



Justice for Rohingya Minority

**Media Invitation**

8 May 2018

**MYANMAR / BURMA: PROSECUTING PERPETRATORS OF CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY**

A NEW LEGAL CAMPAIGN TO LAUNCH 9 MAY 6PM

JUSTICE FOR ROHINGYA MINORITY (JFRM) will be launching tomorrow 9th May (6pm) at the International Human Rights Action Centre in London. It is a campaign to pursue all legal avenues and bring those responsible for the persecution of Rohingya Muslims in Myanmar's Rakhine State.

Distinguished figures from a range of backgrounds are to speak at the launch:

- Penny Green, Professor of Law and Globalisation and Director of the International State Crime Initiative, Queen Mary University
- Ben Emmerson QC, Founder member of Matrix Chambers and judge of the Appeal Chambers of the International Criminal Tribunals for Rwanda and the Former Yugoslavia
- Tun Khin Ghaffar, President of the Burmese Rohingya Organisation UK
- Catherine West, MP for Hornsey & Wood Green, Parliamentary Select Committee member on International Trade, and Joint Committee on Arms Export Controls
- Kyaw Win, Executive Director of the Burma Human Rights Network and chair of JFRM Board of Directors
- Kiri Tunks, President, National Union of Teachers and JFRM Patron
- Jason McCue, Founding Partner of McCue & Partners

The event will be moderated by Veronica Pedrosa, news and TV presenter who has extensively covered the Rohingya crisis.

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*Notes to editors:*

1. The launch event will be held at the Human Rights Action Centre / Amnesty International Centre, 17-25 New Inn Yard, London EC2A 3EA, from 6pm-8:45pm.
2. To cover the event, please email [info@jfrm.org.uk](mailto:info@jfrm.org.uk) or call 0203 744 0336
3. Established in late 2017, JFRM is an independent organisation, which comprises a diverse group of lawyers, jurists, academics, campaigners, professionals, and community leaders joining forces in a legal campaign for the prosecution of those responsible for crimes against humanity in Myanmar. JFRM is the trading name for Justice for the Rohingya, company registration no. 11168200
4. For interviews and further details, please email [info@jfrm.org.uk](mailto:info@jfrm.org.uk)

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