

Press Release**Once again, the Evil Saudi Regime did not Fail to Exploit the Opportunity to Prevent the Muslims from Witnessing the Spirit of ‘One Ummah’ during the Occasion of Hajj**

The Saudi regime - the usurper of al-Haramayn (Two Holy Mosques) - under the leadership of King Salman and his notorious son Mohammad bin Salman (MBS) has barred foreign Muslims to perform the Hajj for the second year straight. This Evil Saudi regime has long been hiding their ugly face behind the veil of ‘the custodian’ of Al-Masjid al-Haram in Makka and Al-Masjid an-Nabawi in Madina. Now when the global war against Islam has intensified, the puppets of the disbelieving Crusader West are also coming out of pretentiousness. Bin Salman wants to play his treacherous part in this war against Islam for his Western masters. On one hand, he is swiftly moving towards so-called Westernization by opening up our holy land to all forms of evil acts and socially polluting activities to degrade the Islamic values; and on the other hand, his evil regime is now exploiting the Covid-19 outbreak as an excuse to prevent the noble Ummah of Muhammad (saw) from performing Hajj to the House (i.e. Ka’bah,). He could allow foreign guests and singers during this outbreak for concerts and social gatherings, which were full of *jahiliyya* and *fahisha* (indecent). But, for Salaah and Hajj, these usurpers have all the excuses to put obstruction. Nationwide vaccination drive has been accelerated in Saudi Arabia in order to host upcoming sports and entertainment extravaganzas as part of the kingdom’s “Vision 2030” program, but the self-styled “Khadem al-Haramayn” had no such intention and prior arrangement for the Hujjaj. Because they are keen to exploit any opportunity to inflict harm upon the Muslims in their emotions and righteous actions. We do not forget that bin Salman’s forefathers were the one to collaborate with the Kafir colonialists to undo the ruling of Islam, i.e. the Khilafah (Caliphate). Back then they revolted against the Uthmani Khilafah, and now the devilish descendent of ibn Saud, MBS, is working hand-in-hand with the kuffar to take the Ummah away from the last bonds of Islam one by one, including the Hajj. RasulAllah (saw) rightly warned us about this when he said: «لَيَنْقُضَنَّ عَزَى الْإِسْلَامِ عُرْوَةَ عُرْوَةٍ فَلَمَّا انْتَقَضَتْ عُرْوَةٌ تَشَبَّهَتِ النَّاسُ بِأَلْتِي تَلِيهَا وَأُولَٰئِكَ نَقَضُوا الْحُكْمَ وَأَجْرَهُنَّ الصَّلَاةُ» **“The knots of Islam will be undone one by one. Each time one knot is undone, the people will move to the next one (and adhere to that). The first knot to be undone will be ruling (i.e. the Khilafah) and the last one will be prayer (al-salaah)”** (Musnad Ahmad).

This is beyond any doubt that the secular puppet rulers of the Muslim lands are enemies of Islam and Muslims. Since the destruction of the Khilafah, these rulers have been colluding with our enemies to keep their hegemony alive. At this important juncture of time when the Crusader America is having the Saudi regime play a renewed role in the Middle East, she wants all the agent rulers of the South-Asian Muslims countries, especially Pakistan and Bangladesh, to strengthen the foothold of the criminal Saudi regime. So, we see total silence from rulers like Imran Khan and Sheikh Hasina against this outrageous decision of the Saudi regime. And, why would Hasina even condemn this decision when she herself does not care about people’s ‘ibadah? Like the Saudi rulers, she also instructed to follow the innovation (bid’ah) of distancing in prayers in the masjids. She even tried to prohibit people from going into mosques for Jumma and other congregational prayers which people have refused disdainfully. In fact, as they harbor intense hatred for Islam, they will not spare any opportunity to degrade it, let alone protecting it.

**O Muslims**, these secular puppet rulers are the only barriers between you and the return of the second Khilafah Rashidah (rightly guided Caliphate) on the method of Prophethood. Our beloved RasulAllah (saw) has warned us that with the dismantling of the Khilafah ruling system, our knots of Islam, including the Hajj, will also be undone one after another. And, today we are witnessing this very truth whilst we are being prohibited to say our prayers and visit the House of Allah (swt) and the blessed land of Madinah al-Munawwarah. So work hard with **Hizb ut Tahrir** to undo the conspiracy of the colonialist Kuffar and their agent rulers by bringing back the Islamic ruling, the Khilafah, which will ensure proper atmosphere to perform our individual ‘ibadah with complacent hearts.

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