta soldiers were reportedly killed and their weapons seized in a clash with civilian resistance fighters in Pinlebu Township in Sagaing Region<sup>132</sup>. Locals said that junta's army made a series of airstrikes in minutes near Wan Be Inn village of Pinlebu township<sup>133</sup>.

<sup>125</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/490043?>

<sup>126</sup> <https://www.mizzima.com/article/monks-mark-saffron-revolution-anniversary-marching-mandalay>

<sup>127</sup> <http://www.mdn.gov.mm/newspaper/public/ebooks/read/6806#2>

<sup>128</sup> <https://elevenmyanmar.com/news/drzaw-myint-maung-and-zarni-aung-filed-with-charges>

<sup>129</sup> <https://elevenmyanmar.com/news/a-staff-who-came-to-fix-mytel-phone-tower-at-muse-township-lost-his-feet-after-stepping-on-a?>

<sup>130</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/MizzimaDaily/posts/4806740359360831>

<sup>131</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/ElevenMediaEnglishEdition/posts/2247933435349326>

<sup>132</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/theKachinNews/posts/3855073161259065>

<sup>133</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/The74Media/posts/413758080143719>

An alleged junta's informer from Chaung-U village of Pale township, Sagaing was killed with a knife<sup>134</sup> and a USDP member was shot dead near Naung Pin village of Shweku township, Kachin State<sup>135</sup>. Also Three junta's informants from Aung Thar San, Chan Mya Tharsi and Pathein Gyi townships of Mandalay, were shot dead in a day<sup>136</sup>.

In Hpa Kant township of Kachin State, there was a intense clash with junta soldiers and the Kachin Independence Army (KIA) near Lawah village's monastery<sup>137</sup>.

The People's Defence Force (Kalay) attacked the convoy of junta's army heading to Kalay township, Sagaing with planted mines near Chin Sai village. 8 Junta's troops died in the attack<sup>138</sup>

In Dimawso Township of Kayah State, there was heavy fighting between the junta armed forces and a combined force of Dimawso PDF+KNDF+KA near Konetha , Kyaukse and Tesule villages. At least 10 junta's troops died and one PDF member died<sup>139</sup>.

A convoy of junta's forces was attacked with a mine near Malakarchaung village of Thayetchaung village of Tanintharyi region. At least 10 junta's troops were injured<sup>140</sup>.

Local PDF interrupted the junta's army near Gonyin village of Kalaywa-Monywa road, Mingin township of Sagaing Region. 12 civilians and 3 PDF members died due to the motors hit by heavy artillery. 5 junta's troops died in the clash and around 1500 villagers had to flee<sup>141</sup>.

Shooting occurred at Myaynigone overpass in San Kyaung Township of Yangon as the junta's army raided the house where PDF were about to shelter. 4 PDF members and 3 junta's troops died<sup>142</sup>.

A ward administrator from Mandalay's Chan Mya Tharsi township was shot by two gunmen with a motorcycle<sup>143</sup>.

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134 <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/490374?>

135 <https://www.facebook.com/The74Media/posts/413708916815302>

136 <https://www.facebook.com/deltanewsagency/posts/1489828261394867>

137 <https://www.facebook.com/NationalUnityMedia/posts/180685674181864>

138 <https://www.facebook.com/pdfkalay/posts/172629331683459>

139 <https://www.facebook.com/risenewsmyanmar/posts/4991160704231720>

140 <https://www.facebook.com/thanlwintimes9/posts/3135375663253595>

141 <https://www.facebook.com/MizzimaDaily/posts/4810955748939292>

142 <https://www.facebook.com/ayeyarwaddytimes/posts/1998626433628681>

143 <https://www.facebook.com/deltanewsagency/posts/1490219121355781>

Thousands of people have once again fled their homes after fighting intensified between two armed groups in northern Shan State, the Shan State Progress Party (SSPP) and the Restoration Council of Shan State (RCSS), in Hohke village tract<sup>144</sup>.

## 26 September

Myanmar's junta has denied suspending the internet in conflict-hit regions, blaming a recent spate of data blackouts on anti-coup protesters who had destroyed military-owned communications towers and urged some foreign missions in Yangon to thoroughly verify information before making statements<sup>145</sup>.

Junta's officer with plain cloth who was inspecting the junction of North Okkalapa township was shot by an unknown gunman<sup>146</sup>.

Pinlebu People's Defense Force called all the defense forces across the country to rise up together as the junta cut off internet and mobile lines and planned to attack with airstrikes to oppress the PDF following heavy casualties from their side<sup>147</sup>.

In Demoso of Kayah, the fighting continued to be intense and the junta's army set up mines in the civilians houses<sup>148</sup>.

A junta's convoy was triggered by 2 mines after the returned from western villages of Khin-U township of Sagaing raiding villages and killing 3 civilians. At least 5 junta's troops were severely wounded in the attack<sup>149</sup>.

