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## --ICG REPORT ON SRI LANKA--

INTERNATIONAL CRISIS GROUP

**Sri Lanka: Jumpstarting the Reform Process**

< <http://www.crisisgroup.org/~media/Files/asia/south-asia/sri-lanka/278-sri-lanka-jumpstarting-the-reform-process.pdf> >

## --NEWS--

CANADIAN TAMIL CONGRESS

**CTC Statement on the 7th Year May Remembrance**

< <http://www.canadiantamilcongress.ca/press-releases/ctc-statement-on-the-7th-year-may-remembrance/> >

PRIME MINISTER OF CANADA

**Statement by the Prime Minister of Canada on the Seventh Anniversary of the end of the war in Sri Lanka**

< <http://pm.gc.ca/eng/news/2016/05/18/statement-prime-minister-canada-sri-lanka-remembrance-day> >

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

**Canadian PM notes foreign judges must be involved in Sri Lanka**

< <http://colombogazette.com/2016/05/19/canadian-pm-notes-foreign-judges-must-be-involved-in-sri-lanka/> >

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**UK's main opposition backs self-determination for Tamils**

< <http://colombogazette.com/2016/05/19/uks-main-opposition-backs-self-determination-for-tamils/> >

THE ISLAND

**Mahinda Rajapaksa: It was a privilege to defeat LTTE**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=145434](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=145434) >

HUFFINGTON POST \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Sri Lanka's Uneasy Peace**

< [http://www.huffingtonpost.com/taylor-dibbert/sri-lankas-uneasy-peace\\_b\\_10025856.html](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/taylor-dibbert/sri-lankas-uneasy-peace_b_10025856.html) >

OPEN DEMOCRACY \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Beyond reconciliation and accountability: distributive justice and Sri Lanka's transitional agenda**

< <https://www.opendemocracy.net/openglobalrights/vijay-k-nagaraj/putting-distributive-justice-on-sri-lanka-s-transitional-agenda> >

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

**Involuntary Disappearances – The North South Divide**

< <http://groundviews.org/2016/05/16/involuntary-disappearances-the-north-south-divide/> >

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

**Repair and reconciliation in Sri Lanka**

< <http://www.thehindubusinessline.com/opinion/columns/g-parthasarathy/repair-and-reconciliation-in-sri-lanka/article8616882.ece> >

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**Diaspora Participation in the Transitional Justice Process**

< <http://groundviews.org/2016/05/17/diaspora-participation-in-the-transitional-justice-process/> >

TAMIL GUARDIAN

**Hundreds gather at Jaffna University for May 18 remembrance**

<http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=19935> >

DEFENCE.LK

**War Heroes remembrance ceremony held**

< [http://www.defence.lk/new.asp?fname=War\\_Heroes\\_remembrance\\_ceremony\\_held\\_20160518\\_04](http://www.defence.lk/new.asp?fname=War_Heroes_remembrance_ceremony_held_20160518_04) >

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