

# **Global Tamil Forum**

# உலகத் தமிழர் பேரவை

# GTF News Update 25<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> December 2015

Father S J Emmanuel Christmas and New Year Message (Tamil)

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--NEWS--

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

For First Time in Lankan History Tamil Parties Gear Up For Constitution Making

< http://www.newindianexpress.com/world/For-First-Time-in-Lankan-History-Tamil-Parties-Gear-Up-For-Constitution-Making/2015/12/28/article3200280.ece >

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

PM appoints 24-member committee on constitutional reforms

< http://www.ft.lk/article/513679/PM-appoints-24-member-committee-on-constitutional-reforms

**CEYLON TODAY** 

Need for a proper study of constitution making

< http://www.ceylontoday.lk/51-113463-news-detail-need-for-a-proper-study-of-constitution-making.html >

THE ISLAND

Giving priority to constitutional reform

< http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\_title=137770

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

PTA To Be Repealed

< http://www.thesundayleader.lk/2015/12/27/pta-to-be-repealed/ >

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

Committee studying PTA in repeal process

< http://colombogazette.com/2015/12/27/committee-studying-pta-in-repeal-process/ >

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

TNA gets joint chair posts at DCCs

< http://www.dailymirror.lk/100761/tna-gets-joint-chair-posts-at-dccs >

**COLOMBO PAGE** 

Sri Lankan Parliament to convene as a Constitutional Assembly on January 9

< http://www.colombopage.com/archive 15B/Dec27 1451194112CH.php >

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

Sumanthiran hits out at Wigneswaran

< http://www.dailymirror.lk/100841/sumanthiran-hits-out-at-wigneshwaran >

#### THE DIPLOMAT \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

# What's the Deal with Sri Lanka's War Crimes Court?

< http://thediplomat.com/2015/12/whats-the-deal-with-sri-lankas-war-crimes-court/ >

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

New Year Hope: Tail Shouldn't Wag the Dog

< http://www.thesundayleader.lk/2015/12/27/new-year-hope-tail-shouldnt-wag-the-dog/ >

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

## Rajapaksa Camp to Launch 'Our Sri Lanka Freedom Front' Ahead Of LG Elections

< http://www.asianmirror.lk/news/item/13679-rajapaksa-camp-to-launch-new-party-ahead-of-lg-elections >

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

# Future of the United States interactions in the South Asian Region

< http://groundviews.org/2015/12/26/future-of-the-united-states-interactions-in-the-south-asian-region/ >

#### **CEYLON TODAY**

### Hate speech laws should face clear & present danger test

< http://www.ceylontoday.lk/51-113470-news-detail-hate-speech-laws-should-face-clear-present-danger-test.html >

#### INDIA TIMES \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

# TN parties stoke sentiments on Lanka, LTTE ahead of polls

< http://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/city/chennai/TN-parties-stoke-sentiments-on-Lanka-LTTE-ahead-of-polls/articleshow/50361238.cms >

## THE ISLAND

## UNP's deputy leader, leadership council posts to be scrapped

< http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\_title=137613 >

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