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Meiktila victims return home from Pyawbwe relief camps

Meiktila, 6 July— Victims of recent conflicts in Meiktila who had taken refuge in Pyawbwe Payintaw temporary relief camp returned to their native town Meiktila of Mandalay Region on 4 July.

A total of 135 residents of Aung Zeya ward were allowed to return home.

They are expected to be followed by victims in Sulegon relief camps in Kyaukse. Despite extension of two months of state of emergency, the area has returned to normalcy.

Families from Aung Zeya, Yan Myo Aung, Myoma, Nandawgon, Aung Hsan, Wunzin, Thiri Mingala, Pyithaya (South), Pyithaya (North) and Yadana Mahn Aung wards where homes were not damaged are being allowed to return home, according to an official of Township General Administration Department.

A total of five relief camps now hold only 800 victims.

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