

Political Prisoner Profile

AAPP CASE:	Kaung Htet Kway +1			
NAME OF POLITICAL PRISONER:	Kaung Htet Kyaw; Min Thwe Htit			
GENDER:	M;M	Ethnicity:		
DATE OF BIRTH:		Age:		
RELIGION:				
PARENTS NAME:				
EDUCATION:				
OCCUPATION:				
LAST ADDRESS:	Thegon's Aungon Village			
ARREST DATE:				
SECTION OF LAW:	Section 18 of the Peaceful Assembly and Peaceful Procession Act			
SENTENCING HISTORY:				
COURT HEARING:				
NAME OF PRISON:				
RELEASE DATE:				
IMMEDIATE HEALTH CONCERNS:				
CURRENT STATUS SUMMARY:				
Kaung Htet Kyaw has been in hiding since the police tried to arrest him in May 2014. His current whereabouts are unknown and he was charged in absentia.				
CAREER BACKGROUND:				
Kaung Htet Kyaw and Min Thwe Htit are members of ABSFU.				
ARREST DETAILS:				
<p>14 May 2014, Kaung Htet Kyaw and a group of villagers protested in Thegon's Aungon Village demanding the return of confiscated farmland. After the rally the group alleged that they were assaulted by more than 60 police officers and around 100 thugs in plain clothes.</p> <p>The rally was one of many attempts to reclaim the 1,100 acres of land which have been confiscated by the Burmese military in 1997.</p> <p>At least four others, including Min Thwe Htit, are facing charges for violating section 18. Min Thwe Htit has demanded the release of the farmers who are in detention and that all charges against them and against Kaung Htet Kyaw are dropped.</p> <p>23 May 2014 - DVB</p>				
DETAILS OF IMPRISONMENT:				
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