



British Tamils Forum United Kingdom

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Common proposal for a new resolution by the member states in the UNHRC

Please find attached the “**Common Proposal**” for the forthcoming resolution at the United Nations Human Rights Council (UNHRC), which was communicated to Ambassadors, Permanent Missions, the OHCHR, and other relevant stakeholders on **25 August 2025**.

This comprehensive proposal has been jointly prepared and submitted by the British Tamils Forum, together with our sister organisations worldwide. It includes:

- **Robust international criminal justice mechanisms** to address past and ongoing violations and ensure accountability.
- **Interim measures for reparations** to support victims and affected communities, with a particular focus on the war-devastated North and East of Sri Lanka.
- **A long-term framework for constitutional and institutional reform** to guarantee non-recurrence of violence, systemic discrimination, and genocide.

This initiative represents a collective and coordinated global effort and is **endorsed by the following organisations (listed in alphabetical order):**

ATMA, Mauritius
British Tamils Forum (BTF), UK
Centre de Protections des Droits du Peuple Tamoul, France
Conservative Friends of Tamils (CFT), UK
Delhi Tamil Advocates Association (DTAA), India
Delhi Tamil Sangam, India
German Tamil Advocacy Forum, Germany
Global Human Rights Defence (GHRD), Netherlands
Global Tamil Council, Canada
Irish Tamils Forum (ITF), Ireland
Korea Tamil Sangam (KTS), Korea
Mother Tongue First Foundation (MTFF), India
Pasumai Thaayagam, India
Solidarity Group for Peace and Justice (SGPJ), South Africa
Swiss Tamil Action Group (STAG), Switzerland
Tamil Council, Mauritius
Tamil Friends of Liberal Democrats, UK
Tamils for Labour (TfL), UK



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Notes to Editors:

British Tamils Forum exists to harness the skills and the knowledge of the members of the forum, well-wishers and significant others including mainstream decision makers in the UK with the aim of alleviating the sufferings of the Tamils community in the Island of Sri Lanka and to further their right to self-determination within a democratic frame work under pinned by international law, its covenants and conventions. For more information info@britishtamilsforum.org and/or visit: www.britishtamilsforum.org