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### Rohingyas are enduring horrific conditions because they are Muslims

Date: 4 November, 2025

Bangladesh's Chief Adviser, Dr. Muhammad Yunus, described the Rohingya crisis as one of the world's largest humanitarian tragedies and said that the **Rohingya are enduring horrific conditions solely because they are Muslims.**

He made the remark during a meeting with a **five-member Turkish parliamentary delegation** led by Mehmet Akif Yilmaz, Chair of the Turkey-Bangladesh Parliamentary Friendship Group, **on Monday, November 3**, at the state guest house, Jamuna.

He also said that the citizenship rights of Rohingya have been stripped away and expressed deep concern about the future of Rohingya children living in refugee camps for the past eight years.



The delegation also visited the Rohingya refugee camps in Cox's Bazar.

**They observed humanitarian efforts** carried out by various international organizations, including Turkey's Field Hospital and other relief initiatives.

**The Chief Adviser expressed appreciation for Turkey's "consistent support"** to the Rohingya refugees and invited Turkish investors to explore economic opportunities in Bangladesh.

**Dr. Yunus warned** in an interview with media that **depriving these children of education and opportunities could lead to frustration and instability.**

### AA Released 52 Rohingya Prisoners

Date: 7 November, 2025



The Arakan Army (AA) released 52 Rohingya prisoners from Buthidaung Prison on November 7, saying it was **an amnesty in honor of the 47th birthday of AA/ULA Commander-in-Chief Tun Myat Naing.**

Among those released, 17 were from Maungdaw Township and 35 from Buthidaung Township.

After taking control of Buthidaung and Maungdaw townships between February and December 2024, **the AA reportedly detained more than 2,000 Rohingya civilians** on allegations of having ties with Rohingya armed groups, such as the RSO and ARSA, or of receiving military training from the Myanmar Military Council.

In addition, **the AA continued to hold Rohingyas who had already been imprisoned** under the previous military junta in Buthidaung Prison.

According to family members from Maungdaw Township, **the released prisoners were required to sign documents and have their photos taken at the Intelligence Office.** They also needed to sign undertakings pledging not to flee to Bangladesh.

For those without family members, local administrators reportedly signed the guarantee papers on their behalf. Some relatives and friends of those released from Maungdaw, who went to Buthidaung Prison to see their loved ones, said **the freed detainees were not yet allowed to return home directly but were being kept at the "4-Mile Detention Camp."**

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The ULA/AA authorities said that after the completion of all verification and guarantee paperwork, the prisoners would be allowed to return home.

There are still remaining many Rohingya who were declared amnesty in the last September, but only a small number were freed.

### A Group of Bangladeshi Tribal People Stages Protest in Sydney and Presents 7 Demands

Date: 9 November, 2025



In Sydney, Australia, around 50 members of ethnic minority groups from Bangladesh's Chittagong Hill Tracts (CHT) staged a protest condemning the gang rape of a young indigenous girl in the Guimara area of Khagrachari District and the killing of three young activists by the Bangladeshi military.

The protest was held at Sydney Town Hall on November 8, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

It was attended by members of various indigenous and minority groups, including the Marma, Chakma, Nepali, Garo, Hindu, Khamyan, and Tripura communities.

During the protest, the participants issued seven key demands, including the withdrawal of Bangladeshi military forces from the Chittagong Hill Tracts and the deployment of a UN peacekeeping mission in the region.

The Asia Indigenous Youth Platform (AIYP) has also joined the protest.

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They condemned the Guimara incident, and called for immediate action against the perpetrators in a statement released on November 4.

The Seven Demands Presented by the Protesters are:

1. To conduct a **fair and impartial judicial investigation** that includes representatives from the local community.
2. To **invite United Nations bodies and international NGOs to monitor** progress, ensure compliance, assist victims suffering from trauma, and support initiatives for legal and administrative reforms.
3. To **take action against media outlets spreading misinformation or fake news**, including issuing immediate warnings and applying penalties to any media organization that violates regulations or laws.
4. To **fully implement the Chittagong Hill Tracts Peace Accord**.
5. To **end military administration in the Chittagong Hill Tracts region** of Bangladesh.
6. To **deploy a United Nations peacekeeping mission in the Chittagong Hill Tracts region**.
7. To **immediately withdraw Bangladeshi military personnel currently serving in overseas UN peacekeeping missions**.