People's Defense Force - Kalay and Chin National Defense Force (CNDP) jointly attacked the junta's army after they raided the Chin Sai village of Kalay township, Sagaing Region and headed to the west passing through Si Pin Gyi village. Junta's army mainly used heavy artillery and at least 3 died and a lot were injured<sup>150</sup>.

Two monks were injured and 3 houses were set on fire as fighting broke out between RCSS and combined forces of SSPP and TNLA in Huu Kwet village, Kyaukme township of Shan State<sup>151</sup>.

<sup>144</sup> <https://www.myanmar-now.org/en/news/thousands-flee-homes-once-again-as-two-shan-armed-groups-fight-for-control-of-territory>

<sup>145</sup> <https://www.bangkokpost.com/world/2187967/myanmar-junta-blames-internet-blackouts-on-anti-coup-fighters>

<sup>146</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/risenewsmyanmar/posts/4994037180610739>

<sup>147</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/The74Media/posts/414257323427128>

<sup>148</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/MizzimaDaily/photos/a.320351647999747/4810518108983056>

<sup>149</sup> <http://burmese.dvb.no/archives/490467?>

<sup>150</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/pdfkalay/posts/173240548289004>

<sup>151</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/shannewsburmese/posts/4403211876437888>

	A clash broke out between the junta's army and the Kachin Independence Army (KIA) near Yay Pyan Lay village of Shweku township of Kachin State as the junta's military ship passed through Shweku township <sup>152</sup> .
	Myanmar's military junta has cut off internet access and telephone lines in Kawlin, Wuntho and Pinlebu townships following heavy casualties of its troops in a recent fight with People Defense Forces (PDF) and Kachin Independence Army (KIA) <sup>153</sup> .
	Four more million doses of Sinopharm COVID-19 vaccine bought from China, has been arrived to Yangon <sup>154</sup> .

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**Annexure I:**  
**Information on the Blasts Reported Across Myanmar from 20 - 26 September, 2021**

Date	Region/State	Incidents	Source
20 Sep	Mandalay	Kyaukse PDF announced that they had conducted a mine explosion at the electricity office in Sugone Ward.	Mizzima
	Karen	Homemade mine exploded at a house in Myawaddy Township, Myanmar-Thai border, killing one and two were injured.	Eleven
	Kayah	In Loikaw, there were 6 explosions. Reportedly, two of them took place near the prison and police housing in Dawuku Ward.	Mizzima
	Mon	In Yay Township, YSDF conducted a bomb attack at the inspection camp of the junta army near Yay river-crossing bridge (Chaungtaung). Reportedly, two junta soldiers were injured.	Mizzima
	Union Territory	In Lewe Township of Nay Pyi Taw, local PDF threw a grenade at the junta police booth near Inbu traffic lights, injuring at least three police officers.	Myanmar Now
	Yangon	2 blasts reported in Yangon _ one near UWiSarYa residency in Dagon township and one near Snow Garden Resident of Thingangyun township.	Voice of Myanmar

<sup>152</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/kachinwavesnews/posts/4731245093555232>

<sup>153</sup> <https://www.facebook.com/The74Media/posts/414110950108432>

<sup>154</sup> <http://www.mdn.gov.mm/newspaper/public/ebooks/read/6807>

	Kachin	A blast occurred near Myanmar Economic Bank of Myitkyina.	DVB
21 Sep	Tanintharyi	In Longlone township, there was a bomb explosion at the house of the administrator of Thauptkyabyin village. Reportedly, his daughter died and his wife was injured in the incident.	Mizzima
	Mon	A blast occurred at the Road and Transport Department office of Mawlamyine.	Than Lwin Times
	Yangon	Civil Guerrilla Force (CGF) claimed that 6 remote bombs were blown up in Hlaing Thar Yar township, injuring one by-passer.	Mizzima
	Mandalay	A blast hit a vehicle near Kyaukse township sport compound, one died and 2 were severely wounded according to locals.	Delta News Agency
	Shan	Naung Cho PDF made a warning by an explosion in front of the house of a junta's informant in Butar ward, Shan State.	Shan News
22 Sep	Yangon	In Dawbon township, there was a bomb explosion at the administration office of Myothit Ward.	Mizzima
	Yangon	In Insein township, there was a bomb explosion at a traffic police booth in Danyingone Ward.	Mizzima
	Mon	A blast target to a military convoy was blown up after passing the military trucks, near Kanee village of Kyaik Hto village, 2 civilians died and 2 were injured.	Voice of Myanmar
	Ayeyarwaddy	2 explosions occurred at the Municipal office of Nyaung Done township, junta's troops arrested one municipal staff member.	DVB
	Mandalay	A bomb was thrown into the military truck patrolling near Kyaukse General Hospital, one died and 2 junta's troops were injured.	Bago Watchnews
	Kachin	A Mytel office in Myitkyina township was attacked with a bomb and junta's troops fired back after the explosion.	74 Media
	Yangon	Two blasts were reported in Mingalardon township _ one near the USDP office and one near a tea shop in Phoechangone.	Tachileik News Agency
23 Sep	Yangon	The blast took place at the office of the education head on Ayeyarwon Road in Thaketa Township.	Eleven
	Yangon	A blast was reported at No (7) ward administrative office of Thaketa township.	Delta News Agency
	Yangon	2 timer blasts were blown up by Civil Guerrilla Force (CGF) targeting a military convoy in Hlaing Thar Yar township, destroying one vehicle.	Mizzima
	Mandalay	A blast was reported at the Moegoke's electricity supply office.	DVB
	Kachin	An explosion happened at the hospital compound of Lone Kin village track of Hpa Kant township.	74 Media
Mon	In Beilin Township, grenades were thrown into two pro-NLD	Mizzima	

