

Envoys face threat

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OTTAWA — A Sri Lankan cabinet minister has threatened reprisals against Canadian diplomats if Ottawa decides to inquire into the human rights record of the country's high commissioner to Canada, Brig.-Gen. Tissa Weeratunga.

The Sri Lankan government also plans to seek the extradition from Canada of a Tamil who says he was tortured by Weeratunga while in detention in 1979.