

Ko Htin Kyaw (m)

Adoption Status: Not Adopted

Country: Burma

Occupation: Political activist and director of the Movement for Democracy Current Force (MDCF), a community-based organization in Burma.

Detained Since: May 5, 2014

Charges: Making statements conducive to public mischief and violating laws of peaceful assembly.

Sentence: He is currently serving multiple sentences totaling more than 12 years.

Additional: Kyaw was arrested on May 5, 2014 for his peaceful activism in South Okkalapa Township in Yangon. MDCF held a demonstration in April 2014 calling for the return of land that had been illegally seized by the Burmese government earlier in the year. The Burmese government claimed that this was a threat to national security.



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