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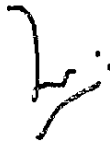
**re: Burma at the state of threat to Peace and Security**

Burma Action Group -- South Australia calls your attention to the continuing deterioration of situation in Burma. The political situation and respect for human rights in Burma have deteriorated to the extent that it poses a threat to the peace and stability of the region. In this connection, we call your attention to the report by Archbishop Desmond Tutu and former President Haclav Havel, "Threat to Peace: A Call for the UN Security Council to Act in Burma". We endorse the assessment of this report and that the UN Security Council should actively promote reconciliation in Burma. In particular, the Council should put in place a binding resolution authorising the Office of UN Secretary General to intervene actively in implementing the results of the general election in 1990 in a way satisfactory to the disputing parties.

We are also very concerned about the declining standards of health care and education for the people in Burma. The Burmese military junta shows little willingness to cooperate with the international community in improving the humanitarian situation. We are greatly alarmed at the withdrawal of the Global Fund, the international humanitarian organization which has been combating malaria, tuberculosis and HIV/AIDS in Burma. We ask that the UN Security Council strongly express concern over the Burmese junta's lack of cooperation in this area.

In closing, thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

Yours respectfully



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Secretary, Burma Action Group.

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