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GLOBAL TAMIL FORUM

Global Tamil Forum welcomes High Commissioner Zeid's call for accelerated progress in Sri Lanka and for sustained international engagement to achieve responsive Transitional Justice < http://goo.gl/8p6sFg >

--GTF IN THE MEDIA--

COLOMBO GAZETTE

Leading Tamil diaspora group backs Zeid's oral update on Sri Lanka

< http://colombogazette.com/2016/07/05/leading-tamil-diaspora-group-backs-zeids-oral-update-on-sri-lanka/ >

SRI LANKA GUARDIAN

Sri Lanka: GTF on Zeid's call to achieve responsive Transitional Justice

 $< \underline{\text{http://www.slguardian.org/2016/07/sri-lanka-gtf-on-zeids-call-to-achieve-responsive-transitional-justice/} >$

--NEWS--

ALJAZEERA - VIDEO

Sri Lanka: Thousands await relocation after civil war

< http://ajvod-env-dev.elasticbeanstalk.com/channels/eng/videos/sri-lanka%3A-thousands-await-relocation-after-civil-war/5019626838001;jsessionid=2F9A41EB28A1DA47008D9A6E908709C3 >

COLOMBO GAZETTE

Paranagama says if army used cluster bombs before 2010 it was not illegal

< http://colombogazette.com/2016/07/04/paranagama-says-if-army-used-cluster-bombs-before-2010-it-was-not-illegal/ >

COLOMBO PAGE

Sri Lanka encouraged by U.S. support for the ongoing progressive transformation – President < http://www.colombopage.com/archive 16B/Jul04 1467643288CH.php >

THE ISLAND

G. L. Peiris alleges Geneva intervention aims to promote separatism

 $< \underline{http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details\&page=article-details\&code_title=148076$

TAMIL GUARDIAN

Several of Sri Lanka's key commitments to UNHRC remain unfulfilled - Human Rights Watch

< http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=21218 >

COLOMBO GAZETTE

Jayalalithaa writes to Modi demanding release of fishermen in Sri Lanka

< http://colombogazette.com/2016/07/04/jayalalithaa-writes-to-modi-demanding-release-of-fishermen-in-sri-lanka/ >

THE SUNDAY TIMES

Now Lankan boat owners in North take to bottom trawling

< http://www.sundaytimes.lk/160703/news/now-lankan-boat-owners-in-north-take-to-bottom-trawling-199507.html >

ECONOMY NEXT

China remains Sri Lanka's biggest funder in Jan-April 2016

< http://www.economynext.com/China_remains_Sri_Lanka%E2%80%99s_biggest_funder_in_Jan_A pril_2016-3-5451-1.html >

TAMIL GUARDIAN

Sri Lankan military helps settle Sinhalese fishermen in Tamil North-East

< http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=21224 >

THE SUNDAY LEADER

Gnanasara Thero Reignites Anti-Muslim Sentiments

< http://www.thesundayleader.lk/2016/07/03/gnanasara-thero-reignites-anti-muslim-sentiments/>

COLOMBO TELEGRAPH

Divided National Unity Government Needs Time To Prioritise

< https://www.colombotelegraph.com/index.php/divided-national-unity-government-needs-time-to-prioritise/ >

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