

Geneva-I to Geneva-II

Children *killed, injured, disappeared, abducted*

by

SLAFs and GoSL operated forces



in the Northeast

(February 22 – October 15)


LTTE Peace Secretariat
October 2006

*Children killed, injured and disappeared
since Feb 22 till June 1*


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Children killed					
Name	Age	Date	Incident description	M/F	Residence
Nishanthan	17	13-Apr-06	Killed in SLAFs planted claymore in LTTE area - Semamadu, Vavuniya	M	Vavuniya
Atputharasa Sureshkumar	16	17-Apr-06	Killed by SLAFs claymore in Chavakachcheri, Jaffna	M	Chavakachcheri
Pakkiaraja Baskaran (Batchcha)	16	22-Apr-06	He was arrested by SLAFs. Villagers reported hearing screams from the SLAFs camp where he was taken to. His dead body found along road the next day - Bharathipuram, Trincomalee	M	Kanniya
Meiyan Kishanthan	4	25-Apr-06	SLAFs Aerial Bombing: Killed by constant aerial bombing - Sampoor, Trincomalee	M	Sampoor, Muttur east
Thuraiappa Ratheesh	15			M	
Varathan Rajkumar	16			M	
					
Thamotharampillai Sharmilian	17	4-May-06	He was one of the seven traveling in two three-wheelers when all were shot and killed by SLAFs-fired RPG. SLMM has ruled this as a violation because excessive force was used - Nelliady, Jaffna	M	Karaveddy
Balakumar	17	12-May-06	Killed by Paramilitary shooting - Church Road, Muttur town, Trincomalee	M	Muttur

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Ketheeswaran Yathursan	0	13-May-06	Allaipiddy Massacre: Killed by SL Navy while they were sleeping between their parents - Allaipiddy, Jaffna	M	Allaipiddy
Ketheeswaran Thanushkanth	4			M	
					
Selvarajah Ravichandran	12	20-May-06	Killed by Paramilitary shooting while he was with his grandmother at his home - Mavadivembu, Batticaloa	M	Mavadivembu
Chandran Linton	15	21-May-06	Killed by SLAFs claymore in LTTE area - Periya Pandivirichan, Mannar	M	Mannar
Kanthaiya Sathiyathan	17	23-May-06	Killed by SLAFs shooting - LB3 Trincomalee	M	Trincomalee
Kanapathy Balu	12	27-May-06	Killed by SLAFs claymore in LTTE area - Thikiliveddai, Batticaloa	M	Batticaloa
Vinayagamorthy Nanthan	15			M	Batticaloa
Sivanesan Sinthujan	0	7-Jun-06	Vadamunai Massacre: 10 civilians with these three children killed by SLAFs landmine - Vadamunai, Batticaloa	M	Vadamunai
Saravanamuttu Chandrakumar	10			M	
Saravanamuttu Dineshkumar	11			M	

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Deluxan Ann Deluxi	7 9	8-Jun-06	Vankalai Massacre: Family of four massacred by SLAFs - Vankalai, Mannar	M F	Vankalai
					
Vimalanathan Sajeevan	12	10-Jun-06	Paramilitary stopped, entered bus and shot this child with another adult - Puliadichchanthi, Trincomalee	M	Koonitheivu
Sri Ravindrarah Thineswaran	16	17-Jun-06	Missing for two weeks, dead body found - Muhamalai, Jaffna	M	Jaffna
Simion Antony Gnanapragasam	17	28-Jun-06	Transporting sand in tractor when tractor hit SLA planted claymore in LTTE area	M	Kokupadaiyan
Total Children Killed: 23					
Children disappeared/abducted					
Arulraj	15	3-Feb-06	Abducted by Paramilitary - Batticaloa (released)	M	Batticaloa
Sellathamby Kangeswaran	14	12-Mar-06	Abducted by Paramilitary - Akkurandai, Batticaloa	M	Minimithaveli
Sellathamby Thangarajah	16			M	Akkuranai
Sivalingam Vaneswaran	17			M	Minimithaveli
Mylvaganam Mohanasingham	9			26-Apr-06	Abducted by SLAFs home guards with black cloth covering faces; entered home - Thanganagar, Seruvila, Trincomalee
Yoganathan Alagendran	11	M	Thanganagar		

