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Honorable President,

Distinguished delegates,

Excellencies,

I stand before you today on behalf of the elected representatives of Myanmar, carrying the voices of millions of our people who continue to endure profound suffering under military oppression.

The theme of this debate— *“Nurturing hope, securing peace, and ensuring justice for future generations”*—resonates profoundly with the ongoing struggle of Myanmar people. For us, these are not abstract ideals. They are urgent demands.

I bring with me the voices of 3.6 million internally displaced people, 16.2 million people in need of humanitarian assistance, over 15,000 of political prisoners are still in the prisons and thousands of civilians who have been killed since the military coup.

The people of Myanmar have been deprived of their fundamental rights and democratic voice. Despite these immense challenges, the people of Myanmar continue to demonstrate extraordinary resilience and courage in their pursuit of democracy.

Securing peace remains a pressing challenge. Our nation is facing widespread oppression, displacement, and humanitarian suffering. Communities have been devastated, and millions are in urgent need of protection and assistance.

Sustainable peace cannot be achieved through force, it must be built upon, inclusion, and respect for the democratic will of the people.

Accountability is equally essential—not only to address the suffering of today but also to prevent the recurrence of such injustices for future generations.

Dear colleagues,

I believe that honorable members of parliament from around the world will not want to sit in the same room as those who staged an unconstitutional coup d'état against their own people.

We stand here today as the democratically elected representatives of the people—elected in the 2020 General Election, in which over 27.5 million people cast their votes.

That mandate has not expired. That mandate has not been transferred. It was stolen. And yet, the people of Myanmar have not **given up** hope.

There remains hope—rooted in unity and collective resolve.

The Steering Council for the Emergence of a Federal Democratic Union stands as a powerful symbol of inclusive leadership and cooperation among democratic forces and ethnic nationalities. {Together with the CRPH, it represents a credible and forward-looking pathway toward a stable, federal democratic Myanmar—one that reflects the will of the people and guarantees equality, justice, and lasting peace.}

Therefore, we call upon this esteemed Assembly

- To reject the legitimacy of the military regime and its proxy parliament —no matter how it is repackaged.
- To reaffirm recognition of the CRPH as Myanmar’s legitimate parliamentary representative.
- And to take decisive, coordinated action to end the ongoing violence against civilians.

We respectfully urge this assembly to stand with us—not only in words, but in meaningful action.

Let us work together to ensure that hope is restored, peace is secured, and justice is delivered—for Myanmar, and for future generations.

I thank you



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