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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the United Nations and, with reference to the latter's Note No. DESA-19/03258 dated 18 December 2019, has the honour to enclose herewith the information relating to the implementation of the General Assembly Resolution 73/24, entitled "Sport as an enabler of sustainable development" provided by the Ministry of Health and Sport of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar to the United Nations avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat of the United Nations the assurances of its highest consideration.

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## REPORTING ON RECENT INITIATIVES ON SPORT FOR DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE (MYANMAR)

Title of initiative

Provide a summary of the initiative, including a brief overview, proposed/actual outcomes and an assessment of any lessons learned and the way forward.

<p>Please provide more details on the initiative below</p>	<p>Please indicate which, if any, of the following fell among the main objectives of the initiative:</p>	
<p>Objective(s):</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <del>Ensuring that no one is left behind</del></li> <li>• <del>Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies</del></li> <li>• Research development, data collection and/or data dissemination</li> <li>• Conflict prevention/peace building</li> <li>• Policy development for mainstreaming and integrating sport for development and peace in development programmes and policies</li> <li>• Research, monitoring and evaluation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <del>Eradicating poverty and promoting prosperity in a changing world</del></li> <li>• Empowering people and ensuring inclusiveness and equality</li> <li>• Preventing and fighting corruption in sport</li> <li>• Strengthened global framework on sport for development and peace</li> <li>• <del>Resource mobilization, programming and implementation</del></li> <li>• Other (please specify)</li> </ul>
<p>Implementation mechanisms:</p>	<p>What are the main processes of implementation of the initiative?</p> <p>Regions and States Sports Tournaments, Townships Sports Development Programmes, National Sports Festival, Universities Sports Tournaments, Knowledge Sharing Programmes, School Sports Tournaments, PE Teacher Training Courses, Summer Sports Courses, Gender balance in all sports tournaments, Women Sports Federation, Women Sports Committee, Youth Leader Camp, Mass sports, Sports tournament for public holiday, EIM initiatives, Sports and recreation programmes for refugee camps, Enhancing opening ISPEs, Conducting sports specialization major in university curriculum, Planning to reorganize Myanmar Olympic Committee, Making Proposal to appoint Sports Law in Parliament, Reforming Federations, Support Research Development and Data Collection and Prevent and fighting corruption in Sports are the main processes of implementation of the initiative.</p>	

	<p>What are the main deliverables/activities involved?</p> <p>Tournaments and Competitions with different Sports, Talks and Demonstrations, Training Courses, Promoting women in sports, Founding Women Sports Committee, Project implementation, Mass walking, Mass biking, Physical Exercises, Fitness dance, Exercises for all age groups and pregnant women disable people, Trainings, Fun Activities, Inspiring Youths to participate in Sports, Developing Curriculum called Sports specialization major, Organizing Myanmar Olympic Council in progress, Negotiation with Law Officers and counselors/holding meetings, Elections to reform Federations, Collecting data in all tournaments and competitions including ISPEs and Preventing with proposed Sports Law are the main activities involved in Myanmar.</p> <p>What is the time frame of implementation?</p> <p>The time frame of implementation is depended on the Process. For the Regions and States Sports Tournaments, are organized in the whole year with the Sports Calendar, For the National Sports Festival, is organized in every two years; For the PE teacher training courses, are conducted as 3 one-month courses per year; For reforming Federations, are elected in every four years and other activities are carried out every year.</p>
<p>Target Audience(s):</p>	<p>Who are the beneficiaries of the proposed/implemented initiative?</p> <p>All national races of the country, Local people form specific townships, University Students from all Universities, Students , PE teachers, Girls and Women, Youths, Refugees, Sports officers, Technical Organizers, Athletes, Business owners, Federation members, All sports organizations are the beneficiaries of the proposed/implemented initiative.</p>
<p>Partners/Funding:</p>	<p>Who are the main organizations/entities involved in the initiative and what are their roles in development and/or implementation?</p> <p>Central/ regional government and sports federations, regional sports committees, Universities, MOE, and SPED, Schools, Township Sports Organizations and SPED, NGOs, IOC and MOC, technical experts, Business owners, Stakeholders, MOHS, Union Attorney General's Office, Parliament are the main entities involved in the initiative.</p>

