## London Bridge Terrorist Attack Statement by Joseph Interfaith Foundation- National Council of Imams and Rabbis

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"We're sickened and appalled by the deadly terrorist attack last night on innocent people; yet again allegedly in the name of God and Islam, especially in the holy month of Ramadan.

Our thoughts and prayers are with the innocent victims, the dead and the injured, their families and friends.

We condemn and confront all such actions openly and utterly. Their damned ideology is neither for the sake of God nor religion but serves their idols of hatred, death and destruction.

These people will not divide us. We stand untied and resolute as Londoners, as people of faiths and none, and as proud British citizens and loudly declare: " NOT IN OUR NAME"."

Judge Khurshid Drabu CBE; Trustee Sir David Michels; Trustee

## The Joseph Interfaith Foundation's National Council of Imams and Rabbis

- Sheikh Khalifa Ezzat; Senior imam, Central mosque and Cultural Centre, London
- 2. Qari Muhammad Asim MBE Senior imam, Makkah mosque, Leeds
- 3. Sheikh Abdul Qayum, Senior imam, East London Mosque & London Muslim Centre
- 4. Imam Muhammad Ismail; Senior imam, Central mosque, Birmingham
- 5. Maulana Shahid Raza OBE; Senior imam, Leicester Central Mosque, The Muslim Law (Shariah) Council, UK
- 6. Mufti AK Barkatullah; Leyton Shari'ah Council, London
- 7. Imam Dr Ather Hussain; Senior imam, Nottingham mosque
- 8. Imam Abdullah Hasan; Senior imam, Island Muslim Centre, London
- 9. Dilowar Khan, Executive Director, East London mosque
- 10. Imam Asim Hafiz OBE: Islamic advisor to the Chiefs of Staff
- 11. Imam Abul Hussain; Deputy imam, East London Mosque & London Muslim Centre
- 12. Imam Hussain Ibrahim; Somali community, London
- 13. Dayan Binstock; Senior rabbi, St Johns Wood United Synagogue and member of London Bet Din
- 14. Rabbi Dr Harvey Belovski; Senior rabbi, Golders Green Synagogue
- 15. Rabbi Joseph Dweck; Senior rabbi, Spanish and Portuguese Community
- 16. Rabbi Jonathan Wittenberg; Senior rabbi, New North London Masorti synagogue and Masorti Movement
- 17. Rabbi Mark Goldsmith; Senior rabbi, Alyth Garden synagogue, London
- 18. Rabbi David Lister; Senior rabbi, Edgware United Synagogue
- 19. Rabbi Alexandra Wright; Senior rabbi, Liberal Jewish Synagogue, London

- 20. Rabbi Ian Morris; Senior rabbi, Sinai synagogue, Leeds
- 21. Rabbi Jason Kleiman; Senior rabbi, Leeds orthodox synagogue
- 22. Rabbi Colin Eimer, Senior rabbi, Sha'arei Tsedek North London Reform Synagogue
- 23. Rabbi Danny Rich; Chief Executive, Liberal Judaism UK
- 24. Rabbi Dr Margaret Jacobi, Senior rabbi, Birmingham progressive synagogue
- 25. Rabbi Daniel Smith, Senior rabbi, Edgware & District Reform Synagogue
- 26. Rabbi Reuven Silverman, Senior rabbi, Manchester Reform synagogue
- 27. Mehri Niknam MBE, Convener of the Council