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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).

Beware! The latest wave of misplaced feminist influence is about to hit our country in the month of March – yet again. The modern feminist is a peculiar creature and her comrades are a strange sub-stratum of Millennial and Generation X women and men with an odd inferiority complex. They are obsessed with picking at the corpse of 'women's lib', trying to draw fresh blood, and are often seen lurking around, attempting to sniff out sexism in every nook and cranny. Theirs is an ideology based not on equality, equitability or even 'rights', but misplaced victimhood.

According to the standard third wave feminist, the most insidious issues facing women today are, 'manspreading', 'mansplaining', and 'micro-aggressions'. Terms cooked up to keep their follower feminists in business as they steadily run out of things to complain about. In short, the feminists are perpetually miserable, and seek to make other women as brutally unhappy as they are.

It has become amply evident by now to most rational humans that feminists 'enjoy' convenient double-standards. However, the very worst of these is, ironically, a strange form of misogyny, and is starkly revealed in their treatment of conservative and traditionalist Muslim women. In other words, feminists insist they want more female voices in the mainstream... as long as they agree with them. Worse still, they attempt to justify such despicable behavior by babbling, 'So, does the fact that we are feminists mean that we have to support all women?' The answer ought to be -YES – if a key point in the feminist's manifesto and whining-point is 'the push' to give all women a voice. But oddly enough, feminist engagements with conservative and traditionalist Muslim women never seem to move beyond personal attacks. Why? Because character assassination is the last bastion of the desperate when they are out of intellectual ammunition. It is one thing to mob and shout slogans (some of which would be X-rated in even the 'freest' Western nations), but an entirely different challenge to engage in any sort of intellectual debate embedded in reason. To be honest, feminists find it impossible to prove or assert that Islam looks down upon women and consequently, their claim that Muslim women are an oppressed class is patently absurd. In the harsh light of reality, feminists actually have no argument.

Let's now glance at some really interesting statistics, from the 'Land of the Free' – USA itself. According to the National Domestic Violence Hotline, six million American women experience a serious assault by a partner during an average 12-month period. On the average, more than six women are murdered by their husbands and boyfriends every day . . . that is more than 18,000 women battered to death since 9/11. The cases of violence against women, particularly domestic violence, increased in the US by a staggering 75% during Covid lockdowns (a trend mirrored in the entire West)... Some might say that is a shocking indictment on such a 'civilized society', but the reality is that one out of three women around the world, especially in the 'civilized West' has been beaten, coerced into sex or otherwise abused during her lifetime. Violence against women transcends religion, wealth, class, skin color and culture, yet the feminist points her finger at Islam and Muslims only. Such biased attitude is probably due to indoctrination, the demand of the paymaster, the urge to be in the limelight, or a combination of all.

The fact of the matter is that Western women are still treated as commodities, where sexual slavery is on the rise, disguised under marketing euphemisms, where women's' bodies are traded throughout the advertising world. As mentioned before, this is a society where rape, sexual assault, and violence on women is commonplace, a society where trust and equitability between men and women is an illusion, a society where a women's' power or influence is usually only related to her outwardly appearance. It was true in medieval Europe and true in the modern West of today. What a shame! However, what the feminist forgets is history... Before Islam came on the scene, women were treated as inferior beings.

We believe that this charade of feminists demonizing Islamic moral and social norms and values is part of a sinister plan and with all the Western think tanks working on various aspects of the lives of Muslims, their core beliefs and value sets, all in order to figure out new ways to wound Islam and the Muslim Ummah, it becomes extremely difficult to pick one and make an (Continued on Page 2)

### From the Qur'an:

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"Indeed, those who like that immorality should be spread [or publicized] among those who have believed will have a painful punishment in this world and the Hereafter. And Allah knows and you do not know."

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(Surah An-Nur: Verse 19)

Shujauddin Shaikh

Raza ul Hag

"O you who have believed, do not follow the footsteps of Satan. And whoever follows the footsteps of Satan - indeed, he enjoins immorality and wrongdoing. And if not for the favor of Allah upon you and His mercy, not one of you would have been pure, ever, but Allah purifies whom He wills, and Allah is Hearing and Knowing."

(Surah An-Nur: Verse 21)

### **Selected Hadith:**

Abu Hurairah (RA) said:

The Messenger of Allah (SAAW) said, "There are two types of people who will be punished in Hell and whom I have not seen: men having whips like the tails of cows and they will be beating people with them, and, women who will be dressed but appear to be naked, inviting to evil; and themselves will be inclined to it. Their heads will appear like the humps of the Bactrian camel inclined to one side. They will not enter Jannah and they will not smell fragrance which perceptible from such and such a distance."