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### Boat Carrying Rohingya sank near Thai-Malaysia Maritime Border

Date: 9 November, 2025



A boat carrying about 300 Rohingya that had departed from Buthidaung en route to Malaysia sank near the Thailand–Malaysia maritime border.

The Malaysian maritime authorities reported that one corpse had been recovered, 10 people were rescued alive, and hundreds of others remain missing.

Quoting First Admiral Romli Mustafa, Director of the Malaysian Maritime Enforcement Agency (MMEA) for the northern states of Kedah and Perlis, the South China Morning Post reported that additional bodies are likely to be found in the coming days, as the sinking occurred three days earlier.

According to Malaysian state media Bernama, which referred to Kedah Police Chief Adzli Abu Shah, the survivors found near the waters of Langkawi were three Myanmar nationals, two Rohingya men, and one Bangladeshi man. The recovered body was identified as that of a Rohingya woman.

The Rohingya, a Muslim minority group in Buddhist-majority Myanmar's Arakan State, have long been denied citizenship and subjected to systematic discrimination.

Fleeing persecution and harsh conditions, thousands risk their lives each year by undertaking dangerous sea journeys toward Malaysia and other Southeast Asian countries.

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It is known that the group initially boarded a large boat near the Myanmar coast, which later transferred the passengers into three smaller vessels, each carrying around 100 people, in an attempt to evade detection by authorities near the Thai–Malaysia border. One of those smaller boats reportedly sank, while the status of the remaining two is still unknown.

Search and rescue operations are ongoing, according to Malaysian officials.

### BGB Denies AA's Allegations, Calling Them Baseless and False

Date: 7 November, 2025



The Bangladesh Border Guard (BGB) has strongly denied the allegations spread by the Arakan Army (AA) that it is supporting the ARSA/RSO armed groups, calling the accusations baseless and the news false.

The BGB also rejected the AA's claim that it had fired upon one of the AA's security outposts along the Myanmar-Bangladesh border, saying it was completely false and nothing more than propaganda and disinformation.

The BGB clarified that it strictly adheres to the highest standards of integrity and professionalism in maintaining border security.

It added that the incident, which occurred near BRM 19 in the Palongkhali area of Bangladesh on November 5, 2025, demonstrates its firm commitment to peace and the protection of the border.

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According to the statement, **three AA fighters armed with weapons deliberately crossed the zero line into Bangladeshi territory and provoked BGB personnel by firing three shots.** One of those bullets reportedly struck a BGB border post. This, BGB said, revealed the AA's "hostile intentions along the border."

**BGB emphasized that its troops exercised maximum restraint and discipline during the incident.**

**There were no casualties or injuries** among its members, thanks to controlled warning shots by BGB forces.

It also noted that **in previous incidents, AA bullets had struck houses and shops near the border, injuring civilians, and that landmines planted by AA had caused injuries to residents and the death of a BGB soldier** inside Bangladeshi territory.

BGB reiterated that the **AA's accusation** of supporting RSO/ARSA or other Rohingya armed groups **was completely unfounded and a deliberate attempt to mislead the public.**

It stated that **AA/ULA continues to spread false narratives in order to tarnish BGB's image.**

The statement further alleged that since BGB has effectively curbed cross-border drug smuggling, particularly the illegal Yaba trade, the AA has fabricated such false stories as part of its effort to damage BGB's reputation.

BGB described **these propaganda campaigns** as intentional **efforts to undermine its credibility and as part of AA/ULA's broader plan**, which has been disrupted by BGB's effective vigilance.

It added that due to these preventive measures, **the AA is struggling to obtain supplies and maintain smuggling routes along the border.**

BGB asserted that these actions by the AA are aimed at defaming Bangladesh and creating tension along the frontier.

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It stressed that its operations have significantly reduced the flow of narcotics from the Arakan border into Bangladesh.

**The statement concluded that BGB has never provided any assistance to RSO, ARSA, or any other Rohingya armed group**, reaffirming that its primary responsibility is to protect the sovereignty, security, and honor of Bangladesh.

**BGB urged the AA to immediately stop its propaganda campaigns and baseless accusations**, saying such disinformation serves neither justice nor peace.

Instead, it undermines ongoing efforts to build trust and stability along the border.

Reaffirming its constitutional obligations, BGB pledged to continue protecting Bangladesh's borders with transparency, integrity, and accountability, and to respond to all false allegations with facts and truth.

**BGB also expressed disappointment that AA/ULA's provocative actions are deliberately escalating tensions along the frontier, threatening peace and stability in the border region.**

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