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Name	Age	Date	Incident description	M/F	Residence
Johnson	13	10-May-06	Has not returned from school since 14 April - Kallimodda in Murunkan, Mannar	M	Kallimodda in Murunkan
Antony Sureshkumar	17	10-May-06	Has not returned home since 24 April - Panankattikottu, Mannar	M	Panankattikottu
Amelandiran Lohandiran	14	15-Jun-06	Abducted by Paramilitary groups. Up to 200 children abducted from Santhiveli, Kiran, Mankerni, Valaichchenai and Iruthayapuram in Manmunai North - Batticaloa	M	Batticaloa
Krishnapillai Puvanediran	15			M	
Maheswaran Satheeswaran	16			M	
Nageswaran Sritharan	16			M	
Kunsekaram Konthiran	17			M	
Velmuruhu Puviraj	17			M	
Sathasivam Selvanayagam	17			M	
30 children (UNICEF confirmed)				M	
Total Children Disappeared: 45 (possibly 200)					
Children injured					
Baby Yogeswari	2	7-Dec-05	Injured by paramilitary shooting at home - Ampara	F	Ampara
Tharmalingam Rajakumar	16	12-Jan-06	Injured by SLAFs shooting - Parameswara Junction, Jaffna	M	Navatkuly
James Nirojan	14	24-Feb-06	Injured by SLN beating - Kanthipuram, Kerniyadi, Jaffna	M	Mathahal
Marilidoss Sureshkumar	4	28-Apr-06	Injured by Paramilitary shooting - Urkavathurai, Kayts, Jaffna	F	Jaffna
Mahendrarasa Gajendran	17	12-May-06	Injured by Paramilitary shooting - Trincomalee	M	Trincomalee
Chandran Sangeetha	6	13-May-06	Injured by SLAFs shelling - Eravur, Batticaloa	F	Ward 5
A. Lorenzia	12	2-Jun-06	Injured by SLAFs shooting - Naruvilikulam, Mannar	F	Mannar
Pradeepan	1	7-Jun-06	Vadamunai Massacre: Injured by SLAFs planted landmine. 10 killed, 14 wounded - Vadamunai, Batticaloa	M	Vadamunai
Kavitha	2			F	
Sritharan Ano	6			M	
Saravanamuttu Santhiran	16			M	
Vijayaratnam Suvaruban	15	25-Jun-06	Injured by SLAFs beating - Jaffna	M	Batticaloa
90 children		26-Jun-06	Injury by SLAFs beating when soldier entered St Xavier Boys College and attacked students	M	Mannar
Total Children Injured: 12 (90 children attacked at St Xavier Boys College)					

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Se. No	Affected party	Date	Violation type	Offender	Location of incident	District	Gender	Age	Note
2	Nimalan Nilukjan	16-Aug-06	Killed	Paramilitary	Mavadivembu	Batti	M	1	gunmen entered home, began shooting, parents injured
3	Thayajothi Thayaparan	13-Sep-06		SLAFs	Valvettithurai	Jaffna	F	2	
4	Sri Ravindrarajah Thineswaran	17-Jun-06		Paramilitary	Muhamalai	Jaffna	M	16	dead body found 14 June after missing for two weeks
1	Dithushini	15-Oct-06		SLAFs	Vaharai	Batti	F	1	patients sent to GoSL area Vaharai hospital were turned back by the SLA
7	Aravinthan	1-Aug-06		Paramilitary	Mutur	Trinco	M	8	killed in Muttur St.Antony's Church
8	Seevaratnam	4-Aug-06		SLAFs	Koyilkudiyiruppu	Batti	M	12	killed by shell at home
9	Simion Antony Gnanapragasam	28-Jun-06		SLAFs	Kallaru	Mannar	M	17	transporting sand in tractor, hit claymore
10	Kiritharan Thayini	14-Aug-06		SLAFs	Vallipunam	Mullai	F	16	
11	Thambirasa Lakiya	14-Aug-06		SLAFs	Vallipunam	Mullai	F	17	
12	Mini'	11-Aug-06		SLAFs	Pallai	Jaffna		4	
13	Nasim	2-Aug-06		Injury by shelling	Paramilitary	Mutur	Trinco	M	11
14	Navaratnam Sharmila	11-Aug-06	SLAFs		Pallai	Jaffna		11	
15	Mendis Vimalraj	11-Aug-06	SLAFs		Chempianpattu	Jaffna	M	15	

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16	Vijayaratnam Suvaruban	25-Jun-06	Injury by beating	SLAFs	Jaffna town	Jaffna	M	15	Attacked by men with faces covered black cloth on his way out of MP office
17	one civilian	26-Sep-06	Injured by shooting	Paramilitary	Periyakallaru	Batti	M	15	gunmen came on a white van shooting two boys injured
2	Vijayarasa Antonis	4-Oct-06		SLAFs	Potpathy	Jaffna	M	13	
19	Anton Reginald	20-Jul-06	Disapp-Abducted	Paramilitary		Mannar	M	14	Boarded bus to Vavuniya on 4 July, never reached destination. Mother has lodged complaint.
20	Sobitha Jeganathan	20-Sep-06	Disappeared	SLAFs	town	Mannar	F	15	He has studying staying at the Karmel sister's hostel. She went out and has gone missing.
21	Thangarasa Thavarubi	11-Aug-06		SLAFs	Alvai	Jaffna	F	16	
22	Velupillai Praveeran	1-Oct-06		Paramilitary	town	Jaffna	M	16	
23	Thevarasa Nitharson	14-Sep-06		Paramilitary	Kondavil	Jaffna	M	17	
24	Thambu Jeyasakeem	14-Sep-06		Paramilitary	Kondavil	Jaffna	M	17	The two disappeared together
Total Killed 09 Injured 08 Disappeared 06									

