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GTF News Update
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--GTF IN THE MEDIA--

INDIA TIMES

Diaspora group wants Tamils to vote at Sri Lanka presidential poll

< http://articles.economictimes.indiatimes.com/2014-12-24/news/57376625_1_tamils-sinhala-buddhist-gtf >

OUTLOOK INDIA

Diaspora Group Wants Tamils to Vote at Lanka Polls

< <http://www.outlookindia.com/news/article/Diaspora-Group-Wants-Tamils-to-Vote-at-Lanka-Polls/874252> >

NITI CENTRAL ****COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED****

Sri Lankan presidential poll: Diaspora group wants Tamils to vote

< <http://www.niticentral.com/2014/12/24/sri-lankan-presidential-poll-diaspora-group-wants-tamils-to-vote-293052.html> >

TAMIL GUARDIAN

'Tamils should freely exercise their franchise' at presidential election says GTF

< <http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=13234> >

COLOMBO GAZETTE ****COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED****

GTF urges Tamils vote carefully

< <http://colombogazette.com/2014/12/24/gtf-urges-tamils-vote-carefully/> >

COLOMBO TELEGRAPH ****COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED****

Tamils Should Freely Exercise Their Franchise At The Upcoming Presidential Election: GTF

< <https://www.colombotelegraph.com/index.php/tamils-should-freely-exercise-their-franchise-at-the-upcoming-presidential-election-gtf/> >

THE ISLAND

US surveys one-time LTTE strongholds

< http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=116595 >

--NEWS--

THE NEW YORK TIMES

For Sri Lankan President, Renounced by Aides, Confidence of Re-election Dims

< http://www.nytimes.com/2014/12/26/world/for-sri-lankan-president-renounced-by-aides-confidence-of-re-election-dims.html?_r=0 >

CNBC ****COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED****

Sri Lanka gears up for tight election race

< <http://www.cnbc.com/id/102287856> >

THE HINDU ****COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED****

UN chief calls on Sri Lanka to cooperate in human rights abuse probe

< <http://www.thehindu.com/news/international/south-asia/un-chief-calls-on-sri-lanka-to-cooperate-in-human-rights-abuse-probe/article6725093.ece> >

DECCAN CHRONICLE ****COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED****

Karunanidhi flays Sri Lanka President Rajapaksa for following 'double standards'

< <http://www.deccanchronicle.com/141225/nation-politics/article/karunanidhi-flays-sri-lanka-president-rajapaksa-following-double> >

OUTLOOK INDIA

Karunanidhi Flays Rajapaksa for Following 'Double Standards'

< <http://www.outlookindia.com/news/article/Karuna-Flays-Rajapaksa-for-Following-Double-Standards/874421> >

THE NEW INDIAN EXPRESS ****COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED****

Rajapaksa Reaches Out to Tamil Voters

< <http://www.newindianexpress.com/world/Rajapaksa-Reaches-Out-to-Tamil-Voters/2014/12/25/article2587478.ece> >

PR NEWS WIRE

NGO Urges Pope to Reconsider Visit to Sri Lanka

< <http://www.prnewswire.com/news-releases/ngo-urges-pope-to-reconsider-visit-to-sri-lanka-300013999.html> >

INDEPTH NEWS

Pope Francis' Sri Lanka Mission Unleashes Controversy

< <http://www.indepthnews.info/index.php/global-issues/2300-pope-francis-sri-lanka-mission-unleashes-controversy> >

NEWS.LK

China-Sri Lanka signs Free Trade Agreement

< <http://www.news.lk/news/business/item/5311-china-sri-lanka-signs-free-trade-agreement> >

TAMIL GUARDIAN

TNA calls on government to assist flood victims in East

< <http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=13252> >

ASIAN MIRROR ****COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED****

CaFFE Condemns the Attack On Sirikotha

< <http://www.asianmirror.lk/news/item/5898-caffe-condemns-the-attack-on-sirikotha> >

DAILY MIRROR ****COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED****

Wimal Weerawansa accuses media over Sirikotha clash

< <http://www.dailymirror.lk/59729/video-wimal-accuses-media-over-sirikotha-clash> >

COLOMBO TELEGRAPH ****COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED****

Mahinda Rajapaksa Who Stole 83 Million Rupees Of Tsunami Funds Is A Callous Thief: Mangala

< <https://www.colombotelegraph.com/index.php/mahinda-rajapaksa-who-stole-83-million-rupees-of-tsunami-funds-is-a-callous-thief-mangala/> >

CEYLON TODAY

BBS pledges support to MR

< <http://www.ceylontoday.lk/51-80654-news-detail-bbs-pledges-support-to-mr.html> >

DAILY MIRROR **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

CWC Deputy Leader to go with Maithri

< <http://www.dailymirror.lk/59711/cwc-deputy-leader-to-go-with-maithri> >

--ANALYSIS PAPER--

SOUTH ASIA ANALYSIS **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

China' factor in Sri Lanka election and strategic security

< <http://southasiaanalysis.org/node/1685> >

SOUTH ASIA ANALYSIS **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

Sri Lanka: JHU fingerprints all over constitutional proposal

< <http://southasiaanalysis.org/node/1686> >

--EDITORIAL--

THE SUNDAY LEADER **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

Derailing the Railway

< <http://www.thesundayleader.lk/2014/12/21/derailing-the-railway/> >

COLOMBO TELEGRAPH **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

Racism: The Final Rajapaksa Refuge

< <https://www.colombotelegraph.com/index.php/racism-the-final-rajapaksa-refuge/> >

COLOMBO TELEGRAPH **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

Enemies of the President's Promise – Doc 2

< <https://www.colombotelegraph.com/index.php/enemies-of-the-presidents-promise-doc-2/> >

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The Sri Lankan Nation and the End of the Rajapaksa Regime

< <https://www.colombotelegraph.com/index.php/the-sri-lankan-nation-and-the-end-of-the-rajapaksa-regime/> >

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