



Turkestan Islamic Party Statement on Alleged False Website April 12, 2010

Turkestan Islamic Party: “Statement Responding to the Internet Website...Launched in the Name of the Turkestan Islamic Party” Originally Released: April 12, 2010



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“In the name of Allah the Most Merciful the Most Compassionate.”

“Praise Allah and prayer and peace upon the messenger of Allah, and thereafter.”

“My Muslims brothers around the world:”

“Peace be upon you and Allah’s mercy and blessings.”

“The Turkestan Islamic Party has used a number of media outlets to publish its thoughts, approach and goal in the world. And with the emergence of the importance of the spider-web network [the internet] and its speed in spreading information, the party established its special website on the internet. This website is used to publish the party’s doctrine and approach, and for encouragement to wage jihad and martyrdom for the cause of Allah, and the rest of the meanings that have been absent from the minds of our oppressed people.”

“And thanks to Allah, we have achieved much of what we hoped and wanted. And since Kufr is [considered] one sect, not only China oppressed us but also America (the mother of democracy) worked on fighting us and shutting down our website and listing us on the terrorism list, which poured over us the mission of bringing back the website on the internet. Allah refuses not to support his allies in spite of America’s arrogance and its maneuvers; as Allah willed for our brothers on the Jihadist forums to publish the thoughts and statements of Sawt al-Islam Center which belongs to us, and we ask from Allah to protect those underground pious ones.”

“And in this occasion for want to remind you the following:”

“Recently, a private website was launched in the name of the Turkestan Islamic Party on the internet (www.tipislam.net) and we inform you that it has no connection or relation with us. It is a lying, falsifying and stealing the name of the party, despite the fact that the material on the website was previously published by the group [TIP].”

“We warn all the internet surfers not to enter this website, and to contact the people on it via email. We are not responsible for any harm that hits whomever surfs through this website.”

“And we inform you my dear brothers that currently there isn’t a private website for the Turkestan Islamic Party on the internet. If we are able to establish the website again we will announce to everyone regarding that in a special statement by our media center ‘Sawt al-Islam’.”

“And finally, we call all of you to not trust any production that does not hold the signature of the party, and to be of assistance to us in the truth. This group [TIP] that seeks to liberate Turkestan and establish the state of the Caliphate in the world is your group, and all the Muslims must defend it and assist it.”

“O’ Allah destroy the malice of the aggressive Chinese and the invasive Americans who plot to humiliate and suppress East Turkestan.”