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India Peace Centre condemns bombings in Sri Lanka and calls for unity among the people

On Easter Sunday, 21st of April 2019, Sri Lanka was tragically hit by a series of bombings in three cities across the country. The attacks targeted three churches and four hotels and as of the latest information, at least 290 people were killed and more than 500 were injured.

India Peace Centre strongly condemns these violent and horrific acts of terror. Targeting peaceful people in their vulnerable moments of prayer and vacation is cowardly and appalling. It is an attack on all civilian values and therefore an attack on all of us as humanity. In such a moment of crisis we must emphasize that any response has to be driven by unity, harmony and peace.

We stand in deep solidarity with the victims, the families and all the people delivering help in this situation. Our hearts are grieving with them and we will hold up their needs in our prayers.

Violence has no place in civil society, and everyone must condemn and strive to shun violence as well as ideologies and beliefs that promote and propagate terrorism.

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