



## **Taliban Communiqué re: Musa Kala December 15, 2007**

### **Statement from the Taliban on Musa Kala Released: December 15, 2007**



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"How many weeks will invaders be able to keep Musa Kala district?"

There is no doubt that a few provinces, wide areas, districts, centers and facilities of government are under the domination of the Taliban and the puppet army cannot come out from their posts in broad day light. In many districts, the Taliban have created their justice departments, Islamic roles and civilians solve their crisis through Islamic Sharia.

Now we want to go to the main topic: one year ago a truce was signed between the Mujahedeen and invaders before Musa Kala district tribal leaders and scholars for making a civil authority and in banning both engaged sides from entering Musa Kala district. But after a period of time invaders broke the truce and started interfering, increasing army activities, searching the homes and bombing banned areas in Musa Kala district. In reaction, the Mujahedeen seized Musa Kala in a few hours from invaders and puppets.

When Mujahedeen seized Musa Kala, invaders withdrew their forces using civilians and Holy Quran as shields before Mujahedeen attack against them. Since last year, Musa Kala was a safe and relaxing place for both Mujahedeen and the Musa Kala public, peace was stabilized, there were no robberies, kidnappings and cruelty against each other the entire year. A few weeks ago the Pajhwak news agency conducted a survey in Musa Kala and said that Musa Kala civilians 100% agree and are happy with the role of the Taliban. The orchestra of peace obliged invaders, especially British soldiers, to attack Musa Kala again. To attack Musa Kala, British soldiers called the British commander in chief, the defense minister and even the Prime Minister, despite the presence of 8000 British soldiers, and 1000 Generals and commanders in Afghanistan.

When British Prime Minister (Gordon Brown) arrived in Kabul, he said that recapturing Musa Kala was their great achievement and chance for soldiers to be brave in action against the enemy. In response to Brown and the puppet administration's expressions, one proverb of an Afghan is enough for you: once upon a time one Afghan went to Pakistan's province of Punjab. There he was disturbed by the sun's heat, then looked at the sun and said I know your faith and heat in Ghazni province of Afghanistan. Now we ask Brown and the puppet administration to look back to their reconstruction work and then they should promise civilians to reconstruct Musa Kala utilizing millions of dollars."

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