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State Law and Order Restoration Council
Law Changing the Definition of Expressions
(State Law and Order Restoration Council Law No. 15/89)
15th Waxing Day of Nayon, 1351
(18 June 1989)

The State Law and Order Restoration Council has enacted the following law:

1.   This law shall be called the Law Changing the Definition of Expressions.

2.   The words "Union of Burma" shall be substituted with the words "Union of Myanmar," and the word "Burma," "Burman," or "Burmese" shall be substituted with the word "Myanmar" in laws in force that were enacted in the English language.

3.   (a)   If it is necessary in order to match the Myanmar pronunciation to modify and spell the name that is currently spelled and used in English of any state, division, group of townships, township, town, ward, village tract, or village, and of any river, stream, forest, mountain, or island, the government may modify the name by issuing a notification.

        (b)   If any name appearing in a notification issued by the government under sub-section (a) appears in any law in force that was enacted in the English language, this name shall be deemed to have been modified as it is modified and spelled in English in this notification.

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