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DAILY NEWS

**Minority participation for the first time: Kiriella**

< <http://www.dailynews.lk/2017/10/24/local/132263/minority-participation-first-time-kiriella> >

THE ISLAND

**Issues affecting Tamils have to be addressed – Government**

< [http://www.island.lk/index.php?page\\_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code\\_title=173884](http://www.island.lk/index.php?page_cat=article-details&page=article-details&code_title=173884) >

DAILY NEWS

**Racist, offensive comments on new Constitution: Mangala takes Kamal and Wimal to task**

< <http://www.dailynews.lk/2017/10/26/local/132558/racist-offensive-comments-new-constitution-mangala-takes-kamal-and-wimal> >

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**Focus on country's burning issues, not new constitution - Ven. Rathana Thera**

< <http://www.dailymirror.lk/article/Focus-on-country-s-burning-issues-not-new-constitution-Ven-Rathana-Thera-139191.html> >

COLOMBO TELEGRAPH

**Consistency Without Ethnic Bias In Prosecuting War Time Cases**

< <https://www.colombotelegraph.com/index.php/consistency-without-ethnic-bias-in-prosecuting-war-time-cases/> >

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**Ex-cadres seek acceptance to mend shattered lives**

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**Term of reconciliation secretariat extended till March 2019**

< <http://colombogazette.com/2017/10/25/term-of-reconciliation-secretariat-extended-till-march-2019/> >

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**That The Constitution Allows Enforced Disappearances Is A Big Lie**

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**Mitra Shakti: India-Sri Lanka joint military exercise concludes**

< <http://indianexpress.com/article/india/india-sri-lanka-military-exercise-named-mitra-shakti-concludes-4907334/> >

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**Port City area will be declared as part of Sri Lanka**

< <http://colombogazette.com/2017/10/25/port-city-area-will-be-declared-as-part-of-sri-lanka/>

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**Government yet to sign any MoUs over Port City – Champika**

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