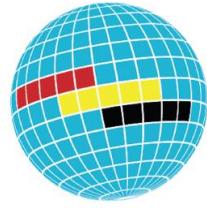


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4th to 6th October 2014

--HIGHLIGHTS--

- Coverage of GTF in Indian and Sri Lankan media:
 - Deccan Chronicle, 'India should assert role as regional leader: Global Tamil Forum',
<http://www.deccanchronicle.com/141005/nation-current-affairs/article/india-should-assert-role-regional-leader-global-tamil-forum>
 - Ceylon Today, 'Diaspora urges Commonwealth', <http://www.ceylontoday.lk/51-74679-news-detail-diaspora-urges-commonwealth.html>
 - The Sunday Times, 'UPFA spin doctors bring shame on Sri Lanka',
<http://www.sundaytimes.lk/141005/columns/121297-121297.html>
 - Tamil Guardian, 'Sajith's appointment raises questions about Ranil's sincerity says GTF',
<http://www.tamilguardian.com/article.asp?articleid=12459>

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International conspiracy for Lanka regime change: Rajapaksa

<<http://www.thehindubusinessline.com/news/international-conspiracy-for-lanka-regime-change-rajapaksa/article6471607.ece>>

THE SUNDAY LEADER **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

COI Rejects Allegations

<<http://www.thesundayleader.lk/2014/10/05/coi-rejects-allegations/>>

CEYLON TODAY **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

Govt. policies arbitrary and unfriendly

<<http://www.ceylontoday.lk/22-74727-news-detail-govt-policies-arbitrary-and-unfriendly.html>>

COLOMBO TELEGRAPH **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

De Facto CJ's Vatican Visit Poses A Grave Threat To Judicial Independence

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

Talpahewa, chargé d'affaires in London

<<http://www.dailymirror.lk/top-story/53352-talpahewa-charge-daffaires-in-london.html>>

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Kunanayakam hits out at 'hooliganism'

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--OP-EDS/OPINION/INTERVIEWS--

GROUNDVIEWS **COMMENTS CAN BE POSTED**

In Sri Lanka, ‘fear and insecurity’ for journalists, activists

<<http://groundviews.org/2014/10/03/in-sri-lanka-fear-and-insecurity-for-journalists-activists/>>

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

Hurtling on to the wrong side of history

<<http://www.sundaytimes.lk/141005/columns/hurtling-on-to-the-wrong-side-of-history-121236.html>>

--STATEMENTS--

BRITISH TAMIL CONSERVATIVES

British Tamil Conservative party conference 2014

<<http://lankanewsweb.net/news/8929-british-tamil-conservative-party-conference-2014>>

--COURSES--

SCHOOL OF AFRICAN AND ORIENTAL STUDIES – UNIVERSITY OF LONDON

Introduction to Tamil Course

<<https://www.soas.ac.uk/languagecentre/languages/tamil/tamil-beginners-course.html>>

--EVENTS--

UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND

Panel Discussion: Sri Lanka and the Office of the UN High Commissioner on Human Rights

Investigation

Thursday 16th October, 6:30-8:30pm

<<http://www.r2pasiapacific.org/docs/Events%202014/sri-lanka-panel-flyer.pdf>>