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Prime Minister of Sri Lanka

MESSAGE FROM THE HON. PRIME MINISTER

Sinhala & Tamil New Year brings a message of prosperity and unity to the nation, acknowledging the role of the Sun in the agrarian society and its blessings towards a greater harvest.

It is also an occasion that strengthens ties between the Sinhalese and the Tamils, one that unites them and fosters a great degree of fellowship amidst shared customs and a reverence towards nature and its elements that are significant towards sustainable prosperity.

The ancient customs and traditions of the Sinhala & Tamil New Year are closely tied to sustainable good practices that preserve and respect the environment around us - they encourage the younger generation to share the same values and preserve them for posterity.

May all Sri Lankans enjoy a blessed and a prosperous Sinhala & Tamil New Year.

Ranil Wickremesinghe
Prime Minister

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