WHAT IS THE REAL STATUS OF LLRC IMPLEMENTATION?

Contradictory statements by key Government officials around claims of reconciliation post-war.

"50%" - Secretary to the President, Lalith

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At a media briefing he'd at BMICH before a large number of local and foreign journalists, Secretary to the President said that 50% of LLRC recommendations have been implemented.

"75%" - Minister Keheliya Rambukwella

At a Cabinet press briefing held in Colombo the Minister said the Government is totally satisfied with the measures taken so far in connection with reconciliation.

March 2013

November 2013

February 8th 2014

February 12th 2014

May 22nd 2014

"99%" - Minister Mahinda Samarasinghe, MP

As it prepared to face a resolution at the UNHRC, Minister Mahinda Samarasinghe stated that the Government has implemented 99% of the recommendations of the LLRC.

"85%" - Minister G.L.Peiris

External Affairs Minister answering a question in parliament stated that the Government has implemented 85% of the LLRC report. He went on to say that some of the recommendations in the report needed to be implemented but that it could not be done overnight.

"30%" - President Rajapaksa

A tweet from an official government Twitter account noted that President Rajapaksa informed UN Secretary General Ban Ki-moon that 30% of LLRC recommendations have been implemented.

