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Justice of the Supreme Court of Ghana; former Electoral Commissioner; Chairman, Constituent Assembly (1978-79)

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Attorney-at-Law; Chairman, Sri Lanka Press Council and Chairman of Presidential Committees on the Police and on the Armed Services; former Crown Counsel, Attorney-General's Department and Registrar of the Supreme Court.

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\*Messrs. Hayday and Sardana paid a reconnaissance visit between 17 and 22 December; Mr. Hayday returned to Salisbury from 17 to 26 January; Mr. Gunawardena was in Salisbury from 23 February.