

In the Name of God, Most Gracious, Most Merciful

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**The Secretary General of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation**

Insulting to the sacredness of religions, schools and sects is strongly deplorable and it is indeed against the paradigm of the “Dialogue among Civilizations” which is intended to bring people closer and save the horrified world from war, suppression, injustice and discrimination.

This barbaric act emanating from an ill-intention and prejudice turns into a means in the hand of warmongers and forces that seek their illegitimate interests in inciting hatred among nations and Divine religions.

If the evil action of that extremist to set blaze on the Holy Quran would not remain with impunity, today we would not witness the production of such a derogatory film supported by certain Zionist circles and some extremists against the sublime status of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH).

Today the sentiments of hundreds of million Muslims have been hurt by this reprehensible act, I request the Secretary General of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation to strongly condemn this action and take all necessary measures to make American government to decisively bring to justice those behind such a painful disaster

Seyed Mohammad Khatami  
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