GENERAL INFORMATION ON THE KAYAH STATE INVESTMENT FORUM

VENUE AND DATE

The Kayah State Investment Forum will be held at the State Hall, Loikaw on 26th May, 2018, co-organized by Kayah State Government and Kayah State Investment Committee(KIC).

The Kayah State Investment Forum is comprised of the Investment Seminar (26th May AM) and the Business Matching Event (26th May PM).

REGISTRATION

All participants are requested to fill up the attached registration form (**ANNEX A**) and submit to the following personnel in charge via email or fax at **the latest by 8th May 2018**.

Attention:

Ms. May Myo Zaw, Director Mr. Dr.Wunna Aung, Director Mr. Htun Tauk Aung, Deputy Director Ms. Cho Zar Hlaine, Assistant Director Directorate of Investment and Company Administration (DICA) Tel: +95 1 658132, 083 2224184, Fax: +95 01 658143, 083 2224185 E-mail: kayahinvestmentforum1@gmail.com kayahinvestmentforum2@gmail.com Website: www.dica.gov.mm

TRANSPORTATION

Yangon to Loikaw trip: Participants can access Loikaw, capital city of Kayah State not only by road but also air transportation. Driving hours by road from Yangon to Loikaw will take about 15 hours. There is a daily Flight of Myanmar National Airline that connect the city of Yangon to Loikaw. The average Flight time from Yangon to Loikaw is 50 minutes. The participants can travel by cars or passenger buses or by plane with own arrangement. All participants are advised to arrive on 25th May, 2018 evening to Loikaw.

ACCOMMODATION

Hotel fees and contacts for hotel accommodation rates are seen as follows; own arrangement of hotel booking by participants is required.

Famous Hotel (15 min driving for State Hall)

Room Type Room Rate Local(MMK) Foreigner(USD) **Junior Suite Room** USD 60/night Kyat 55000/night **Royal Deluxe Room** USD 55/night Kyat 50000/night **Deluxe Room** USD 50/night Kyat 45,000/night Kyat 25,000/night Extra Bed USD 20/night

The room rates are as follows:

Kindly note that the below rules are our Terms & Conditions at Famous Hotel and we are servicing with heart to be best service for our valuable guests.

Check-In and Check-Out Time

Check-in-time - 2:00 PM Check-out-time - 12:00 PM

Please contact the following address for room reservation:-

Mobile: +95 (9) 777555601, 777555602 , 777555603

Email: <u>famousloikawhotel@gmail.com</u>

Address: No-110(A), Thu Da Nu Street, Daw Au Khu Ward, Loikaw Township, Kayah State, Myanmar

Kayah Resort (15 min driving for State Hall)

The room rates are as follows:

Sr.	Room Type	Room Rate		
		Foreigner(USD)	Local(MMK)	
1	Executive Room	USD 249/night	Kyat 199,000/night	
2	Deluxe Poolside Room	USD 119/night	Kyat 99,000/night	
3	Deluxe Front view Room	USD 109/night	Kyat 89,000/night	
4	Deluxe Room	USD 99/night	Kyat 79,000/night	
5	Extra Bed	USD 35/night	Kyat 25,000/night	

Please contact the following address for room reservation:-

Kayah Resort, Loikaw

Phone: +95 (083) 21374, (9)258887070, 258882020

Fax: +95 (083) 21531

Email: <u>reservations@kayahresort.com</u>

Website: https://www.kayahresort.com

Address: No-6, U Khun Li Street, Naung Yah(A)Quarter, Loikaw Township, Kayah State, Myanmar

Hotel Loikaw (15 min driving for State Hall)

The room rates are as follows:

Sr.	Room Type	Room Rate		
		Foreigner(USD)	Local(MMK)	
1	Deluxe Room	USD 70/night	Kyat 45,000/night	
2	Superior Room	USD 60/night	Kyat 35,000/night	
3	Extra Bed	USD 40/night	Kyat 15,000/night	

Please contact the following address for room reservation:-

Hotel Loikaw, Loikaw

Phone: +95 (083) 22946, 22947 (9) 459957496, 428001980

Email: hotel.loikaw11@gmail.com

Website: https://www.hotelloikaw.com

Address: 9th Street, Naung Yah (A)Ward, Near of Htee Ngar Hlyar Lake, Loikaw Township, Kayah State, Myanmar

Hotel Myat Nan Taw (15 min driving for State Hall)

The room rates are as follows:

Sr.	Room Type	Room Rate		
		Foreigner(USD)	Local(MMK)	
1	Deluxe Family Room	USD 100/night	Kyat 79,000/night	
2	Bungalow	USD 58/night	Kyat 47,500/night	
3	Superior Room	USD 48/night	Kyat 37,000/night	
4	Extra Bed	USD 15/night	Kyat 15,000/night	

Please contact the following address for room reservation:-

Hotel Myat Nan Taw, Loikaw

Phone: +95 (083) 2224034, 2224035, (9)788415502, 263002727 **Email:** <u>hotelmyatnantaw.loikaw@gmail.com</u>

