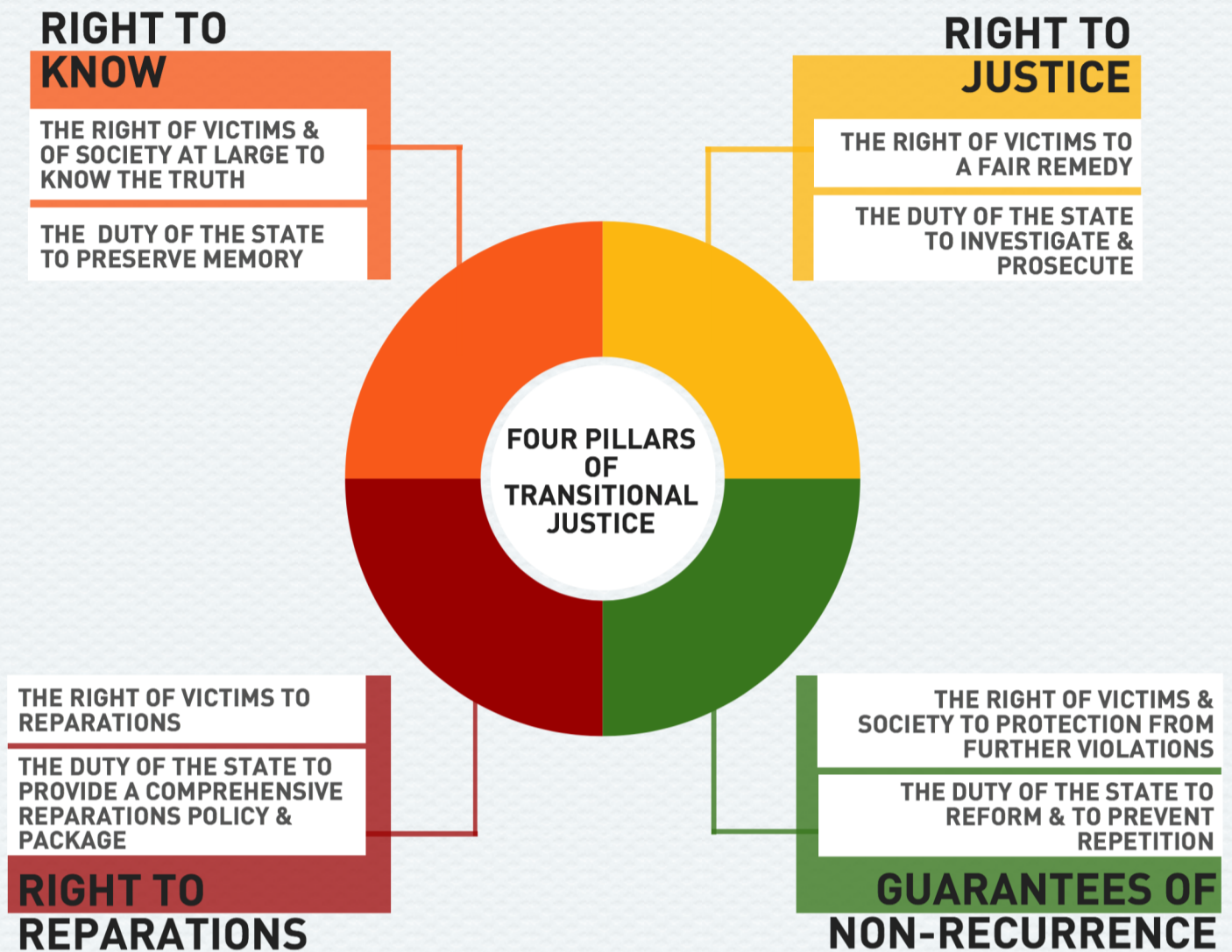


TRANSITIONAL JUSTICE IN SRI LANKA

WHAT IS TRANSITIONAL JUSTICE?

THE FULL RANGE OF PROCESSES & MECHANISMS ASSOCIATED WITH A SOCIETY'S ATTEMPT TO COME TO TERMS WITH PAST ABUSES, IN ORDER TO ENSURE ACCOUNTABILITY & ACHIEVE RECONCILIATION



GOVERNMENT PROMISES MADE IN 2015

RIGHT TO KNOW	RIGHT TO JUSTICE	RIGHT TO REPARATIONS	GUARANTEES OF NON-RECURRENCE
<p>COMMISSION FOR TRUTH, JUSTICE RECONCILIATION & NON-RECURRENCE</p> <p>OFFICE OF MISSING PERSONS</p> <p>RELEASE PUBLICLY REPORTS OF PREVIOUS COMMISSIONS OF INQUIRY</p> <p>PRESERVING/ ARCHIVING RECORDS OF HUMAN RIGHTS & INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW VIOLATIONS</p>	<p>JUDICIAL MECHANISM WITH A SPECIAL COUNSEL, WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF COMMONWEALTH & OTHER FOREIGN JUDGES, DEFENCE LAWYERS & AUTHORISED PROSECUTORS & INVESTIGATORS</p> <p>TO PROSECUTE PERPETRATORS OF ATTACKS AGAINST JOURNALISTS, HUMAN RIGHTS DEFENDERS, MEMBERS OF RELIGIOUS MINORITY GROUPS, CIVIL SOCIETY & PLACES OF WORSHIP</p> <p>TO HOLD TO ACCOUNT THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR TORTURE, RAPE & SEXUAL VIOLENCE</p> <p>INITIATE ACCOUNTABILITY & RECONCILIATION FOR LTTE VIOLATIONS & ABUSES</p>	<p>OFFICE FOR REPARATIONS</p> <p>RETURN LAND TO CIVILIAN OWNERS</p> <p>DEMILITARISATION</p> <p>CERTIFICATES OF ABSENCE TO FAMILIES OF MISSING PERSONS</p>	<p>REFORM DOMESTIC LAW TO IMPLEMENT GOSL COMMITMENTS</p> <p>SECURITY SECTOR REFORMS</p> <p>REVIEW WITNESS & VICTIM PROTECTION LAW</p> <p>PREVENT ATTACKS AGAINST JOURNALISTS, HUMAN RIGHTS DEFENDERS, RELIGIOUS MINORITY GROUPS, CIVIL SOCIETY & PLACES OF WORSHIP</p> <p>REVIEW & REPEAL THE PREVENTION OF TERRORISM ACT & RELATED LEGISLATION</p> <p>SIGN & RATIFY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION AGAINST ENFORCED DISAPPEARANCES & CRIMINALISE DISAPPEARANCES</p> <p>FULL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE 13TH AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION</p> <p>POLITICAL SETTLEMENT VIA CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM</p>

THE CONSENSUS RESOLUTION A/HRC/RES/30/1 PROVIDES FOR A BROAD FRAMEWORK ON HUMAN RIGHTS PROTECTION AND TRANSITIONAL JUSTICE BENCHMARKS IN SRI LANKA INCLUDING ENGAGING WITH THE OFFICE OF THE HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS AND SPECIAL PROCEDURE MANDATE HOLDERS