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**From the Qur'an:**

"[All] praise is [due] to Allah, who has sent down upon His Servant [Muhammad (SAAW)] the Book and has not made therein any deviance."

"[He has made it] straight, to warn of severe punishment [or war] from Him and to give good tidings to the believers who do righteous deeds that they will have a good reward [i.e., Paradise]."

"In which they will remain forever"

"And to warn those who say, 'Allah has taken a son'."

"They have no knowledge of it, nor had their fathers. Grave is the word that comes out of their mouths; they speak not except a lie."

(Surah Al-Kahf: Verses 1 - 5)

**Selected Hadith:**

It is narrated on the authority of Abu Ayyub (RA) that a man came to the Prophet (SAAW) and said: Direct me to a deed which draws me near to Paradise and takes me away from the Fire (of Hell). Upon this he (the Holy Prophet SAAW) said: You worship Allah and never associate anything with Him, establish prayer, and pay Zakat, and do good to your kin. When he turned his back, the Messenger of Allah (SAAW) remarked: If he adheres to what he has been ordered to do, he would enter Paradise.

(Sahih Muslim)

All praise is due to Allah (SWT), and peace & blessing on his noble Messengers (AS), in particular, on the last of them all the blessed Prophet Muhammad (SAAW).

US President Joe Biden has called Pakistan to a virtual summit on democracy alongside more than 110 countries, excluding China and Russia. The US is not a reliable partner and Pakistan should be careful of close ties with USA.

In the aftermath of the US defeat and humiliation in Afghanistan, Washington's attitude toward Pakistan has hardened considerably. Not known for accepting any responsibility for its own follies resulting in failures the US always seeks scapegoats. Pakistan is a soft target. It need not be if Pakistani decision-makers develop some spine.

The noises emanating from Washington portend choppy waters ahead. US-Pakistan relations have never been smooth regardless of the spin put on by Islamabad or Washington. America has always had a transactional relationship with Pakistan. The moment Washington feels its interests have been served, Islamabad is ditched. There are many examples of this from Pakistan's 74-year history.

While it is good to tackle issues diplomatically, it would be disastrous to bury one's head in the sand based on false assumptions. It was almost a given that once US troops pull out of Afghanistan, Pakistan's utility would diminish. Far from appreciating Islamabad's efforts in convincing the Taliban to come to the negotiating table, it is being blamed for America's debacle.

The oft-repeated narrative has been that Pakistan supported the Afghan Taliban and provided them sanctuary on its soil. This implies that Pakistan is a superpower that was able, through its support of the Taliban, to defeat the US and its NATO allies in Afghanistan. The old canard of Pakistan's nuclear weapons falling into the hands of "jihadi extremists" has also been resurrected.

The current situation in the US is little better because of deep political divisions. There have been several instances in the past when supposedly sane and stable American presidents were on the verge of unleashing nuclear weapons on the world. America is the only country to have used nuclear weapons, not once but twice, on Japan. And in the US' first war on Iraq in January 1991, depleted uranium shells were used that caused massive radiation poisoning of civilians as well as poisoned Iraq's soil and water.

The recent US deal to supply nuclear-powered submarines to Australia contravenes the nuclear non-proliferation treaty. Washington also turns a blind eye to Israeli threats Palestinian Muslims and neighboring states. The Zionists have already bombed and destroyed Iraq and Syria's nuclear facilities. Such madness has no parallels.

Unable to explain their humiliating defeat in Afghanistan, US officials have started to lash out at Pakistan. On September 30 the Brookings Institution conjured up the "threat" of Pakistan's nuclear weapons falling into the hands of extremists. In a paper written by Marvin Kalb titled, "The agonizing problem of Pakistan's nukes", the Brookings Institution fellow wrote: "Bordering Afghanistan, now again under Taliban rule, is Pakistan, one of America's oddest 'allies.' Governed by a shaky coalition of ineffective politicians and trained military leaders trying desperately to contain the challenge of domestic terrorism, Pakistan may be the best definition yet of a highly combustible threat that, if left unchecked,

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might lead to the nightmare of nightmares: jihadis taking control of a nuclear weapons arsenal of something in the neighborhood of 200 warheads.”

