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1. On page 14, paragraph 2 was written in the following manner:
"However, reports about the plight of these Rohingya boat people by international human rights organisations and media led to a considerable international outcry, compelling the Thai government to act on this issue and the overall issue of trafficking in persons. While the initial national response was limited to turning away the boat and dropping off food from helicopters, greater national efforts followed after intensive international condemnation to these actions which included the American downgrade of Thailand to a Tier 3 country. Thailand is now ranked at the same level as Iraq and North Korea on matters of trafficking in persons. In light of other severe revelations of slavery in the fishing industry and the discovery of trafficking camps along Thailand’s borders, the Thai government understood the necessity to display sincere and comprehensive commitments this time and hence, Thai government officials attempted to appease the international community and halt further crisis construction."

Given that Thailand was downgraded in the 2014 US Trafficking in Persons Report and not in the 2015 US Trafficking in Persons Report, the paragraph should read:
“However, reports about the plight of these Rohingya boat people by international human rights organisations and media led to a considerable international outcry, compelling the Thai government to act on this issue and the overall issue of trafficking in persons. While the initial national response was limited to turning away the boat and dropping off food from helicopters, greater national efforts followed after intensive international condemnation to these actions. In light of other severe revelations of slavery in the fishing industry and the discovery of trafficking camps along Thailand’s borders, the Thai government understood the necessity to display sincere and comprehensive commitments this time and hence, Thai government officials attempted to appease the international community and halt further crisis construction."

2. On page 15, paragraph 1, the 27 May 2015 was given as the day of the special meeting. The date of the special meeting should however read 29 May 2015.

3. Given the corrected date on page 15, paragraph 1 to 29 May 2015, paragraph 3 on page 15 should now read:
Then, nine days later at the ASEAN special meeting, representatives of these three ASEAN member states met with other ASEAN member states, UN agencies, and international country partners including the US, Bangladesh, Afghanistan, Iran, New Zealand, Australia, Switzerland, and Japan to agree on a variety of common objectives.

4. Footnote 12 on page 13 reads: “Please see the previous discussion of the CMI in the context of the Asian financial crisis on page X.”

It should read: “Please see the previous discussion of the CMI in the context of the Asian financial crisis on page 9.”