

## Statement of 2023 Annual Meeting Restoration Council of the Shan State

Date: 29 January 2024

2023 annual meeting of Restoration Council of the Shan State, attended by members of Advisory Board, Central Executive Committee, Central Leading Committee, Central Committee and responsible personnels from the departments, (256) persons in total, had successfully held at RCSS's headquarters, Loi Tai Leng, on 26-28 January 2024 and the statement has issued as follows.

- During the meeting, the attendees reviewed and discussed the reports of their implementation by all departments over the last year, extensively made the assessment of current situation of political, military and peace issues along with other issues and have laid down the plans for the future.
- In order to find a solution to the political crisis in the Republic of the Union of Myanmar, the RCSS will reach out to each and every organization for talks and strive to resolve the political issues through negotiations.
- Only when a federal democratic union can be established, the political crisis of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar can be solved.
- 4. In order to find a solution to the political crisis in the Republic of the Union of Myanmar, the RCSS urges ASEAN to make it a responsibility and mediate in helping resolve the crisis.
- 5. The RCSS will strive for the lasting unity of the nationalities of Shan State.
- 6. The RCSS will strive for the eradication of drugs and the prevention and prohibition of online fraud and human trafficking in RCSS's controlled areas.

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