Title: Need to give equal rights to Srilankan Tamils at par with Sinhalese in Sri Lanka.

SHRI S.ALAGIRI(CUDDALORE): It is a matter of great pain that Tamils in our neighbouring state of Sri Lanka are still being killed and treated as second class citizens.

In today's circumstances Tamils in Sri Lanka should get equal rights at par with the Sinhalese. A political solution with devolution and power is the need of the hour.

On behalf of Tamils all over the world I urge upon the Union Government to act speedily to help bring about a proper devolution of power to the Tamils in Sri Lanka.

* Treated as laid on the Table.