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Secretary General
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Your Excellency

RE: Sikhs in Kabul, Afghanistan

I would like to draw your urgent attention to the plight of approximately 600 Sikhs and Hindus living in Afghanistan. A recent attack on the Gurdwara Har Rai Sahib resulted in the brutal massacre of 25 Sikhs by ISIS. Remaining Sikhs have been told, 'leave within 10 days or you will be killed.'

Please guide us as to how we can help this small terrified community leave the country. Escape to Pakistan would still leave them vulnerable to terrorist attack, and India is reluctant in giving them refugee status. Can you or any of your officers help these Sikhs to get a refugee status in Canada or any of the other European countries?

I Look forward to your advice and assistance in finding safe refuge for this vulnerable minority.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'I. Singh'.

Indarjit
Lord Singh of Wimbledon