

The State Law and Order Restoration Council  
**The Adaptation of Expressions Law**  
(The State Law and Order Restoration Council Law No. 8/88)  
The 9th Waxing Day of *Thadingyut*, 1350 M.E.  
(19th October, 1988)

The State Law and Order Restoration Council hereby enacts the following Law:-

1. (a) This Law shall be called the Adaptation of Expressions Law.  
(b) It shall be deemed to have come into force from the 8th Waxing day of *Tawthalin*, 1350 M.E. (18th September, 1988).
2. The following expressions contained in any existing law, procedure, order or directive shall be deemed to have been substituted as expedient by the expressions shown against each : —

<u>Existing Expression</u>	<u>Substituted Expression</u>
(a) The Socialist Republic of the Union of Myanmar	The Union of Myanmar
(b) Council of State	The State Law and Order Restoration Council
(c) Chairman of the Council of State or the President	Chairman of the State Law and Order Restoration Council
(d) Council of Ministers Council of Minister's Office	Government Office of the Government
(e) Council of People's Justices or Chairman of the Council of People's Justices Central Court	Chief Justice Supreme Court
(f) Council of People's Attorneys or Chairman of the Council of People's Attorneys Central Law Office	Attorney-General Office of the Attorney-General

(g) Council of People's Inspectors or Chairman of the Council of People's Inspectors Central Accounts Office	Auditor - General  Office of the Auditor-General
(h) Central Organs of State Power	Government, Chief Justice, Attorney-General or Auditor- General
(i) State or Divisional People's Council	State or Divisional Law and Order Restoration Council or the respective Township Zone Law and Order Restoration Council
(j) Executive Committee of the State or Divisional People's Council	Head of the respective Department, People's Police Force or Corporation at the State or Divisional level or Township Zone level
(k) Township People's Council	Township Law and Order Restoration Council
(l) Executive Committee of the Township People's Council	Head of the respective Department, People's Police Force or Corporation at the Township level
(m) Ward or Village-tract People's Council	Ward or Village-tract Law and Order Restoration Council
(n) Executive Committee of the Ward or Village-tract People's Council	Head of the respective Department, People's Police Force or Corporation at the Ward or Village-tract level or the Ward or Village-tract Law and Order Restoration Council

3. The expression “Executive Committee of the People's Council mentioned in Section 2 sub-section (j), (l) and (n) includes the Chairman, Secretary or member of the Executive Committee of the People's Council or any organ formed by the said Committee under any law.

**Sd./ Saw Maung**  
**General**  
**Chairman**  
**The State Law and Order Restoration Council**