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Ahmadiyya Muslim Community USA Condemns Terrorist Attack in Turkey

Says terrorism is against Islamic teaching

The Ahmadiyya Muslim Community USA condemns the terrorist attack at Ataturk airport in Turkey. Reports allege that three suicide bombers attacked the airport and killed 41 people and injured over 200 people.

“This is an unspeakable tragedy,” said Dr. Nasim Rehmatullah, National Vice President of Ahmadiyya Muslim Community USA, “Many people were attacked during the holy month of Ramadan. There is nothing in Islam which allows for such violence.”

We pray for the speedy recovery of the victims and offer our deepest condolences to the families and friends of the victims.

About Ahmadiyya Muslim Community:

The Ahmadiyya Muslim Community is a dynamic, reformist and fast-growing international movement within Islam. Founded in 1889, the Community spans over 200 countries with membership exceeding tens of millions. Ahmadiyya Muslim Community USA, established in 1920, is among the oldest American-Muslim organizations.

The Ahmadiyya Muslim Community is the only Islamic organization to believe that the long-awaited messiah has come in the person of Mirza Ghulam Ahmad (1835-1908) of Qadian, India. Ahmad claimed to be the metaphorical second coming of Jesus of Nazareth and the divine guide, whose advent was foretold by the Prophet of Islam, Muhammad. The Community believes that God sent Ahmad, like Jesus, to end religious wars, condemn bloodshed and reinstitute morality, justice and peace. Ahmad's advent has brought about an unprecedented era of Islamic revival

and moderation. He divested Muslims of fanatical beliefs and practices by vigorously championing Islam's true and essential teachings.

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