	<p>What are the main sources of funding of the initiative?          In the financial year 2018-2019 and 2019-2020, Budgets of the Ministry of Health and Sports, IOC, Sponsors and Donors are the main sources of funding of the initiative.</p>
<p>SDG Alignment:</p>	<p>To what SDG goal/ target/ indicator is this initiative targeted?          SDG goal 3,5,9,10,16,17 and Myanmar SDG goal 3 and 4 are this initiative targeted.          Be the sole organization in overall charge of different tournaments and competitions in Myanmar, Co-ordinate the activities of Asian countries in the field of Sports at both regional and international levels; Promote the practice of sports, encourage the construction of physical facilities and improve the standard of performance; Stimulate interest of sports and physical recreation in the people of Myanmar; Co-operate with performance authorities and private enterprises in the promotion of sports; Encourage and support the promotion of public crucial topics (i.e. Women and Sport at all levels, Sport for All, Sports with Culture and Education and Peace through Sports And Fight against doping to which initiative is aligned.</p>
<p>Alignment with global frame-works:</p>	<p>How does this initiative align with/contribute to the objectives of the Kazan Action Plan, WHO Global Action Plan on physical Activity or other related internationally agreed frameworks on sport and/ or physical activity?          This initiative aligns with the Kazan Action Plan and UN action plan to Align With Sustainable Development Priorities; to inspire youths; to foster quality physical education and active schools; to enforce gender equality; to empower girls and women; to foster the inclusion of youth in decision-making processes; to promote research based evidence and to protect the Integrity of Sport.</p>
<p>Alignmet with United Nations Action Plan on SDP:</p>	<p>Which of the four thematic areas of the UN Action Plan on Sports for Development and Peace is this initiative designed to align?          To which action area(s) of the Plan is this initiative designed to contribute?          UN Action Plan (1)(2)(3) on Sports for Development and Peace is this initiative designed to align.</p>

<p>Outcomes:</p>	<p>What are the expected/ actual outcomes of the initiative?</p> <p>Friendships, Culture exchange, Peace and Understanding, Develop in PE, life skills, soft skills, new generation in Sports, Physical Wellbeing, Equality and Opportunities for female, Developing women sports, Leadership skills for youth, new project initiative, National health, Nurturing new generation of excellent athletes and protecting using drugs and good health, Professional technical organizers in the future, Safety, Friendships, policy development, Nurturing selection players/ Organizing Tournaments/ Conducting Coaches &amp; Referees Courses, Acquiring evaluated specific data are the expected outcomes of the initiative.</p>
<p>Mechanism for monitoring and evaluating implementation:</p>	<p>What are the mechanisms for monitoring and evaluating the implementation, outcomes and impact of the initiative?</p> <p>What are the specific monitoring and evaluation tools involved?</p> <p>International and national organizations, NGOs, MOHS, MOE and SPED are the specific monitoring and evaluation tools involved.</p>
<p>Challenges/Lessons Learned</p>	<p>What have been/were the main challenges to implementation?</p> <p>Budgets, Human Resources, Upgrading Plans, Technology and Sports Equipment were the main challenges to implementation.</p> <p>What lessons learned have been/can be utilized in the planning of future initiatives?</p> <p>Monitoring and evaluating systematically, Finding Funds more, upgrading the technique and effective system can be utilized in the planning of future initiatives.</p>

- MOC - Myanmar Olympic Committee
- IOC - International Olympic Committee
- MOHS - Ministry of Health and Sports
- MOE - Ministry of Education
- SPED - Sports and Physical Education Department
- ISPE - Institute of Sports and Physical Education

- PE - Physical Education
- SDGs - Sustainable Development Goals
- NGOs - Non-Government Organizations