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From: ROHAN BASNAYAKE [rbasnayake@rogers.com]
Sent: September 18, 2009 6:48 AM
To: Weerasinghe
Subject: Re: FW: Sri Lanka: Channel 4 video forensic report

Thanks, Asoka. As usual you have dealt a good hand...jolly good..hope the bloody white supremists will findings of the experts, whether they be black, white, yellow or whatever their skin colour is. I am blood here.

Cheers

Rohan

--- On Fri, 9/18/09, Weerasinghe <weerasin@magma.ca> wrote:

From: Weerasinghe <weerasin@magma.ca>
Subject: FW: Sri Lanka: Channel 4 video forensic report
To: "Asoka" <acyfmc@cogeco.ca>, "Mahinda" <mgunasekera@sympatico.ca>, "Ira" <ira.desilva@daya@pathcom.com>, "malkanthi" <kmperera@yahoo.com>, "Rohan" <rbasnayake@roge <khippola@sympatico.ca>
Received: Friday, September 18, 2009, 1:16 AM

From: Weerasinghe [mailto:weerasin@magma.ca]
Sent: September 17, 2009 9:12 PM
To: 'alston@un.org'
Subject: Sri Lanka: Channel 4 video forensic report

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Dear Prof. Alston:

With all due respect to you, I am not being facetious when I tell you that I had a garrulous laugh with n somersaults when I read that you had identified Sri Lanka's forensic report of the Channel 4 video as n because a Sri Lankan expert, even though he is well qualified and had been attached to foreign instituti it. My only conclusion is that, this was purely because he happened to have a brown complexion. I kn deny it, but you might find it hard to convince me otherwise.

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From: kohonap@gmail.com
Sent: September 18, 2009 6:35 AM
To: Weerasinghe
Subject: Re: Sri Lanka: Channel 4 video forensic report

To be the equal of a white man you have to be his superior first. SWRD Bandaranayake

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From: "Weerasinghe" <weerasin@magma.ca>
Date: Thu, 17 Sep 2009 21:12:38 -0400
To: <kohonap@gmail.com>
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Having lived abroad for the past 53 years in two Western continents and having gained my academic qualifications from three reputable Universities in the West, I know what you mean. As we Asian students always remarked when we had to compete with Caucasian students, even at graduate level –

“Always White is right, but if you are Brown you are being frowned, and if you are Black, they will

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From: STEPHEN PERERA [stephenperera@rogers.com]
Sent: January 9, 2010 11:13 AM
To: ROHAN BASNAYAKE
Cc: Asoka Weerasinghe
Subject: Re: FW: Breaking News: Prof.Philip Alston & the Chanel 4 video clip

Hello Asoka,

Your latest piece on Prof. Alston is a rare treat! Not so much for its literary high points which one has to naturally expect reading Poet Asoka W. any time, any where, on any topic..., but for the courage you exhibit in debunking the prof's unacceptable *rationale* and exposing his *extra-protocol* -shameful conduct with delightfully pithy epithets peppered with powerful poetic insights ...; all of which in my student days in Sri Lanka when I was reading Latin for exams I thought only *Cicero* could accomplish....(My Latin Teacher, Fr. Ignatius Perera thought so....)

Thank Goodness! **We've got a Cicero here *parmi nous!***

Keep at it Asoka! You do us proud!

Aloy Perera

--- On Sat, 1/9/10, ROHAN BASNAYAKE <rbasnayake@rogers.com> wrote:

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 Subject: FW: Breaking News: Prof.Philip Alston & the Chanel 4 video clip
 To: "ROHAN BASNAYAKE" <rbasnayake@rogers.com>
 Date: Saturday, January 9, 2010, 12:24 PM

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Date: Saturday, January 9, 2010, 1:05 AM

From: Weerasinghe [mailto:weerasin@magma.ca]
Sent: January 8, 2010 7:56 PM
To: 'philip.alston@nyu.edu'
Subject: Breaking News: Prof.Philip Alston & the Chanel 4 video clip

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Prof. Philip Alston

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