

HRD+ Statement on today's terrorist attack in Baghlan province

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Human Rights Defenders Plus (HRD+) strongly condemns today's terrorist incident at Imam Zaman Mosque in Baghlan province. This attack, which targeted the defenseless worshippers of one of the Shiite mosques, is indicative of the terrorists' cruelty, brutality and intolerance towards religious differences.

Unfortunately, the lack of a legitimate, fair and serving government in the country has resulted in more victims of natural disasters and the failure to prevent terrorist disasters.

HRD+ calls upon the International Criminal Court to conduct a thorough and comprehensive investigation into today's incident and other incidents of this nature.

HRD+ understands the intensification of the war in the Middle East, but calls on the international community not to ignore Afghanistan and the violation of the dignity and human rights of the Afghan people, and to pay attention to proportionality and balance in addressing global problems and not to allow Afghanistan to once again become a safe haven for terrorists.

In solidarity with all victims,

Human Rights Defender Plus(HRD+)