

Statement by the President of the Security Council on Myanmar, March 10, 2021

—issued in the United States’ capacity as President of the UN Security Council

“The Security Council, recalling its Press Statement SC/14430 of 4 February 2021, [REDACTED] at developments in Myanmar following the declaration of the state of emergency imposed by the military on 1 February and the arbitrary detention of members of the Government, including State Counsellor Aung San Suu Kyi and President Win Myint and others. The Security Council reiterates its call for their immediate release.

** reiterates its deep concern / is tired of looking / how much longer is this going to take / strongly condemns—have we done this before*

“The Security Council [REDACTED] the violence against peaceful protestors, including against women, youth and children. It [REDACTED] at restrictions on medical personnel, civil society, labor union members, journalists and media workers, and calls for the immediate release of all those detained arbitrarily. The Council calls for the military to exercise utmost restraint and emphasizes that it is following the situation closely.

** strongly condemns / is sick and tired of / can't we all just get along / can't take any more of*

** expresses deep concern / really could not be more concerned / have we mentioned we're concerned? / is trying really hard to be concerned*