



## ရခိုင်ပြည်နယ်ဆိုင်ရာနေ့စဉ်သတင်းအကျဉ်းချုပ် Daily News Brief on Rakhine State Affairs

October 29, 2018

### **Local, foreign media collects news in Maungtau**

Maungtau October 28

Journalists from local and international media groups arrived in Sittway Township on 26 October. The media group met with people living in ThetKelPyin Camp and interviewed and gathered news about the resettlement programs, their living condition, education and health.

On 27 October, the media groups went to Maungtau and they first met with local authorities at the Maungtau District General Administration Office and interviewed them. At the meeting, Maungtau Township Administrator briefed about the current situation of Maungtau region, implementation of UEHRD processes, the condition of reception and transit centres to scrutinize and receive returnees, and matters related to the people living near the boundary line of two countries.

Afterwards, they went to Pan Taw Pyin Village, met with the incharge of the village and enquired about their livelihood, education and health. Later, they also went to the MyomaTaung Ward in Maungtau, interviewed Islamic families who returned on 4 September 2018.

On 28 October, they visited TaungPyoLetwe reception center in Maungtau Township, Rakhine State. First, they visited friendship bridge in TaungPyoLetweTown. Afterwards, they interviewed with officials from TaungPyoLetwe reception center. At the meeting, the journalists also interviewed the people living at Myanmar-Bangladesh border line.

The media delegation comprised of journalists from Yomiuri Shimbun, MIR, Mizzima Media, Channel 4 News, Swiss TV, MRTV, MITV and MNA.

-Aung Ye Thwin



## **China donates 1,000 assembled houses for use in accepting returnees in Maungtau** Yangon October 27

A ceremony to hand over 1,000 units of Assembled Board Houses donated by the People's Republic of China for use in accepting returnees in Rakhine State was held at Myanmar International Terminal Thilawa yesterday.

While addressing the ceremony, Union Minister of the Office of the State Counsellor, U Kyaw Tint Swe said the day's event is a ceremony to transfer 1,000 units of assembled board houses donated by China and as it is a significant support towards resettling returnees in Rakhine State it is much appreciated. This donation was made with a view to fulfill Myanmar's requirement in comparison to the earlier donation of 100 ABHs (Assembled Board Houses) made in January 2018.

Next, Ambassador Mr. Hong Liang explained about the reason for donation of 1,000 units of assembled board houses. Later, Union Minister and party scrutinized 1,000 units of assembled board houses.

-Min Thit (MNA)

---