

H.E. Aung San Suu Kyi State Counsellor

Your Excellency,

I urge you to immediately and unconditionally release Paing Phyto Min, a 22-year-old poet and student leader serving six years in prison solely for exercising his right to freedom of expression.

In April and May 2019, Paing Phyto Min and other members of the Peacock Generation, a satirical poetry troupe, performed Thangyat critical of the military. The military took offence at their performances and brought charges against them. Paing Phyto Min should not be in prison simply for criticising the military.

Everyone must be free to express their views in Myanmar, even if these are critical of the authorities.

I urge you to release Paing Phyto Min immediately and unconditionally, and your government to repeal or amend all repressive laws that violate the right to freedom of expression.

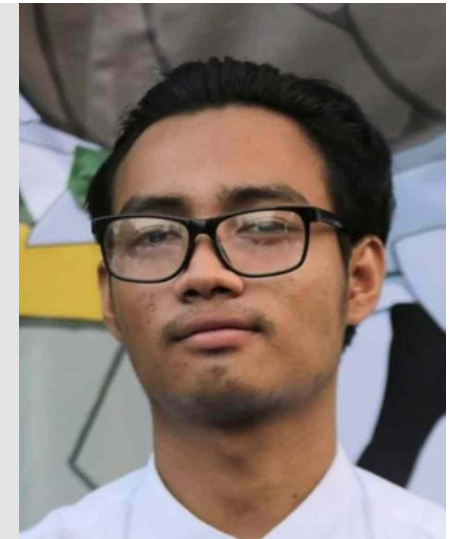
RELEASE YOUNG POET FROM PRISON

Paing Phyto Min is serving six years in prison after performing satirical poetry criticizing the military in Myanmar.

In 2019, Paing Phyto Min and other Peacock Generation members were arrested after performing Thangyat dressed as soldiers.

Public pressure is vital to reform repressive laws and release Paing Phyto Min and all individuals behind bars solely for peacefully exercising their human rights.

Take action and urge the Myanmar authorities to immediately and unconditionally release Paing Phyto Min.



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