

IHRC/IR/280123/9 28 January 2023

## **INCIDENT REPORT**

## HATE PREACHERS NOW TARGETING FOREIGN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS & POLITICIANS IN SOCIAL HATE CAMPAIGN

IHRC has taken notice deeply disturbing <u>video</u><sup>1</sup> circulating on social media made by a Pakistan based hate organisation Khatmae Nabuwat <u>www.khatmenabuwwat.com.pk</u>, in which not only Ahmadi Muslims, but all the human rights defenders, advocates and policticans, are the target of hate speech.

A wave of bigotry against Ahmadis has intensified since the start of this year. From vandalism of mosques to the brutal execution of elderly peaceful worshippers at a Mosque in Burkina Faso to Police in Pakistan forcing Ahmadis to demolish Minarets from their own Ahmadiyya Mosque.

If this was not enough, a wave of videos are circulating from the extremist declaring "jihad" (Holy war) against the already persecuted and ostracised peaceful Ahmadiyya Muslim Community. Calling upon Muslims to "cut the tongue" and "strike down the hand", whilst referring to whilst others also repeatedly all on the beheading of Qadyanis (a derogatory term for Ahmadis), whilst others also repeadtely call for the beheading of Qadyanis.

In 2016, hate preached in Pakistan was manifested when a hate preacher murdered an innocent Ahmadi Mulsim who fled persecution. This was the case in Glasgow when a religious fanatic approached and asked Ahmad (a shopkeeper) to raise slogans of a radical Islamic party. He repeatedly attacked Ahmad with a dagger and killed him for not chanting the slogans.

This is alarming because in the past in Pakistan the former Governor of Punjab Salman Taseer was assassinated by one of



Video Circulating by Khatmae Nabuwwat showing U.K. Deputy Prime Minister Nick Clegg as a supporter of Qadyanis (derogatory term for Ahmadis)

his bodyguards for supporting the human rights of the minorities in Pakistan. We have repeatedly seen how social media and hate preachers

٠

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Web link to a translated & subtitled version of the video: https://bit.ly/AntiAhmadi003

have successfully manipulated and indoctrinated religious fanatics to carry out attacks, when necessary.

As an immediate step, we urgently request all Government to review the safety of its present and former public office holders who support the human rights of the Ahmadi Muslims.

Human rights groups have repeatedly expressed their deep concern over the lack of attention to the serious human rights violations perpetrated against the Ahmadiyya community around the world and called on the international community to step up efforts in bringing an end to the ongoing persecution of Ahmadis.

We once again urge the international community to pressure the Government of Pakistan to honor its responsibility to provide protection to all its citizens, ensure freedom of religious practice to Ahmadis, and bring perpetrators of such vicious attacks to justice.

The Government of Pakistan must also bring its laws and practices in conformity with international standards as ordained by Article 2, 18 and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR) Article 25, 26.

On July 13, 2021, UN human rights experts expressed their deep concern over the lack of attention to the serious human rights violations perpetrated against the Ahmadiyya community around the world and called on the international community to step up efforts in bringing an end to the ongoing persecution of Ahmadis.

**END** 

## **ANNEXURE A:**

## English translation and transcript of the hate video:

"Who is the supporter of Qadianis?

The one who talks to Qadianis (pejorative for Ahmadis) in a flattering way is a supporter of Qadianis.

The one who shakes hands with Qadianis is a supporter of Qadanis.

The one who embraces Qadianis is a supporter of Qadanis.

The one who eats and drinks with Qadianis is a supporter of Qadanis.

A person to whose house Qadianis come at the time of happiness and sorrow, is a supporter of Qadanis.

The people who buy Qadiani products are supporters of Qadanis.

A person who gives education to Qadianis is a supporter of Qadanis.

A person who buys groceries from Qadianis' shop is a supporter of Qadanis."