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**Sri Lanka: Small concessions, but Tamils still facing oppression**

< <https://www.greenleft.org.au/node/58994> >

--NEWS--

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

**From The Final Nail in the Coffin to the 19A - M.A. Sumanthiran**

< <https://www.colombotelegraph.com/index.php/from-the-final-nail-in-the-coffin-to-the-19a/> >

THE SUNDAY LEADER \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**EU Seeks Solution for Tamils**

< <http://www.thesundayleader.lk/2015/05/10/eu-seeks-solution-for-tamils/> >

THE ISLAND

**Mangala denies existence of secret detention centres**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=124346](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=124346)

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**US Weans Lanka Away From China's Maritime Security Net**

< <http://www.newindianexpress.com/world/US-Weans-Lanka-Away-From-Chinas-Maritime-Security-Net/2015/05/08/article2804198.ece> >

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**John Kerry's visit: The changing dynamic of US-Lanka relationship**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=124406](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=124406)

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**Two pro-LTTE Conservative MPs defeated in British poll**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=124416](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=124416)

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**Sampur Tamils Get Back Land, Houses**

< <http://www.newindianexpress.com/world/Sampur-Tamils-Get-Back-Land-Houses/2015/05/09/article2805115.ece> >

TAMIL GUARDIAN

**Valikaamam residents oppose Sri Lankan military building roads on their lands**

< <http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=14683> >

INDIA TIMES

**BJP leaders discuss Tamils issue with Sri Lankan ministers**

< <http://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/city/chennai/BJP-leaders-discuss-Tamils-issue-with-Sri-Lankan-ministers/articleshow/47205323.cms> >

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

**Smaller parties unhappy with Sri Lanka electoral reform plan**

< <http://www.thehindu.com/news/international/smaller-parties-unhappy-with-lanka-electoral-reform-plan/article7188196.ece> >

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**Still Searching For Answers**

< <http://www.thesundayleader.lk/2015/05/03/still-searching-for-answers/> >

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

**JVP wants the NEC dissolved**

< <http://colombogazette.com/2015/05/10/jvp-wants-the-nec-dissolved/> >

INDIA TIMES

**Sri Lankan President indicates dissolution of parliament: JVP**

< <http://economictimes.indiatimes.com/news/international/world-news/sri-lankan-president-indicates-dissolution-of-parliament-jvp/articleshow/47224886.cms> >

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**Return of Sampur Lands Ends Decade-Long Tamil Struggle**

< <http://www.newindianexpress.com/nation/Return-of-Sampur-Lands-Ends-Decade-Long-Tamil-Struggle/2015/05/08/article2804162.ece?> >

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**Journalists in Sri Lanka most vulnerable**

< <http://www.adaderana.lk/news/30791/journalists-in-sri-lanka-most-vulnerable-report> >

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