

ORAL QUESTION H-0199/07

for Question Time at the part-session in April 2007
pursuant to Rule 109 of the Rules of Procedure
by Sahra Wagenknecht
to the Council

Subject: Attacks on anti-war activists in Sri Lanka

On 9 January 2007, members of Sri Lanka's United People's Movement (UPM) were attacked and chased by an armed mob before a public rally. According to reports in the media, a deputy minister, Mervyn Silva, was involved in the attacks.

What view does the Council take of direct attacks on peace activists in Sri Lanka by members of the Sri Lankan Government? How will this incident affect the Council's support for the Government in future?

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