Website: https://www. hotelmyatnantawloikaw.com

Address: No-54(Ka), Gannayawady Street, Minelone Ward, Loikaw Township, Kayah State, Myanmar

Loikaw Lodge By The Lake (15 min driving for State Hall)

The room rates are as follows:

Sr.	Room Type	Room Rate		
		Foreigner(USD)	Local(MMK)	
1	Sweet Room	USD 225/night	Kyat 250,000/night	
2	Deluxe Room	USD 130/night	Kyat 150,000/night	
3	Superior Room	USD 95/night	Kyat 95,000/night	
4	Extra Bed	USD 40/night	Kyat 40,000/night	

Please contact the following address for room reservation:-

Loikaw Lodge, Loikaw

Phone: +95 (083) 22240161, (9)8625548, 263319797

Email: reservation@loikawlodge.com

Website: https://www. loikawlodge

Address: No(Na/277), U Ni Street, Naung Yah(Ka)Ward, Loikaw Township, Kayah State, Myanmar.

GENERAL INFORMATION ON LOIKAW, KAYAH STATE, MYANMAR

LOCATION

Loikaw is the capital of Kayah State, just 50 minutes flight from Yangon. Loikaw is situated in eastern Myanmar. Kayah State has vast and diversified land that enables various types of agriculture, tourism and other industries. The estimates population in 2017 was approximately 291,778. Kayah State is divided into 2 districts (Loikaw and Bawlake) which are divided into 7 townships with 106 wards and villages.. Kayah State is located in north latitude 18 degree 30 minutes to 19 degrees 55 minutes and east longitude between 94 degrees 40 minutes to 97 degrees 93 minutes situated and occupies 4529.2 square miles of land area. Kayah State is situated on the North by Shan State , on the East by Thailand's Mae Hong Song Province and on the South and West by Kayin State.

CULTURE

Kayah State is formed with 9 ethnic groups, groups of ethnicity that include Kayah, Padaung(Kayan), Geba, Manumanaw, Yantale, Zayein, Geko, Yinbaw, Pa Yè in the region. Among them, Kayah State is also home to (56.12%) of Kayah, (17.58%) of Burmese, (16.66%) of Shan, (6.45%) of Kayan, and (2.08%) of mixed races are being lived.

WEATHER

Most of the Myanmar has a tropical monsoon climate with three seasons. Kayah State has the same climate conditions also.

Hot Season: March to May is intensely hot. **Rainy Season :** June to September is the monsoon season; the average rainfall is 1162 mm. **Cool Season:** October to February is cool in morning and evening with cold air, warm to hot during the day and the air is relative dry.

The most comfortable time to visit is during the cool season, which is also the least humid time of year and has the clearest air. During the third week of May, the **maximum temperature** may be 29°C and the **minimum temperature** may be 20°C in Loikaw.

CUSTOMS

Foreign currencies (above USD 10,000), jewelry, cameras, and electronic goods must be declared to the customs at the Yangon airport. Exports of antiques and archaeologically valuable items are prohibited.

<u>VISA</u>

Nationals from Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Philippines, Vietnam, Thailand (by air only) and Singapore do not require a visa to enter Myanmar for visits up to 14 days. The other citizens have to apply for visa at the Myanmar Embassies at the respective countries. For visa-on-arrival, please email us the participant's name and passport number to E-mail: kayahinvestmentforum1@gmail.com and kayahinvestmentforum2@gmail.com before 8th May 2018.

CURRENCY

The local currency is the "Kyat" and notes are issued in denominations of 1, 5, 10, 20, 50, 100, 200, 500, 1000, 5000 and 10000.

TELEPHONE AND TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES

Country code (Myanmar): +95 Area Code (Loikaw): 083 For mobile phone: 09

ELECTRICITY

The electric supply most commonly used in Loikaw is 220V. The electric plugs and sockets are designed for two pins plugs. The participants are recommended to bring their own adaptors to comply with electric current and plug.

TIME ZONE

Local time zone: GMT+6.5 hours

ANNEX A

Kayah State Investment Forum

26th May 2018, Loikaw, Kayah State, Myanmar

REGISTRATION FORM

Participants are required to complete and return this Registration form before 8th May 2018.

Country	:				
Name	:	Dr./M	r./Ms		
Title/Position	:				
Department/ Office	:				
Company/ Organization	:				
Business Sector	:				
Address	:				
Telephone	:				
Fax	:				
E-mail	:				
Which events would you plan to attend? Please tick as appropriate.					
May 2018 (26 th	ı)	АМ	Kayah State Investment	Seminar	
May 2018 (26 th	י)]	РМ	Business Matching		
May 2018 (27 th	¹)		Site Visit Tour		
				Mr. Htun Taul Tel: +95 083 2 +95 09 44	0
Fax: +95 083 2224185 Fax: +95 083 2224185					
			<u>forum1@gmail.com</u>	E-mail: <u>kayah</u>	investmentforum1@gmail.com