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--NEWS--

THE SUNDAY TIMES

**Corruption and abuse of power probes by special tribunals**

< <http://www.sundaytimes.lk/150118/columns/corruption-and-abuse-of-power-probes-by-special-tribunals-131235.html> >

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

**Will implement 13th Amendment within a unitary state: Ranil**

< <http://www.thehindu.com/news/international/will-implement-13th-amendment-within-a-unitary-state-ranil-wickramasinghe/article6806143.ece> >

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**TNA calls on Sirisena govt to share power**

< <http://www.thehindu.com/news/international/south-asia/tna-calls-on-sirisena-govt-to-share-power/article6805404.ece> >

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

**China will suffer losses if Sri Lanka scraps Colombo Port project: Chinese media**

< <http://www.deccanchronicle.com/150120/world-neighbours/article/china-will-suffer-losses-if-sri-lanka-scraps-colombo-port-project> >

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**Change of guard in Sri Lanka triggers introspection in China**

< <http://www.thehindu.com/news/international/world/change-of-guard-in-sri-lanka-triggers-introspection-in-china/article6805507.ece> >

CHANNEL NEWS ASIA

**Sri Lanka finds arm cache following Rajapaksa's downfall**

< <http://www.channelnewsasia.com/news/asiapacific/sri-lanka-finds-arm-cache/1603758.html> >

YAHOO NEWS

**Sri Lankan Tamil party calls on new gov't to share power**

< <http://news.yahoo.com/sri-lankan-tamil-party-calls-govt-share-power-113738904.html> >

THE ECONOMIST \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Beyond the rainbow revolution**

< <http://www.economist.com/news/asia/21639989-new-foreign-minister-new-era-his-country-beyond-rainbow-revolution> >

THE JAKARTA POST \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Sri Lanka's new premier promises Tamils more autonomy**

< <http://www.thejakartapost.com/news/2015/01/20/sri-lankas-new-premier-promises-tamils-more-autonomy.html> >

GROUND VIEWS \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**The Executive Presidency and the Sri Lankan State**

< <http://groundviews.org/2015/01/20/the-executive-presidency-and-the-sri-lankan-state-myths-and-realities/> >

THE ISLAND

**Mangala promises demilitarisation of North, domestic war crimes probe**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=118038](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=118038) >

BLOOMBERG \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Sri Lanka Looks to IMF for Help as Debt Burden Climbs**

< <http://www.bloomberg.com/news/2015-01-20/sri-lanka-looks-to-imf-for-help-as-debt-burden-climbs.html> >

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**Thewarapperuma arrested by the CCD**

< <http://www.adaderana.lk/news.php?mode=beauti&nid=29505> >

FINANCIAL TIMES \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Checking waste: Ravi Karunanayake walks the talk**

< <http://www.ft.lk/2015/01/21/checking-waste-ravi-k-walks-the-talk/> >

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**3322 firearms are missing at BMICH armory- Police**

< <http://www.adaderana.lk/news.php?mode=beauti&nid=29496> >

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

**“ Weerawansa Destroyed Mahinda Rajapaksa” – Prime Minister**

< <http://www.asianmirror.lk/news/item/6573-weerawansa-destroyed-mahinda-rajapaksa-prime-minister> >

ECONOMY NEXT \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Sri Lanka willing to go ahead with China projects at lower cost: Finance Minister**

< [http://www.economynext.com/Sri\\_Lanka\\_willing\\_to\\_go\\_ahead\\_with\\_China\\_projects\\_at\\_lower\\_cost\\_Finance\\_Minister-3-813-1.html](http://www.economynext.com/Sri_Lanka_willing_to_go_ahead_with_China_projects_at_lower_cost_Finance_Minister-3-813-1.html) >

DAILY NEWS

**Special unit to investigate corrupt individuals - Champika**

< <http://www.dailynews.lk/?q=policy-legal/special-unit-investigate-corrupt-individuals-champika> >

TAMIL GUARDIAN

**Tourism in North should benefit Tamils says Chief Minister**

< <http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=13520> >

THE ISLAND

**Tissa irked by seating arrangement walks out**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=118044](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=118044) >

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

**Inside Story Of The Election Night Coup Unfolds – A Detailed Version**

< <https://www.colombotelegraph.com/index.php/inside-story-of-the-election-night-coup-unfolds-a-detailed-version/> >

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THE ISLAND

**Gotabhaya responds to allegations**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=118016](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=118016) >

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THE ISLAND

**Winner's party as loser**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=news-section&page=news-section&code\\_title=42](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=news-section&page=news-section&code_title=42) >

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**Collapse of the Rajapaksa Regime: Some Lessons**

< <https://www.colombotelegraph.com/index.php/collapse-of-the-rajapaksa-regime-some-lessons/> >

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