



## **JKCHR – Jammu and Kashmir Council for Human Rights**

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**Excellency**

### **114<sup>th</sup> day of curfew in Kashmir valley**

The people of Indian occupied part of Jammu and Kashmir (Muslims in the Valley) remain under 114<sup>th</sup> day of curfew and face the ferocious brutality at the hands of an army which has been granted a conditional entry into the State and one which remains under three restraints placed on its number, behaviour and location by the United Nations in its Resolution of 21 April 1948.

Live ammunition in the form of prohibited Pellet Guns is used in violation of UN Code of Conduct for the law enforcing agencies in the use of fire arms. These forces are not law enforcing agencies as envisaged in UN Resolutions. They are an occupation force engaged in a war with the population unwilling to remain occupied. These forces disable, blind and kill the youth as a part of Indian plan to decimate the Muslim character of the State (Valley).

This is the unprecedented duration of a curfew ever faced by the people of Kashmir during the past 170 years of their struggle. The Hindu Ruler placed these Muslims under a curfew of 12 days from 14 September 1931 to 5 October 1931. Indian Hindu soldier has turned the abuse and death of a Kashmiri Muslim man and a woman into a sport. These forces kill the Muslim youth as part of their religious duty.

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We appreciate that OIC has expressed its concern on the situation in the Valley. India plans to humble the defenceless Muslims through the use of brute force and by denying them fresh air, food, medicine, outside contact and a quality of life. It would be unfortunate if we allow the people perish in this manner.

More and well considered work needs to be done on Humanitarian and Political Fronts. JKCHR which attended the Islamic Summit in December 1994 held in Casablanca, Kingdom of Morocco, respectfully urges your Excellency to revisit as early as possible item 10 (Appeal) of the OIC Resolution on Kashmir and find ways to provide 'humanitarian assistance to the Kashmiri people'.

Excellency, if America and Britain could take recourse to Humanitarian Intervention in Russia and Morocco in 1891 and 1909 to ensure the protection of Jews and Christians, OIC should have no hesitation in 2016 to live up to its duty to the Muslims of Kashmir against the inhumane and degrading treatment and killing at the hands of Indian Hindu soldiers.

OIC should seek UN and Red Cross co-operation to discharge its pledge made under item 10 of its Kashmir Resolution of December 1994. The situation merits your most urgent attention.

Excellency kindly rest assured of our best regards and highest considerations

**Yours Sincerely**



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