

Htin Kyaw profile

Htin Kyaw, a close aide of Aung San Suu Kyi, has been elected as Myanmar's first civilian president after more than half a century of military rule.

He will take office on April 1



■ **Htin Kyaw**, 70, is member of Central Executive Committee of **Aung San Suu Kyi's** National League for Democracy (NLD)

■ Son of national poet **Min Thu Wun**, who won seat for NLD in aborted 1990 election

■ Soft-spoken Oxford economics graduate has built reputation as man of honesty within NLD

■ Married to MP **Su Su Lwin**, daughter of NLD co-founder

■ Senior executive with **Daw Khin Kyi Foundation** – non-profit health and education charity named after Suu Kyi's mother