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--GTF IN THE MEDIA-

AL-JAZEERA **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

Sri Lanka names first Tamil opposition chief in decades

< http://www.aljazeera.com/news/2015/09/sri-lanka-names-tamil-opposition-chief-decades-150903133205837.html >

THE ISLAND

GTF appreciates Sampanthan's appointment, praises Prez, PM

 $< \underline{http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details\&page=article-details\&code_title=131131$

--NEWS-

INDIA TIMES **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

For the first time in decades, Tamil lawmaker becomes Sri Lanka's opposition leader < http://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/world/south-asia/For-the-first-time-in-decades-Tamil-lawmaker-becomes-Sri-Lankas-opposition-leader/articleshow/48790337.cms >

THE ISLAND

TNA agrees to give post of Chief Opposition Whip to JVP

< http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=131123

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

Leader of Opposition Sampanthan Moots New Scheme for Devolution of Power

< http://www.newindianexpress.com/world/Leader-of-Opposition-Sampanthan-Moots-New-Scheme-for-Devolution-of-Power/2015/09/03/article3008654.ece >

THE ISLAND

No previous govt had such overwhelming two-thirds majority-retired armed forces rep

< http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=131134

ADA DERANA **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

New Ministers sworn in

< http://www.adaderana.lk/news/32222/new-ministers-sworn-in >

COLOMBO MIRROR **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

Intelligence operatives resume post-poll intimidations in Jaffna

< http://www.colombomirror.com/?p=3945#.VeligPlVikp >

INDIA TIMES **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

India attaches highest importance to ties with Sri Lanka: Narendra Modi

< http://economictimes.indiatimes.com/news/politics-and-nation/india-attaches-highest-importance-to-ties-with-sri-lanka-narendra-modi/articleshow/48794253.cms >

TAMIL GUARDIAN

Colombo has a stronghold on North-East of Sri Lanka: Interview with APPG-T Chair James Berry

< http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=15792 >

NEW INTERNATIONALIST BLOG **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

The Left takes a back seat in Sri Lanka

< http://newint.org/blog/majority/2015/09/03/sri-lanka-election-left-disappointment/ >

BROOKINGS **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

Why small states matter in international politics: The case of Sri Lanka

< http://www.brookings.edu/blogs/order-from-chaos/posts/2015/09/03-sri-lanka-international-politics-pethiyagoda? >

THE ISLAND

Opposition within Opposition

< http://www.island.lk/index.php?page cat=news-section&page=news-section&code title=55 >

THE ISLAND

Parliament approves expansion of Cabinet from 30 to 48

< http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=131129 >

COLOMBO GAZETTE **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

Wimal Weerawansa slams President Maithripala Sirisena

< http://colombogazette.com/2015/09/03/wimal-weerawansa-slams-president-maithripala-sirisena/ >

DAILY MIRROR **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

Gota, Duminda grilled for 3 hrs; asked to appear tomorrow too

< http://www.dailymirror.lk/85909/gota-duminda-grilled-for-3-hrs-asked-to-appear-tomorrow-too >

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