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Petition: Time for the U.S. to Act on Burma

Dear: Representative _____,

The Burmese military regime continues to imprison thousands of political prisoners of conscience. There are now over 2,200 political prisoners lamenting behind bars for their non-violent expression of freedom and democracy. At the same time, the ruling junta is persecuting its own ethnic citizens through the use of systematic rape, torture, arrest, arbitrary killings, forced labor and child soldiers. These are systematic and widespread violations of human rights that constitute war crimes and crimes against humanity.

The United States, as a permanent member of the UN Security Council, has the opportunity and responsibility to take action. Support House Resolution 898 which urges the US government work toward the freeing of Burma's political prisoner and calls for UN Security Council Commission of Inquiry to investigate these potential crimes against humanity and war crimes in Burma. Take this time to give voice to the voiceless people of Burma and answer Aung San Suu Kyi's call to use our liberty to promote theirs.

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