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THE ISLAND

**'War crimes' probe mechanism: Task force calls for full foreign participation**

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DAILY MAIL

**Sri Lanka divided as panel backs foreign judges to probe war crimes**

< <http://www.dailymail.co.uk/wires/reuters/article-4092488/Sri-Lanka-divided-panel-backs-foreign-judges-probe-war-crimes.html> >

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**UN responds to Rajitha**

< <http://www.ft.lk/article/589785/UN-responds-to-Rajitha> >

THE NEW INDIAN EXPRESS

**Sri Lanka's Independent Police Commission lacks controlling power, says outgoing chairman**

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**Constitutional reforms: Allay doubts on genuineness**

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**Sri Lankan president Sirisena rejects Rajapaksa's claim about toppling government**

< <http://www.firstpost.com/world/sri-lankan-president-sirisena-rejects-rajapaksas-claim-about-toppling-govt-3191178.html> >

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**I won't topple Government while Ranil Wickremesinghe is away: Mahinda Rajapaksa**

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**Government firm on new Chinese deal for Hambantota**

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**Gotabaya Rajapaksa was behind Bodu Bala Sena claims Rajitha**

< <http://www.ft.lk/article/589513/Gota-was-behind-Bodu-Bala-Sena-claims-Rajitha> >

THE WIRE

**Sri Lanka Briefing: Political Jostling; an Oily Mess**

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