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“Allah has promised to those among you who believe and work righteous deeds, that of a certainty, He will cause them to accede to power on earth, as He granted it to those before them, that He will establish in authority their Deen which he has chosen for them, and that He will change (their state) after the fear in which they lived, to one of security and peace: They will worship Me (alone) and not ascribe powers to any beside Me” [TMQ 24: 55]



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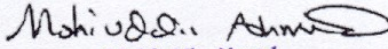
Hizb ut-Tahrir Bangladesh welcomes the decision by the court to release its members who were arrested for defending the honour of the Prophet (saw)

Today, 9 September 2007, six members of Hizb ut-Tahrir Bangladesh who were arrested for protesting against the cartoons of the Prophet (saw) were freed. Chief Coordinator and spokesman of Hizb ut-Tahrir Bangladesh, Mohiuddin Ahmed said, “We welcome the correct decision by CMM court to release our members who were participating in the protests against the insulting cartoons”. He also thanked the people who en masse sided with the party and showed dissatisfaction of the government regarding the arrests. He added that the government has realised the gross error in seizing the members. Ultimately, to save its face and in the wake of people’s resentment, the government had no choice but to back down from pursuing with these arrests.

Mohiuddin Ahmed further stated that the West hopes to make Muslims habituated to attacks on the Prophet (saw) as part of their malicious efforts against Islam. “Their evil colonialism, in whatever form, must be met with vigorous opposition. Hizb ut-Tahrir Bangladesh has boldly shown its commitment to lead this opposition and will continue to do so.”

Mohiuddin Ahmed ended by making the following demands on the Government of Bangladesh:

- Immediately releasing the remaining two Hizb ut-Tahrir Bangladesh members arrested
- Publicly condemning the cartoons and demanding an unconditional apology from the cartoonist, editor of Nerikes Allehanda and Swedish Government
- Cutting all diplomatic ties with Sweden and withdrawing the Bangladesh Embassy in Sweden


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