



National Association of
Muslim Police

Muslims Making a Positive Difference to Policing

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National Association of Muslim Police statement in relation to the ongoing conflict between Israel and Palestine

The National Association of Muslim Police (NAMP) is deeply saddened about the ongoing conflict between Israel and Palestine. Our thoughts and prayers are with all those affected.

There has been a significant impact on the Muslim community, including our dedicated Muslim officers and staff within the police service, some of whom have family and friends within the region. We stand in solidarity with all communities affected by this crisis and recognise the importance of supporting our Muslim colleagues who may be personally impacted.

The emotional toll and stress associated with such conflicts can be significant, and we are committed to providing a supportive and inclusive environment for our Muslim officers and staff. We encourage open dialogue and offer resources to address any concerns or challenges they may face during this difficult period.

Additionally, NAMP remains committed to our ongoing welfare work, ensuring that Muslims within policing have the necessary support and resources to carry out their duties effectively. We will continue to engage with relevant authorities and partners to promote understanding and inclusivity within the police service.

In light of recent events, we are acutely aware of the concerning rise in Islamophobia that has occurred in parts of the UK. NAMP is committed to supporting our members across all police forces who may be affected by this increase in anti-Muslim hatred. Our priority is to provide a safe and inclusive environment for our Muslim colleagues, offering guidance, resources, and a platform for open discussions. We firmly believe in the importance of fostering understanding and unity, and we stand firmly against all forms of discrimination and prejudice.

Our Muslim associations are working with police forces to provide guidance and support, both locally and nationally.

The National Association of Muslim Police will continue to work together with other support networks and the wider police service to combat Anti-Muslim hatred and discrimination and to create an inclusive environment for all.