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ASEAN SOLIDARITY WITH KASHMIR DEMANDS FOR END TO INDIAN SUPPRESSION ON KASHMIR

We are urging all peace and justice loving people of Asean to raise their voices against the Government of India which recently ruled “Jammu & Kashmir Reorganization Order 2020”.

The aim of the order is to illegally allow non-Kashmiris to settle in Indian Occupied Jammu & Kashmir (IOJK) by changing domicile laws.

This step is a continuation of India’s illegal and unilateral actions since 5 August 2019 to change demography of Kashmir, to illegally annex Kashmir and change the internationally recognized disputed status of the territory.

These steps constitute violations of United Nations Security Council Resolutions, international law including 4th Geneva Convention, bilateral agreements and humanitarian norms.

The entire spectrum of political leadership of IOJK have out rightly rejected the new law as unacceptable which aims to rob Kashmiris of their identity and dilute their majority.

The new law should be condemned.

We vehemently object India’s continuing pursuit of repressive and violent laws against the rights of Kashmiris.

It is most outrageous amid the virulent Covid-19 pandemic, India has irresponsibly and inhumanly moved the law even after inflicting Jammu & Kashmir with a lockdown for more than 7 month.
To add more sufferings, India has incarcerated thousands of Kashmiri youth, leaders, human right activists, and journalists in crowded and unhygienic jails, at risk of Covid-19, in remote parts of India.

India has continued its severe restrictions on movement and communication in Kashmir. These restrictions are hampering provision of medical equipment and essential supplies, blocking access to healthcare.

What India is doing now has impeded containment and relief efforts against Covid-19. India’s actions are illegal actions and repressive.

We call:

1. The United Nations Secretary General, President of UNSC and UN to prevail on India from illegally altering Kashmir’s demography.

2. We demand India to release all prisoners, lift communication restrictions and allow the people of Kashmir access to healthcare.

3. We call the WHO to demand India access to health assistance to the people of the IOK Jammu Kashmir especially in the light of the Covid-19 pandemic.

4. We demand OIC to reiterate its position to call India to revoke its oppressive laws on the Kashmiris.

5. We call the Asean secretariate to raise its concern on the Kashmir issue in the context of human rights and inter-regional security and stability.

6. We demand that access be given to UN investigators to be conducted to determine human rights violations against the people of Kashmir

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