

# 65th Independence celebrations



President Rajapaksa hoists the National Flag



President Rajapaksa greets the crowds



President Mahinda Rajapaksa and First Lady Shiranthi Rajapaksa being welcomed by Prime Minister D M Jayaratne and Public Administration and Home Affairs Minister W D J Seneviratne

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First Lady Shiranthi Rajapaksa, Prime Minister D M Jayaratne, parliamentarian Namal Rajapaksa, Yoshitha Rajapaksa, Rohitha Rajapaksa at the Independence Day celebrations.  
*Pic:Sudath Malaweera*



President Rajapaksa and First Lady Shiranthi Rajapaksa accompanied by service commanders on arrival



Female Police personnel



National Youth Corps



Special Task Force personnel



Air Force personnel



Civil Defence Forces



Traditional dancers



Kandyan dancers



Cultural show dancers