



## Islamic Jihad Union: Eric Breininger Statement

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*[In 2007, Eric Breininger, a German convert to Islam, traveled to Pakistan and joined the Islamic Jihad Union (IJU). Recently, German officials warned that Breininger and his German associate Houssain al-Malla had left the Afghanistan-Pakistan area and might be headed for Western Europe. In this new video statement, Breininger explains in German that he is still in Afghanistan and is not planning attacks in Germany. In an interview published on the NEFA site in June 2008, Breininger warned that "Germany—along with every other nation taking part in the occupation [of Afghanistan]—should expect attacks by Muslims." For more on the Islamic Jihad Union, see the October 2008 Special Report authored by NEFA Director of Analysis and Research Ron Sandee: <http://www.nefafoundation.org/miscellaneous/FeaturedDocs/nefaijuoct08.pdf>]*

"In the name of Allah the Merciful, the German press reported that I am on the way to Germany to execute an attack."

"They report that I and two others are on our way to Germany carrying false Passports to execute an attack for the Islamic Jihad Union."

"It is even reported that I am right now in the Balkans. This is reported by foreign intelligence services and confirmed by the Federal Criminal Police Office (BKA) and created lots of unrest in Germany. The Federal Criminal Police office even opened a phone line you should call if you see me in Germany."



*Eric Breininger (center)*

"Also, it is clear from the reports that the Germans now are guarding the borders more tightly. The German press obviously used my name and the Islamic Jihad Union in order to spread unrest. Among others, at the Cologne-Bonn airport a Special Operations Command arrested two so called Terror suspects. The two were in contact through a facilitator in Bonn and ... what is not true as I have no contact with Bonn to a so called facilitator and I don't know the two who were arrested at the Cologne-Bonn airport. The truth is quite different. I am in Afghanistan and I personally plan no attack on the Federal Republic of Germany."

“If one pursues the reports in the German press one quickly recognizes that the German people are being blinded by the Politicians. The Germans try to picture the situation in a way that it looks like Germany is the target of Islamists, and now they have to proceed more vigorously.”

“But the danger comes from the Germans themselves as they have their troops stationed in Afghanistan and Uzbekistan. As long as this is the case, Germany has to reckon with attacks. If you withdraw your soldiers from this war which the Americans have begun cautiously, then the Germans will not be targets of the Islamists.”

“The Germans state among others that the Afghanistan war was necessary because under the Taliban there were no Human Rights and they want to liberate the Afghan people and bring them democracy. But the Germans themselves acknowledge that in the Uzbekistan there are no Human Rights either. In Uzbekistan this is not a problem in the relationship between the two countries. This is probably because in Uzbekistan the fight against Muslims is full swing and thus represents the oppression in this country and the challenge no problem there.”

“Also the war in Palestine seems not to be a problem for the Germans. Also there, people are being suppressed; tortured and murdered all of this seems to be no problem as long as the suppressed are Muslims. Why do the Americans, British, Germans and other occupying powers in Afghanistan not wage war against these regimes when it comes to Human Rights? In Palestine thousands of people die including young children, women and many innocent people.”

“We will wage war against these occupying powers until we conquer back our countries, and when Allah’s (PBOH) law will reign and we free our brothers and sisters of these oppressors. We therefore declare war upon every country that is fighting on the side of America against Muslims.”

“Also the German people must take on their own government if they want to be spared of attacks by Muslims. But the Germans are blinded by the press, the people seem to ask for even more soldiers and secret services and hence strengthen the risk of attacks on German soil.”