

## **Press Release**

A two-day workshop on the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty is being co-organized by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization and the Australia Embassy in Yangon at the Lake Garden Hotel in Nay Pyi Taw, at 9:00 am today.

The Minister of State for Foreign Affairs U Kyaw Tin delivered an opening remark at the said workshop. Presented at the workshop were officials from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Ministry of Defense, the Ministry of Transport and Communications, the Ministry of Education, the Union Attorney-General's Office. Ambassador Coppel and officials from the Australian Embassy and experts from the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization also participated in the said workshop.

Myanmar signed the CTBT in 1996 and has been studying to ratify the said treaty. Therefore, the said workshop is being observed in order to have a better understanding on the process of fulfilling the obligations and legal requirements of the treaty by officials concerned of Myanmar. The workshop will continue on 7<sup>th</sup> July 2016.

Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Nay Pyi Taw.

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