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Children killed in Mavilaru onwards							
1	Anpalakan Malini	6-Sep-06	Killed by SLAFs shelling	Paddalipuararam	Trinco	F	2
2	Sivakumar Janarthan			Sampur	Trinco	M	4
3	Arulanantham Subasini			Verukal	Trinco	F	4
4	Kumaresan Subeskanthan			Eechchilampattu	Trinco	M	7
5	Sathteeswaran Aravinth			Muttur East	Trinco	M	8
6	Sutharsini			Kaddaiparichan	Trinco	F	10
7	Kaththamuthu Kajenthiran			Palikudiyiruppu	Trinco	M	10
8	Balasingam Kamalini			Kanesapuram	Trinco	F	11
9	Kanakarathinam Suvajini			Muttur	Trinco	F	12
10	Yoheswary			Kaddaiparichan	Trinco	F	14
11	Jeyakumar Rathikala			Jeti	Trinco	F	14
12	Sujenthiran			Kiliveddi	Trinco	M	15
13	Thankathurai Kethiswari			Pallikudiyiruppu	Trinco	F	16
14	Pakkiyarasa Rajani			Santhosapuram	Trinco	M	16
15	Rathinam Jeevitha			Kaddaiparichan	Trinco	F	17
Total number of killed				15			

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Abduction in Batticaloa and Amparai

1	Jeyaraj Kirushanth	13-Mar-06	<p>Since May 2005, there have been several reports of large scale abduction of children in Batticaloa by paramilitary group. UNICEF sent several investigators and it issued a report in June that it has confirmed 30 such abductions.</p> <p>The names listed are only a sample cases that have come to the notice publicly. An Associated Press (AP) report of 4 October 2006, titled, "Government-condoned militia abducting hundreds on Sri Lanka's east coast", said the following.</p> <p>"A feared militia along Sri Lanka's volatile eastern coast has abducted hundreds of men and boys - some as young as 12. -with the government's consent, witnesses and officials said.</p> <p>Hundreds of Karuna fighters are terrorizing the district of Batticaloa, the scene of a rash of abductions that began in March, residents said.</p> <p>The total number of disappearances is unclear because so many go unreported, but officials from several aid organizations estimate at least 300 people have been taken by Karuna's men this year.</p> <p>"The communities seem to know who is taking their children and they live in fear and are in need of protection," said Marcel Smits, head of the aid group Nonviolent Peaceforce Sri Lanka. "</p>	15
2	Suthakaran Kunosan	13-Mar-06		15
3	Nakamani Uthayan	29-Mar-06		14
4	Asohan Kajan	23-May-06		16
5	Subramaniam Vinoth	23-May-06		16
6	Jeyasankar Pirathas	23-May-06		16
7	Selvam Prathap	26-May-06		16
8	8 Civilian	25-Jun-06		under 17
9	Sinnathurai Sinenthiran	14-Aug-06		under 17
10	15 Civilian			
11	Amelandiran Lohandiran	15-Jun-06		14
12	Maheswaran Satheeswaran	15-Jun-06		16
13	Kunsekaram Konthiran	15-Jun-06		17
14	Velmuruhu Puviraj	15-Jun-06		17
15	Kattamuththu Rameswaran	15-Jun-06		19
16	Krishnapillai Puvanediran	15-Jun-06		15
17	Sathasivam Selvanayagam	15-Jun-06		17
18	Manikham Gnanasekeram	15-Jun-06		18
19	Nageswaran Sritharan	15-Jun-06		16
20	30 children	15-Jun-06		UNICEF confirmed amount.
21	34 Civilians	12-Oct-06	<p>The abductions by K-group spread into Amparai in October. Children playing in playgrounds were abducted. Parents protested in front of the K-group office located near an SLA camp in Amparai (Akkaraipatru)</p>	Most of them are under 18

* **Thriunavukkarasu Sivagnanaselvam** was a teacher at Kinyadi Saraswathi Vidhyalaym. He was called to the SLA camp near by for inquiries. While he was teaching at the school the SLA entered the class room and shot him in front of all his students.

Tamil children disappeared and killed in NorthEast since Geneva 1 till October 15

Type	Total
Killed	47
disappeared	51
Injured	20

* Karuna group child abduction in Batti/ Amparai is reported to be more than 100. However this number is not included in the total number disappeared.