

## DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Bureau of Political-Military Affairs  
[Public Notice 1820]

**Suspension of Munitions Export  
Licenses to Burma**

AGENCY: Department of State.

~~ACTION: Public notice.~~

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that all licenses and other approvals to export or otherwise transfer defense articles or defense services to Burma, are suspended until further notice pursuant to sections 2, 38, and 42 of the Arms Export Control Act.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 16, 1993.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**  
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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Effective immediately, it is the policy of the U.S. Government to deny all applications for licenses and other approvals to export or otherwise transfer defense articles and defense services to Burma. In addition, U.S. manufacturers and exporters and any other affected parties are hereby notified that the Department of State has suspended all previously issued licenses and approvals authorizing the export or other transfer of defense articles or defense services to Burma. This action has been taken in light of the human rights abuses being committed by the current Government of Burma.

The licenses and approvals that have been suspended include any manufacturing licenses, technical assistance agreements, technical data, and commercial military exports of any kind subject to the Arms Export Control Act involving Burma. This action also precludes the use in connection with Burma of any exemptions from licensing or other approval requirements included in the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR) (22 CFR parts 120-130).

This action has been taken pursuant to sections 2, 38, and 42 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2752, 2778, and 2791) and § 126.7 of the ITAR in furtherance of the foreign policy of the United States. In accordance with

§§ 126.3 and 126.7 of the ITAR, affected persons desiring review of this decision with regard to a particular export may petition the Director, Office of Defense Trade Controls. Exceptions to this policy will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

Dated: June 9, 1993.

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