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Solidarity for Aleppo: Hizb ut Tahrir Malaysia Marched from Masjid Ash-Shakirin to the Russian Embassy

KUALA LUMPUR 17 Nov 2016 - The repeated Takbir and Tahlil echoed along the road from Masjid Ash-Shakirin, Kuala Lumpur City Centre (KLCC) to the Russian Embassy at Jalan Ampang today. Hizb ut Tahrir Malaysia (HTM) organised a long march, by walking about 2 kilometers to show the Muslim's solidarity in Malaysia towards our brothers and sisters in Aleppo, Syria and to voice out the strong protest to Russia for its brutal inhumane attack on the Muslim Ummah in Aleppo.

Around 500 participants, including women and children, marched to show solidarity and undivided bond of brotherhood towards the Muslims in Aleppo who are relentlessly being brutally attacked and killed by Russia and the Assad's regime.

The march started about 10:30 am, right after the participants performing two raka'ah prayers with qunut nazilah, at Masjid Ash-Shakirin, and arrived at the Russian Embassy at about 11:45 am. The participants marched with high spirit but well-mannered and escorted by the police.

In a speech in front of the Russian Embassy, **Hizb ut Tahrir Malaysia strongly condemned the cold-blooded and brutal attacks of Aleppo by Russia.** HTM also accounted the Muslim leaders and Muslim armies for their failure to act to save Aleppo and its people.

Ustaz Abdul Hakim Othman delivered a stern message in front of the Russian Embassy that "the Muslim leaders should have mobilized the armies for Jihad in Aleppo because this is the only solution to immediately end the Russian attack in Sham, which America is behind it".

Abdul Hakim firmly reminded the Muslim armies not to obey the leaders who do not obey Allah. "It is haram (forbidden) for the Muslim armies to obey leaders who disobey Allah. The inaction of the Muslim leaders to stop the Russian killing of Muslims in Aleppo is a vice to Allah (swt) and the Muslim armies should not be loyal to them anymore, and it is compulsory for the armies to move in order to help our brothers and sisters, who are being attacked with unimaginable devastation over there", Abdul Hakim who is also a spokesperson of HTM, said sternly.

In a message conveyed in front of the Russian Embassy, HTM explained why Russia, with the US behind it, used a large-scale military attack on Aleppo, due to their fear of the establishment of Khilafah in Sham. The Muslims and the fighters in Sham have been rejecting all the American plans to establish a civil democratic state in Syria. Fearing the return of a Khilafah State in ash-Sham, Russia, the Assad regime and America have acted in concert to exterminate as much as possible the people of Aleppo.

At the end of the speech, Ustaz Umar Hussein who is also one of the speakers at the gathering, reminded the attendees that Hizb ut Tahrir is working tirelessly day and night across the globe, including in Malaysia, to re-establish a Khilafah State which will answer the brutalities of the western Kuffar on the Muslim Ummah, in particular on the Muslims in Sham. Only with Khilafah, Sham will be liberated and its people will be saved. Umar who is also the committee members of HTM, then called all Muslims to work together with Hizb ut Tahrir to re-establish the Khilafah al-Rashidah State upon the method of Prophethood, which was promised by Allah and His Messenger (saw).

The peaceful march and gathering, was concluded with du'a to Allah (swt) to grant victory to the Muslim Ummah and at the same time will end all hegemonies of the western Kuffar on the Ummah.

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