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KNU, The Karen National Union Vice President P'Doh Naw Zipporah Sein and her entourage, including P'DohT hamein Tun, P'Doh Saw Liston, P'Doh Saw Hla Tun and P'Doh Saw Mya Maung had concluded their trip from meeting with the masses of people in Irrawaddy and Yangon Divisions.

The aim of their trip is to explain and enquire about the ongoing peace process with the government and to listen to the attitude and aspiration of the people.

During this trip the KNU Entourage witnessed deep public concerns over unregulated business deals in conflict-sensitive areas and the continued fighting in Kachin State. Due to the ongoing clashes in Kachin State, many of the Karen people consistently questioned the genuineness of peace negotiation process.

The Entourage also held separate meetings with 88-Generation Student for Open Society, prominent political Party Leaders such as Khun Tun Oo of the Shan National League for Democracy (SNLD) and DawAung San Suu Kyi of the National League for Democracy (NLD). In the meeting, the discussions highlights the update of the ongoing Peace Process, candidly exchanging of views over building genuine Federal Union and the Constitutional amendments to strengthen mutual understanding between one another.

In addition, the Entourage had also met with the Minister U Aung Min, Vice-Chairman of the Union Peace building Committee, at the Peace Center. The Entourage shall continue to meet with the masses of People from Karen State and Bago Division.

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