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## --GTF IN THE MEDIA--

SUNDAY TIMES \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Alleged war crimes: PM announces probe will be domestic, no foreign judges**

< <http://www.sundaytimes.lk/160529/columns/alleged-war-crimes-pm-announces-probe-will-be-domestic-no-foreign-judges-195284.html> >

## --NEWS--

THE ISLAND

**Geneva-sanctioned Office for Missing Persons to succeed Paranagama Commission**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=146133](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=146133) >

THE ISLAND

**Natural disasters cannot be prevented but country can be prepared to face them – Opposition Leader**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=145906](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=145906) >

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

**Norway's State Secretary to visit Sri Lanka next week**

< <http://colombogazette.com/2016/05/28/norways-state-secretary-to-visit-sri-lanka-next-week/> >

THE ISLAND

**Fresh instructions issued in respect of PTA**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=146094](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=146094) >

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

**Sri Lanka panel gives approval for pre-fabricated steel houses**

< <http://www.thehindu.com/news/international/sri-lanka-panel-gives-approval-for-prefabricated-steel-houses/article8657414.ece> >

DAILY NEWS \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**SLFP backs Executive Presidency, broader power to Provincial Councils**

< <http://www.dailynews.lk/?q=2016/05/30/political/83151> >

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

**Sirisena defends return of land to Sri Lankan Tamils**

< <http://www.thehindu.com/todays-paper/tp-international/sirisena-defends-return-of-land-to-sri-lankan-tamils/article8664324.ece> >

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

**Lanka's North Provincial Council Unanimously Congratulates Jayalithaa**

< <http://www.newindianexpress.com/world/Lanka%E2%80%99s-North-Provincial-Council-Unanimously-Congratulates-Jayalithaa/2016/05/28/article3455483.ece> >

PRESIDENTIAL MEDIA DIVISION

**Steer econ growth to sustain well-being of Asia – President Sirisena calls on G 7**

< <http://www.president.gov.lk/news/steer-econ-growth-to-sustain-well-being-of-asia-president-sirisena-calls-on-g-7/> >

TAMIL GUARDIAN

**Sinhala farmers settled on state land in Batticaloa**

< <http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=20028> >

WALL STREET JOURNAL \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Sri Lanka's Credit Crunch**

< <http://www.wsj.com/articles/sri-lankas-credit-crunch-1464626408> >

DAILY NEWS \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Sri Lankan political parties express solidarity with Palestine**

< <http://dailynews.lk/?q=2016/05/27/local/82996> >

YAHOO NEWS \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Sri Lanka says 100 missing in landslides are dead**

< <https://www.yahoo.com/news/sri-lanka-says-100-missing-landslides-dead-065527396.html?ref=gs> >

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