

"Please use your liberty to promote ours"

Aung San Suu Kyi

The City of Edinburgh resolves to confer the Freedom of the City on Aung San Suu Kyi, Head of the National League for Democracy in Burma, in recognition of her personal courage and relentless pursuit of democratic justice in that country. The Council also recognises the commitment made by all those seeking to secure democracy and human rights in Burma by non-violent means.

The Council confers this award to her in absentia, given that Aung San Suu Kyi remains under house arrest and joins with the international community in the call for her - and all 1300 political prisoners detained by the Burmese military - to be released."

Moist portrait of Aung San Suu Kyi made up of thousands of smaller portraits by the Association for Sustainable Political Process Burma (ASPPB)