(Sahih Muslim)

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in-depth analysis of the damage being done by it. We have, however, chosen a U.S. think tank named Pew Research Center (a.k.a. PEW) for our current discourse. It has to be noted that PEW is not an acronym. It takes its name from the Pew family, an American libertarian and pro-feminist clan that started its work in the 1940's as a "nonpartisan fact tank that informs the public about the issues, attitudes and trends shaping America and the world. It conducts public opinion polling, demographic research, media content analysis and other empirical social science research." There is more to the stated goals of PEW, however, as it provides analysis and strategic solutions to the West regarding the cultural and moral values of the Muslims in its reports and paves the way for the West to chalk-out plans in order to sabotage the social fabric of the Muslim Society, at its weakest. At present, that happens to be the unit of 'family' and the simultaneous indoctrination of ideals such as 'liberalism', 'secularism' and 'feminism' to try and break it apart.

The website of Pew Research Center and its affiliate institutes gives a clear picture of the agenda of this "non-partisan" fact tank. Almost all research and reports published or posted on the internet are related to the moral and cultural values of Muslims, with not a single research or report about the cultural norms of Christians, Jews or any other religious group.

Just take the example of a report published in 2014 by PEW entitled "The Birthplace of the Arab Spring: Values and Perceptions of Tunisians and A Comparative Assessment of Egyptian, Iraqi, Lebanese, Pakistani, Saudi, Tunisian, and Turkish Publics". The report is a partisan analysis and evaluation of the cultural norms and acceptances of 'the most appropriate dress code for women' as seen in the countries stated above. While most of the report consist of gibberish, the most important fact highlighted is that the publics of these countries see 'more progressive women' as the 'driving force for development and change'. The report ties this to the 'positive effects' of the so-called Arab Spring. The most astonishing factor of the report is the criterion upon which the sample size has been selected for the socalled poll (or research), where not more than 4000 persons are asked about their opinion on the issue in countries that have populations in hundreds of millions. In simple words, the selected 4000 person are considered to be 'representative' of the many hundreds of millions that live in these countries and the findings are presented as "accurate results"! This statistical dishonesty goes unnoticed because the name "PEW" is supposedly well respected and considered an authority on social research. We have provided a brief synopsis of the Pew research on this issue in order for our readers to understand the intellectual dishonesty been perpetrated by these 'think-tanks'. We also ask of our readers to reflect on the sheer nostalgia that these so-called non-partisan 'fact tanks' have against the dress code for women prescribed by Islam, simply by considering on the names assigned to each group in the 'research'. (Note: The report can be found on the website https://www.pewresearch.org/)

Coming back to the conservative and traditionalist Muslim women of Pakistan and the target being painted on the Islamic moral and social fabrics, yet again, in March; while the seed of engineering the Islamic values of our society to fit Western standards was sown decades ago, massive acceleration of this iNGO-led and secular/liberal sponsored 'feminist' agenda in our society is visible today more than ever before. The conservative and traditionalist Muslim women of Pakistan (who outnumber the 'feminists' by more than a million to one) are being targeted through decadence in culture and society promoted by the media, the shenanigans in educational institutions and purpose-specific-funded NGOs, with the handful of elitist 'feminist' women and men, who are privileged enough themselves, used as foot soldiers for this sinister cause.

Finally, the message, for all mankind, by the Creator (SWT) of the Heavens and Earth is simple and sufficiently clear:

"O mankind, eat from whatever is on earth [that is] lawful and good and do not follow the footsteps of Satan. Indeed, he is to you a clear enemy. He only orders you to evil and immorality and to say about Allah what you do not know." (Surah al-Baqarah, Verses 168-169)

and

"Indeed, those who like that immorality should be spread [or publicized] among those who have believed will have a painful punishment in this world and the Hereafter. And Allah knows and you do not know." (Surah an-Nur, Verse 19)

May Allah (SWT) give us the eyes and hearts to see through the deceptions of evil, reject the devious narratives of feminists on the basis of rational thought gifted divinely to us all, sincerely follow the commandments given by Him (SWT) and His Messenger (SAAW) and bless us all with the capacity to discern the Truth from falsehood.

Aameen!

Signing off... Raza ul Haq (Editor)

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## What You Should Really Know About Ukraine

Russia started a 'special operation' in Ukraine in the early hours on Thursday 24 February 2022, Moscow Time. Let's recap the events that lead up to this event.

The US and NATO created this crisis because they tossed aside the reasonable demands of the Russian Federation in two draft treaties submitted on December 21, 2021. One of the key demands was for a neutral Ukraine and a binding pledge that it would never join NATO.

For his part, Ukrainian President Zelensky dismissed the Minsk Protocols, which was the only formula to solve the impasse over the breakaway republics in Donetsk and Luhansk. The Minsk Protocols required the Ukrainian government to negotiate with the breakaway region concerning the restoration of its previous autonomy as well as language and cultural rights, prior to the Maidan coup in 2014.

