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**Subject: Submission of the COP15 National Report by the Republic of the Union of Myanmar**

Dear Dr. Musonda MUMBA,

Greetings from Forest Department Headquarter, Naypyitaw, Myanmar!

This letter officially confirms the submission of the National Report of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar to the 15<sup>th</sup> Conference of the Contracting Parties to the Convention on Wetlands.

Myanmar is giving a priority to promoting effective conservation, management, and wise use of the wetland resources for future generations. Myanmar has made substantial progress for wetlands, including the National Wetland Committee's reform in 2022. Every month, we conduct biodiversity surveys and monitoring, habitat restoration, and enhanced protection activities in Myanmar's wetland protected areas. The Government of Myanmar organized the commemoration of World Wetlands Day every year to raise awareness of local communities and relevant stakeholders.

In the COP15 National Report by the Republic of the Union of Myanmar, I provide a summary of various aspects of national implementation progress and further information on national implementation of the Ramsar Convention. Myanmar will work together to strengthen cooperation in wetlands protection and management, as well as the implementation of the Ramsar Convention.

I trust that the Ramsar Convention Secretariat is fully prepared for the upcoming COP 15 in Zimbabwe in July 2025. I would like to thank you for your kind support for implementing the Ramsar Convention in Myanmar.

Sincerely,

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