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Al Jama-ah condemns Israeli court room allowing zionists to carry out prayers inside Masjid Al Aqsa

The Al Jama-ah party strongly condemns an Israeli court ruling to allow the zionist occupiers of Palestine to carry out their “silent prayers” inside Masjid-al Aqsa. The Masjid al Aqsa is revered by all Muslims throughout the world as it was the first direction (qibla) which Muslims face when prostrating in prayers.

The Al Jama-ah party further criticises those Muslim candidate councillors of political parties who support Israel’s occupation of Palestine. These Muslim candidate councillors standing for the DA are harming the fight to end Israeli occupation of Palestine. They are also contributing towards the Israeli court ruling which now allows zionists to enter the Masjid al Aqsa to do their prayers.

Masjid ul Aqsa grounds are sacred and holds the footprints of many prophets revered in Islam. These grounds should not be tarnished in any way by these actions. This is a dubious act to eventually occupy the Masjid-al Aqsa too.

We remind Muslims and non-Muslims of the DA-ruled City of Cape Town’s attempts to silence the Muslim call to prayer, Athaan and the ringing of church bells. Those voting for the DA are in fact supporting such un-Godly actions.

AL Jama-ah calls on all its supporters and freedom-loving people to join the placard protest outside the South African parliament on Tuesday 19 October 2021 from 12:00pm – 2:00pm.

The party also welcomes the visit of Palestinian activist, Muna El-Kurd to South Africa. Muna, her brother Mohammed and their neighbourhood from Sheikh Jarrah in East Jerusalem have been involved in fighting against their imminent forced removal from their homes by Israeli settlers.

Muna will arrive at the Cape Town International airport on Wednesday 20 October 2021 at 2:00pm.

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