In February 2014, a coup overthrew the Ukrainian government which came to power in an election certified by the OSCE (Organization for Security and Cooperation). The president, Viktor Yanukovich, was forced to flee for his life. This situation was presciently analyzed at the time by Seumas Milne who wrote, "The attempt to lever Kiev into the western camp by ousting an elected leader made conflict certain. It could be a threat to us all."

The coup was promoted by United States officials. Neo-conservatives such as Victoria Nuland and John McCain actively supported the protests. As confirmed in a secretly recorded phone call, Nuland determined the post-coup composition weeks in advance. Later, Nuland bragged they spent \$5 billion in this campaign over two decades. Before the coup was "midwifed", Nuland forcefully rejected a likely European compromise agreement which would have led to a compromise government. "F\*\*\* the EU!", she said. Nuland managed the coup but Vice President Biden was overall in charge. As Nuland says in the phone call, Biden would give the ultimate "atta boy" to the coup leaders. Subsequently, Joe Biden's son personally benefited from the coup. Victoria Nuland has even more power now as the Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs. Secret US forces such as the Central Intelligence Agency must also be involved.

The secession of Crimea, Donetsk and Luhansk are a direct result of the 2014 coup. In Crimea, a referendum vote was rapidly organized. With 83% turnout and 97% voting in favor, Crimeans decided to secede from Ukraine and re-unify with Russia.

In the provinces of Luhansk and Donetsk on the border with Russia, the majority of the population speaks Russian and had no hostility to Russia. The Kiev coup regime was hostile and enacting policies they vehemently disagreed with. In spring 2014, the Luhansk and Donetsk Peoples Republics declared their independence from the Kiev regime.

The Minsk Agreements of 2014 and 2015 were signed by Ukraine, Ukrainian rebels, Russia and other European authorities. They were designed to stop the bloodshed in eastern Ukraine and retain the territorial integrity of Ukraine while granting a measure of autonomy to Luhansk and Donetsk. These agreements were later rebuffed by the Kiev government and Washington. This left the Russian-speaking people of the Donbass alone to suffer the increasing military onslaught of a Ukrainian government, riddled with neo-Nazi parties, egged on by Western arms and money. This led to the decision by Russia on 21 February 2022 to recognize the Peoples Republics of Donetsk (DPR) and Luhansk (LPR).

All of the above are the festering sores of three decades of betrayal by the US and NATO of their pledges in the early 1990's to Gorbachev, the last Soviet president, that NATO wouldn't expand "one inch eastward" of a reunited Germany.

However, in the past thirty years, rather than dissolving itself (because it was set up to protect North Atlantic countries from the alleged danger of communism), NATO expanded 800 km. to the east, and admitted fourteen states which had been broken away from the former Soviet Union or were former members of the Warsaw Pact. Western military and naval forces were stationed in these new NATO member countries and NATO installed missile systems and held massive drills close to Russia's diminished borders. Clearly, the US plan was for its aggressive military alliance, NATO, to expand right up to all of Russia's border with a view to further dismembering Russia and consolidating US hegemony over the entire European continent.

Russia, in its desire to protect the people of the Donbass Region, decided to recognize their governments and to create a demilitarized zone in the rest of Ukraine.

The Russian 'military operation' in Ukraine ensued...

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### Press Releases issued by Tanzeem-e-Islami

## <u>Lahore (PR) 27 February 2022</u>: "It is our religious and national obligation to become an impenetrable wall to stem the onslaught of vulgarity and immodesty."

This was said by the Ameer of Tanzeem e Islami, **Shujauddin Shaikh**, in a statement. The Ameer said Allah (SWT) has given Muslims a formal social system in the Holy Qur'an, which is an integral part of our Deen, and the Islamic civilization remained erected on that foundation for almost fourteen centuries. Unfortunately, after the creation of Pakistan the Muslims of our country kept being affected by the Western civilization and it would not be a stretch to say that not only did they turn away from Islamic as well as Eastern social values, but they for the most part adopted the immodest Western social and civilizational values and norms. Islam is a Deen of fitrah. Allah (SWT) instituted the human race from one male and one female, clearly demarcating their respective roles and responsibilities. While there is no difference between men and women in terms of the characteristic of being human, however, each has been assigned a separate role. The Western civilization disintegrated that system and men and women started interfering in the designated roles of each other, leading to an unnatural pathway to the apportionment of rights and duties. The family system of the West has been demolished and now they have turned all attention and efforts towards trying their utmost to destroy the family system in Muslim countries using social engineering programs and other deceptive slogans in order to impose immodesty, immorality and vulgarity in Muslim societies. The Ameer said that the Qur'an identifies Muslims as the best among nations because Muslims perform the duty of enjoining good and forbidding evil. He concluded by emphasizing that it is, therefore, our religious and national obligation to become an impenetrable wall to stem the onslaught of vulgarity and immodesty.

