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Sindh Human Rights Commission Condemns Unprovoked Aggression; Expresses Solidarity with Families of Martyred PAF Officer and Civilian Victims, Including Children

The Sindh Human Rights Commission (SHRC) expresses its strongest condemnation of the recent unprovoked Indian aggression that led to the martyrdom of Squadron Leader Usman Yousaf of the Pakistan Air Force and resulted in the tragic loss of innocent civilian lives in Pakistan including 7 children namely: Hawa Bibi, Urooj Zubair, Muhammad bin Zubair, Awaim Zubair, Umar Musa, and Raza.

India's act of cross-border hostility is not only a violation of Pakistan's sovereignty but also a grave infringement of international humanitarian and human rights law by India. The targeting and harm of civilians constitute a serious breach of the Geneva Conventions 1949 and reflect a disregard for human dignity and the sanctity of life.

Squadron Leader Usman Yousaf embraced shahadat while bravely defending the nation. His sacrifice, along with the suffering of affected civilians, highlights the human cost of such reckless Indian aggression. SHRC stands in solemn solidarity with the families of the victims and the injured, and offers its deepest condolences.

The Commission calls upon international human rights organizations, the United Nations, and regional bodies to take immediate cognizance of this incident, investigate the violations, and hold those responsible to account. The protection of civilian life must remain paramount, regardless of political or military conflict.

The SHRC reiterates its unwavering commitment to defending human rights, promoting peace, and standing against all forms of violence and unlawful aggression.

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