

## தமிழீழ அரசியல்துறை கனடா THAMILEELA ARASIYALTHURAI CANADA

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Thamileela Arasiyal Thurai Congratulates Prime Minister Mark Carney, the Liberal Party, Honourable Shaun Chen and Tamil-Origin Candidates on 2025 Federal Election Victories

**Toronto, ON -** Thamileela Arasiyal Thurai extends its heartfelt congratulations to **Prime Minister Mark Carney** on leading the Liberal Party of Canada to victory in the 2025 federal election. We also congratulate the **Liberal Party of Canada** on earning the mandate to form the next government, and we commend its commitment to diversity, inclusion, and principled leadership.

We are especially proud to recognize and celebrate the electoral victories of the exceptional Members of Parliament of Tamil origin: **Honourable Gary Anandasangaree**, and **Juanita Nathan**. Their growing presence in Canadian politics is a testament to the resilience, civic engagement, and contributions of the Tamil Canadian community.

We recognize Honourable **Shaun Chen** on his re-election and thank him for his ongoing support for the Tamil community and advocacy on issues of justice and human rights. While not of Tamil heritage, his solidarity has not gone unnoticed and is valued. As the sponsor of both **e-petition 4981** and **e-petition 5058**, Shaun Chen has worked tirelessly to bring attention to the human rights violations and genocide faced by Tamils in Sri Lanka. His leadership in supporting these important petitions is a vital step toward ensuring that the Tamil people's pursuit of justice remains a priority on the Canadian political agenda.

We commend Honourable Gary Anandasangaree on his re-election and continued service as Minister of Justice and Attorney General of Canada. His steadfast advocacy for international human rights, his leadership in recognizing Tamil Genocide Remembrance Day, and his support for accountability and truth continue to inspire Tamils in Canada and across the globe.

We also extend our warm congratulations to Juanita Nathan on her election to Parliament. Her victory marks a new chapter in Tamil representation in federal politics and strengthens the voice of our community at the national level.

These victories come at a time when Tamil Canadians and the global Tamil diaspora remain deeply engaged in seeking justice for the ongoing oppression and unresolved war crimes committed against the Tamil people in present-day Sri Lanka. We believe these leaders, grounded in their Tamil heritage and public service, are well positioned to raise these critical issues within Canada's foreign policy and human rights frameworks.



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Thamileela Arasiyal Thurai looks forward to working with Prime Minister Mark Carney and the newly elected Members of Parliament to advance justice, promote human rights, and ensure continued recognition of the Tamil people's right to self-determination.

-Thank you-

Sincerely

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## About Thamileela Arasiyal Thurai - Canada

Thamileela Arasiyal Thurai serves as a political advocate in the Tamil freedom struggle, collaborating with grassroots organizations to unite efforts towards the true aspirations of the Tamil people. We aim to raise awareness among Canadians about Tamil issues often obscured by media to influenced by Sri Lanka's genocidal government.

Our mandate is to empower the Tamil community to actively engage in the Canadian political landscape while preserving our rich cultural heritage. We are committed to highlighting the Tamil identity, particularly Tamils from Eelam, and promoting the struggle for self-determination, the issue of genocide, and the importance of our national symbols. At the same time, we seek to integrate future generations into diverse societies while instilling pride in their heritage, language, arts, and ancestral wisdom. We strive to cultivate global citizens who contribute to a peaceful world through discipline, respect, and environmental stewardship.