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--NEWS--

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

**OHCHR Strengthens Probe**

<<http://www.thesundayleader.lk/2014/08/24/ohchr-strengthens-probe/>>

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

**Sri Lanka must ensure justice for Tamils: Modi**

<<http://www.dailymirror.lk/news/51466-sri-lanka-must-ensure-justice-for-tamils-modi-.html>>

THE NATION \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**India must respect Sri Lanka's sovereignty: Avdhash Kaushal**

<<http://www.nation.lk/edition/breaking-news/item/32654-india-must-respect-sri-lankas-sovereignty-avdhash-kaushal.html#sthash.KAOYkzhV.dpuf>>

SRI LANKA MIRROR \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**"President will have to pay for it"- Champika**

<<https://www.srilankamirror.com/news/16675-president-will-have-to-pay-for-it-champika>>

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

**Wigneswaran seeks Treasury approval for CM's fund**

<<http://www.sundaytimes.lk/140824/news/wigneswaran-seeks-treasury-approval-for-cms-fund-114785.html>>

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

**North will not get land, police powers**

<<http://colombogazette.com/2014/08/24/north-will-not-get-land-police-powers/>>

THE REUPUBLIC SQUARE \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Sri Lanka's former Chief Justice says President can't run for a third term**

<<http://www.therepublicsquare.com/politics/2014/08/26/sri-lankas-former-chief-justice-says-president-cant-run-for-a-third-term/>>

AL-JAZEERA \*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\*

**Sri Lanka's surging cash reliance on China**

<<http://www.aljazeera.com/indepth/features/2014/08/sri-lanka-economy-reliance-china-infrastructure-20148256345589851.html>>

TAMIL GUARDIAN

**US lobby firm needed to combat 'Tamil diaspora and international media' says Central Bank**

<<http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=11967>>



THE ISLAND **\*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\*\***

**SF has no faith in short-term projects**

<[http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=108942](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=108942)>

COLOMBO PAGE

**Agenda for Pope's apostolic visit to Sri Lanka officially announced**

<[http://www.colombopage.com/archive\\_14B/Aug26\\_1409033762CH.php](http://www.colombopage.com/archive_14B/Aug26_1409033762CH.php)>

--OP-EDS/OPINION/INTERVIEWS--

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**US probes monitoring MP's huge deals with PR firms**

<<http://www.sundaytimes.lk/140824/columns/us-probes-monitoring-mps-huge-deals-with-pr-firms-114679.html>>

GROUNDVIEWS **\*\*COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED\***

**The Spectre of Evictions and Land Grabs in Colombo**

<<http://groundviews.org/2014/08/26/the-spectre-of-evictions-and-land-grabs-in-colombo/>>