		houses.	
24 Sep	Mon  Mandalay  Ayeyarwaddy	Local PDF threw a bomb into the house of Aung Myittar ward administrator of Yay township as a warning. A bomb was thrown into the house of Myothit (4) ward administrator in Chan Mya Tharzi township. 2 blasts hit near UTT & SONS petrol shop in Nyaung Done township on the Pathein-Yangon Road, a woman was injured.	Than Lwin Times DVB  DVB
25 Sep	Yangon  Yangon Mandalay  Karen  Yangon  Mon	A series of explosions hit Bayint Naung Road, west of Min Zedi near Insein prison five times. A blast occurred in front of Hotel Noval in Tharkayta township. Two blasts were reported near Shwe Kyin Toll Gate of Mandalay, injuring one junta's soldier and 2 civilians. 2 blasts were reported near Kyar Inn Seik Gyi Myoma police office and Phayar Thone Su General Administrative Office and one junta's troop was injured. G-20 UBPO released a statement that they blew up 2 bombs _ one at the Dawpone electricity supply cooperative office and one at the police outpost in Tharkayta. A blast hit the Kyaik Hto Electricity Supply Office in Zayar Mon ward of Mon State.	Eleven  VOM Delta News Agency Karen Information Center Delta News Agency  Than Lwin Times
26 Sep	Mandalay  Ayeyarwady	A timer bomb hit the patrolling junta's soldiers near Sunlun bridge of Myingyan, Mandalay region. Locals said 3 died and 2 were injured in the explosion. A blast was reported at the compound of the Kyonpyaw General Administrative office.	Delta News Agency  Mizzima

## Annexure II:

### Information on the Number of Mytel Telecom Masts Destroyed Across Myanmar from 20 - 26 September, 2021

Date	Region/State	Incidents	Source
20 Sep	Bago Yangon  Magway	In Kawa Township, a MyTel telecom tower blew up in Adu village. In Thonekwa Township, Thonekwa Youth Force blew up a MyTel telecom tower near Sinkoe village cemetery.	Mizzima Mizzima  DVB

	Shan Sagaing	Kanma PDF destroyed Mytel tower from the southern village of Min Done township. 2 Mytel towers from Lwal Kon mountain and Kywe Kone village of KyaukMe township were blown up and destroyed. 2 Mytel telecom masts from Hanlin ancient city of Wetlet township were destroyed.	Shan News Bago-Watchnews
21 Sep	Chin Kachin	Zoland PDF destroyed service wires inside Mytel telecom tower near Thaing Nyin village of Teetain township. A Mytel tower from Sai Yar village of Hpakant township was blown up.	Zalen National Unity Media
22 Sep	Mon Sagaing Mandalay	In Yay Township, local PDF set fire to a MyTel telecom tower near Kaninkamaw village. A Mytel tower in UKinkyi village of Kantbalu township was blown up. 2 Mytel towers were blown up in Sintgu townships of Mandalay and arrested nearby villagers.	Mizzima Tachileik News Agency Bago - Watchnews
23 Sep	Mandalay Mandalay Magway	Service wires inside Mytel telecom tower near Myingyu village of Tada-U Township, Mandalay Region were set on fire, sources said. A Mytel telecom mast from Western Moegkok township was blown up. A Mytel tower near Zee Taw village of Yesago township was destroyed.	Eleven DVB NBung Kat Kasa
24 Sep	Mandalay	A Mytel tower from Myayenandar resident of Chan Mya Tharsi township was blown up.	Eleven
25 Sep	Magway Sagaing	A Mytel telecom mast in the centre of Magway township was blown up. The Wetlet Guerrilla Force claimed that they blew up a Mytel tower in western village of the township.	Myaelatt Athan Delta News Agency
26 Sep	Magway	Yesagyo PDF destroyed Mytel tower near Mautaung village of Yesagyo township.	DVB