

# **Global Tamil Forum**

## உலகத் தமிழர் பேரவை

## GTF News Update 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> January 2016

## --GTF IN THE MEDIA--

#### THE ISLAND

UN urged to ensure foreign judges' participation in war crimes investigation

< http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\_title=139279

## --NEWS--

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

Foreign Judges in Lanka Probe a Must: US Envoy

< http://www.newindianexpress.com/world/Foreign-Judges-in-Lanka-Probe-a-Must-US-Envoy/2016/01/27/article3247288.ece >

## THE NEW YORK TIMES

Time for Justice in Sri Lanka

< http://www.nytimes.com/2016/01/29/opinion/time-for-justice-in-sri-lanka.html? r=2 >

#### THE ISLAND

Geneva Resolution: Prez not properly briefed, alleges GL Peiris

< http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\_title=139390

## **DAILY NEWS**

Regressive forces stalling new constitution: TNA

< http://www.dailynews.lk/?q=2016/01/27/political/regressive-forces-stalling-new-constitution-tna >

## BUSINESS STANDARD \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

Tamils seek power devolution in Sri Lanka's new Constitution

< http://www.business-standard.com/article/pti-stories/tamils-seek-power-devolution-in-sri-lanka-s-new-constitution-116012600536 1.html >

## HIRU NEWS \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

Opposition leader to Scotland study self-rule

< http://www.hirunews.lk/124893/opposition-leader-to-scotland-study-self-rule >

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

Faiszer rejects international aid in investigating war crime allegations

< http://www.ft.lk/article/521744/Faiszer-rejects-international-aid-in-investigating-war-crime-allegations >

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

## Ranil fumes in Parliament over media and war crimes issue

< http://colombogazette.com/2016/01/28/ranil-fumes-in-parliament-over-media-and-war-crimes-issue/ >

#### **XINHUANET**

## Domestic war crimes probe to meet international standards: Sri Lanka

< http://news.xinhuanet.com/english/2016-01/28/c 135054449.htm >

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

## Local activists, organizations condemn President's statements

< http://colombogazette.com/2016/01/28/local-activists-organizations-condemn-presidents-statements/ >

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

'Need safeguards against majoritarianism'

< http://www.thehindu.com/opinion/op-ed/jayampathy-wickramaratne-on-the-importance-of-an-inclusive-constitution-in-sri-lanka/article8155094.ece?homepage=true >

#### **CEYLON TODAY**

## WHO is the 'CROWN PRINCE' OF SINHA LE?

< http://ceylontoday.lk/42-116284-news-detail-who-is-the-crown-prince-of-sinha-le.html >

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

#### Out of the shadows

< http://www.ft.lk/article/521570/Out-of-the-shadows >

#### THE GUARDIAN

## Sri Lanka's missing thousands: one woman's six-year fight to find her husband

< http://www.theguardian.com/world/2016/jan/29/sri-lankas-missing-thousands-one-womans-six-year-fight-to-find-her-husband? >

## **TAMIL GUARDIAN**

# Authorities in Sri Lanka 'discourage and threaten' relatives of the disappeared says US Ambassador

< http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=17134 >

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

## BJP wants to become Sinhale People's Front

< http://www.dailymirror.lk/104535/bjp-wants-to-become-sinhale-people-s-front >

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

## Basil speaks of a new political party

< http://www.dailymirror.lk/104323/basil-speaks-of-a-new-political-party >

## --VIDEO--

CHANNEL 4 NEWS \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

Sri Lanka's killing fields: here shoes still lie on the ground

< https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5 twRbOlkdw >

## CHANNEL 4 NEWS \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

Sri Lanka's disappeared "probably dead" – Prime Minister

< https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pKkhLlBRzyc >

## --WEBSITE--

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