An old Zionist hand, Kalb’s overriding concern, as that of all Zionists regardless of their political or other affiliations, is to protect the Zionist state of Israel. Since 911, the US has been pushed into multiple wars in the Middle East by pro-Israel lobby groups to ensure no power emerges to challenge Israel’s hegemony. It is widely believed that the Tel Aviv regime has between 200-400 nuclear weapons. Yet Pakistan is viewed as a “threat” primarily because it is the only Muslim country with nuclear weapons.

Kalb also reminds us that “since the shock of 9/11, Pakistan has come to represent such an exasperating problem that the US has reportedly developed a secret plan to arbitrarily seize control of Pakistan’s nuclear arsenal if a terrorist group in Pakistan seemed on the edge of capturing some or all of its nuclear warheads.”

Most informed observers believe that US anti-Pakistan posturing is meant to force Islamabad to allow US planes and drones to fly over its territory for “over-the-horizon” attacks on Afghanistan. There is no other route for the US to conduct such attacks. Should it again buckle under US pressure, it would be a disaster for Pakistan.

The US always uses a policy of hypocrisy. One the one hand the US blames Pakistan for its failures in Afghanistan, while on the other it is inviting Pakistan into a summit in which Taiwan has been called, but China and Russia have not. The bottom line is that US is not a reliable partner. The sooner decision-makers in Islamabad internalize this point, the better. Pakistan’s 74-year-long history is littered with American betrayals at the most crucial times.

Signing off...

Raza ul Haq (Editor)

## Main News Headlines 16 – 30 November 2021

- US President invites 110 countries including Pakistan and Taiwan to virtual democracy summit; China and Russia not invited
- Federal cabinet approves \$3bn Saudi loan
- Razing of Nasla Tower begins on SC orders; section 144 imposed to curb protests
- Pakistan condemns arrest of human rights activist Khurram Parvez in occupied Kashmir
- Pakistan successfully test-fires surface-to-surface ballistic missile 'Shaheen-1A'
- Pakistan approves Rs5b humanitarian assistance for Afghanistan
- Pakistan bans entry from six southern African countries, Hong Kong over Omicron fears
- Pakistan to meet five conditions for IMF loan revival; Pakistan, IMF reach agreement over release of nearly US\$1bn
- Alleged former CJP Saqib Nisar audio clip emerges
- Former ISI chief Lt-Gen Faiz Hameed takes over Peshawar Corps command
- Attorney-general hints at introducing more electoral reforms
- Govt bulldozes 33 bills in joint parliament sitting
- Deadly fifth wave of coronavirus (Omicron variant) surfaces in Europe, Africa
- Yemen war will have killed 377,000 by year’s end
- Mohan Bhagwat, chief of India’s Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh (RSS), calls for “undoing” the Partition. Pakistan condemns ‘irresponsible statement’
- Russian, Palestinian leaders meet in Sochi
- China launches hypersonic missile during flight of parent vehicle during last month’s tests
- Taliban ban women appearing in television dramas
- Iran, Russia, China dispatch aid for Afghans
- US, Australia, UK sign key naval nuclear information deal in nuclear sub alliance
- Afghanistan’s banking system may collapse within months
- \$15 bn Saudi Aramco deal with India’s Reliance cancelled
- Australia, UK move to ban Hamas as ‘terrorist organization’
- Israel continues 'extrajudicial killings' of Palestinians in Occupied territories; Construction of new settlement units in West Bank
- Doha talks to open 'new chapter' in US ties, say Afghan Taliban
- Russia increases military build-up at Ukraine border



