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### **Burma Lawyers' Council**

#### EVERYONE IS EQUAL BEFORE THE LAW.

Wisdom is power to transform the society into a just, free, peaceful and developed one.

#### MISSION STATEMENT

"By vigorously opposing all unjust and oppressive laws, and by helping restore the principle of the Rule of Law, the Burma Lawyers Council aims to contribute to the transformation of Burma where all the citizens enjoy the equal protection of law under the democratic federal constitution which will guarantee fundamentals of human rights."

#### THE STATUS OF ORGANIZATION

The Burma Lawyers' Council is an independent organization which was formed in a liberated area of Burma in 1994. It is neither aligned nor is it under the authority of any political organization. Individual lawyers and legal academics have joined together of their own free will to form this organization.

#### **O**BJECTIVES OF THE **BLC**

- Promote and assist in the educating, implementing, restoring and improving basic human rights, democratic rights, and the rule of law in Burma;
- Assist in drafting and implementing a constitution for Burma, and in associated matters of legal education; and
- · Participate and cooperate in the emergence of a Civil Society in Burma.

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