### Lahore (PR) 26 February 2022: "Haya (modesty) and Iman (faith) are like hand in glove."

This was said by the Ameer of Tanzeem e Islami, **Shujauddin Shaikh**, in a statement. The Ameer said that our society cannot afford to mirror the Western civilization and be disloyal to the social system of Islam. Our country was founded on the basis of Islam and Islamic cultural and civilizational values must be encouraged here. Islam declares that Haya and Iman are synchronous, and it logically follows that if immodesty prevails, then real faith cannot exist. The malevolent forces and cohorts of Satan want us to go astray from the path to our real destination by trying their utmost to make us forsake Iman. He remarked that the Western NGOs and institutions are using evil ploys in our society in the name of so-called 'freedom' of women and if we fall into their trap then our society will be wrecked like that of the West and we would never be able to achieve the objectives and goals for which this country was created. Therefore, the Ameer concluded by stating, it is the solemn responsibility of our masses, rulers and, in particular, media owners to recognize that we would only be ruining ourselves in this world and in the Hereafter by propagating and becoming a part of the evil designs of our enemies.

Lahore (PR) 25 February 2022: "The social system of the Muslims is under attack from Dajjali forces today." This was said by the Ameer of Tanzeem-e-Islami, Shujauddin Shaikh, in his message while inaugurating the three-day "Haya Muhim" of Tanzeem-e-Islami. He noted that the Muslim countries have been trapped in following the political and economic systems of malevolent forces for a while now. Their social and cultural system, that had been relatively secure in the past, is now under direct assault from the Dajjali civilization. Unfortunately, the majority of Muslim women are aloof from the Shariah-based commandments of Satr-o-Hijab, while a majority of the Muslim men have forgone values such as honor and dignity. Ironically, by blindly following the hollow slogans of 'absolute freedom' we have not only compromised our basic beliefs but also become dishonored in the entire world. The Ameer asserted that it is imperative for us to become modest and virtuous ourselves and strive our utmost to ensure that women are given all the rights endowed upon them by Islam. We ought to make Nikah easy and simple, and strengthen our family system. We must mould Pakistan into a genuine Islamic state in order to provide a working model for the entire world. The Ameer concluded by praying that may Allah (SWT) give us the will and courage to develop a pure Islamic social system in Pakistan and to strive in order to enforce the edicts of Allah (SWT) and His messenger (SAAW). Aameen!

## <u>Lahore (PR) 24 February 2022</u>: "The US interference in the internal affairs of Ukraine provided Russia with a pretext for invasion."

This was said by the Ameer of Tanzeem-e-Islami, **Shujauddin Shaikh**, while commenting on the Russian invasion of Ukraine. The Ameer noted that the US has been instigating trouble in Ukraine and other Eastern European countries for a while as a part of its encirclement of Russia policy. The US intrigues continued despite vehement protest by Moscow against these intrusions by USA and Europe (EU and NATO). Under these circumstances, Russia considers military action in Ukraine as a right to defence against Western hostility. The Ameer remarked that by mentioning the presence of the Prime Minister of Pakistan in Moscow at the time of the Russian invasion of Ukraine during a White House press briefing, the US is trying to conjure a false pretense for action against Pakistan. While commenting on the emergency meeting of the UNSC called on the Ukraine crisis, the Ameer said that had the attitude of the Security Council been based on justice while dealing with world affairs, the world would never have been pushed to the brink of a catastrophe. The Ameer concluded by emphasizing that peace can only be ensured when justice prevails.

## <u>Lahore (PR) 22 February 2022</u>: "USA has revealed its malevolence designs by moving Israel to the Central Command (CENTCOM)."

This was said by the Ameer of Tanzeem-e-Islami, **Shujauddin Shaikh**, in a statement. The Ameer noted that the Quaid-e-Azam had declared Israel to be an illegitimate state. Moreover, in context of the unspeakable oppression and brutality being continuously perpetrated by the Zionist entity against Palestinians, Pakistan should have boycotted the 18-day IMX international maritime drills held under the auspices of USA, in which 60 countries participated, citing the inclusion of Israel in the exercises as the reason for withdrawing. The Ameer remarked that the Prime Minister of Pakistan is about to begin his official visit of Russia at a time when the dispute of USA and Europe with Russia is at its peak in the backdrop of the situation in Ukraine. He remarked that had Pakistan boycotted the CENTCOM military drills too, then the principled stance of Pakistan for not recognizing Israel and the country's position of leaving the US camp for good would have been candidly conveyed to the entire world. The Ameer concluded by asserting that owing to fundamental ideological divergence, Pakistan and Israel are natural enemies, therefore, association of any sort, ever between the two is utterly inconceivable