## Press Releases issued by Tanzeem-e-Islami

**Date: 26 November 2021**

### Lahore (PR): “The ‘politics of scandals’ is a stigma on our society.”

This was said by the Ameer of Tanzeem-e-Islami, **Shujauddin Shaikh**, in a statement. The Ameer remarked that while the country is facing acute threats on the local and international fronts, our politicians are involved in slinging mud at each other instead of focusing on resolving the real issues at hand of the country. He lamented that it appears as if our politicians have totally forgotten the fundamental etiquette and rubric of politics and are occupied in petty politics of personal gains and vendettas. The Ameer remarked that such problems would never arise if all stakeholders rigorously followed the principle that they would operate and perform their duties within their respective spheres of responsibility and not transgress the authority conferred upon them by the constitution. He noted that such thorny situations appear because our state institutions trample the limits set forth for them by the state and the politicians unceremoniously invite these institutions to interfere in politics. Consequently, on the one hand the country is engulfed by political and economic uncertainty and instability, while on the other we become the laughing stock of the entire world. The Ameer emphasized that the essential reason for the widespread wrongs and prevalent ills is, in fact, that we have treaded off the *Sirat-e-Mustaqim* (The Right Path). The Ameer concluded by asserting that we can run the affairs of the state in a dignified and effective manner only if we implement the pristine principles of Islam in the political, economic and social realms.

**Date: 18 November 2021**

### Lahore (PR): “It is disgraceful and appalling that the Attorney General is using obstructionist tactics in the petition for eradication of riba in the Federal Shariat Court.”

This was said by the Ameer of Tanzeem-e-Islami, **Shujauddin Shaikh**, in a statement. The Ameer noted that the Federal Shariat Court (FSC) is entitled to query the Attorney General of Pakistan (AGP) regarding the apparent unwillingness of the government to legislate in accordance with the Islamic Shariah, after the AGP once again objected to the legal jurisdiction of the court in the petitions filed against the riba system. The Ameer remarked that it is the duty of the AGP to present arguments based on facts before the Federal Shariat Court instead of engaging in theatrics, and submit before the court details of the measures taken during the last 15 years for the abolition of riba as instructed. The Ameer said that the Federal Shariat Court in its landmark decision of 2001 had directed the parliament to devise a financial and economic system free from riba, and lamented that the assertion made by the AGP was nothing short of ludicrous that the Federal Shariat Court did not have the mandate to give such a direction to the parliament as done in the verdict of 2001. The fact of the matter is that all institutions and entities of the state, including the government, are obligated to abide by the constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan in letter and spirit, the Ameer said. The constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan not only orders the total abolition of riba but also categorically enunciates the principle that no legislation shall be done repugnant to the Qur’an and Sunnah. The government ought to realize that until we model and mould our economy according to Islamic edicts, we would not be able to ward off the stranglehold of the IMF on Pakistan. The Ameer concluded by empathizing that the truth is that we ought to immediately abolish riba and stop the war with Allah (SWT) and His (SWT) Messenger (SAAW), so that we could become eligible for the mercy and succor of Allah (SWT) and be successful in this world and in the Hereafter.

### “Nuremberg Principles”

#### Measure All Criminals by the Same Yardstick. When is the Next “Nuremberg Trial” Due? When is the Next "Nuremberg Trial" Due?

T Robert H. Jackson, US chief prosecutor in the Nuremberg trial of the main German war criminals in World War II said in his opening speech on 21 November 1945:

“...we must never forget that by the same standard by which we measure the accused today, we too will be measured by history tomorrow. To hand these defendants a poisoned cup is to bring it to our own lips.”

On 24 October 1946, in an oral report to the People’s Assembly, the Secretary-General of the United Nations proposed that the principles applied in the total of 13 Nuremberg trials be made a permanent part of international law.

On 29 July 1950, the International Law Commission (ILC) formulated its seven-article version of the Nuremberg Principles. They pointed the way for the new international criminal law:

- Any person who commits a crime under international law is criminally liable for it.
- Even if national law does not impose a penalty for a crime under international law, the perpetrator is liable to prosecution under international law.
- Heads of state and members of government are also responsible for the crimes they commit under international law.
- Acting on superior orders does not exempt one from responsibility under international law, provided the perpetrator could have acted differently.
- Everyone charged with a crime under international law is entitled to due process.
- The following crimes are punishable as crimes under international law: a) crimes against peace b) war crimes c) crimes against humanity.
- Complicity in the commission of the above crimes shall also constitute a crime under international law.”

#### When is the next “Nuremberg Trial”, to indict USA, NATO, Israel and India, due?