

A message from a federal minister of the present government

Islamabad; April 2020: Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan is PTI's Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs. He released a video statement on the issue of Ahmadis' participation in the Minorities Commission. As he elaborated amply on his and PTI's attitude towards religion and quoted Mr. Imran Khan specifically, we reproduce below its English translation, and add no comment.



Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan

(Preliminary Aooze, *Bismillah* and *Drud*)

"If you are loyal to Muhammad, we are yours,

What to speak of this world, even the pen and the tablet is yours.

Allah created this entire universe through the blessing of Muhammad (peace be on him) and for his sake. So long as we do not believe that the Holy Prophet (p.b.u.h.) is the last messenger and there will be no prophet after him, we simply cannot be a Muslim. One who does not believe the Holy Prophet (p.b.u.h.) to be the last prophet; the last messenger, is not at all a Muslim. This is the difference between us and Qadianis. Qadianiat basically is a great mischief (*fitna*) against Islam.

At all times, there were slaves of the Prophet (*Ghulam e Rasul*). Quaid-i-Azam, whose picture is visible in my background, not only created Pakistan, he defended in court the then slave of the Prophet, Ghazi Ilam Din, who dispatched Rajpal. There were slaves of the Prophet in all ages, and they shall be there in future too. Even these days, praise be to Allah, those who govern are slaves of the Prophet. Imran Khan himself is a slave of the Prophet. When he lands in Madina, he does that bare-footed. Whenever he makes a speech (sic) to us, he tells us to follow the Holy Prophet (p.b.u.h.), as his life is an ideal for us all. Now that it is being suggested to enlist Qadianis as member of some Commission, there is no such thing; no decision has been made in the cabinet. Imran Khan has rejected such a suggestion. He said that this was a sensitive issue and should not be raised; Qadianis can join a Commission only if they first accept being Non-Muslim, and thus endorse the Constitution of Pakistan. So long as they do not agree to the Constitution, and not accept their Non-Muslim status, there is no question of their being member of any Commission as a non-Muslim. This has been made clear by our Minister of Religious Affairs, Pir Noor ul Haq Qadri. So, rest contented; all such news are only rumors. They (Ahmadis) have not been nominated on any Commission, nor is it feasible. Our present government is there through the grace of the Holy Prophet (p.b.u.h.) and our

progeny, many such ministries and governments are sacrifice at the altar of the Holy Prophet (p.b.u.h.) and the End of Prophethood. If any such thing happens, we shall be the first to spurn political power. And we are the soldiers of End of Prophethood (*Khatme Nabuwwat*) and Honour of the Messengership (*Shan e Risalat*). An issue came up in the era of Mian Sb, Mian Nawaz Sharif; we reacted even then and stood firm. If such an issue is raised now, we'll remain firm, Inshallah.”

Notes: Khan also tweeted in vernacular on 30 April 2020, “We are Guards of the End of Prophethood; and are ready to offer any sacrifice for it. Inshallah.” @Ali-MuhammadPTI

A few days later, Minister A M Khan was quoted by the website of ucanews.com as below:

Pakistan minister calls for beheading of blasphemers

ucanews.com/news/pakistan-minister-calls-for-beheading-of-blasphemers/87880



Ali Muhammad Khan denied media reports that Ahmadis would be part of a new minorities council. (Photo supplied)