Memorandum of Demands To address the menace of Terrorism emanating from Pakistan

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From: Global coalition of concerned citizens led by Indian American Community

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Introduction:

Indian American community, and the world at large, is outraged by the dastardly attack on CRPF personnel in Pulwama district of Jammu and Kashmir in India, killing 44 brave soldiers. Jaish-e-Mohammad (JeM), the Pakistan based terrorist outfit, banned by the world bodies, including United Nations, has accepted responsibility for this heinous crimes.

It is well knows that terror groups supported by the state of Pakistan have been involved in numerous attacks on many member countries of United Nations:

Date	Terror incident	Lives Lost[KM1]
February 14, 2019	Pulwama Attack, Kashmir, India	44
May 31, 2017	Kabul Attack near German Embassy, Afghanistan	150
September 18, 2016	Attack on Army base, Uri. Kashmir India	19
November 26, 2008	Mumbai Attack, India	174
July 11, 2006	Serial Train blasts, Mumbai, India	209

July 7, 2005	London Underground Attack, UK	52
September 11, 2001	9/11 Attack, New York, USA	2996

In addition to above partial list, this wikipedia page provides detailed account of terror attacks perpetrated by Pakistani groups and complicity of the Pakistani establishments -

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pakistan and state-sponsored terrorism

For decades Pakistan has been a safe haven for global terrorists such as Osama Bin Laden, Khalid Sheikh Mohammed, Mustapha Abu al-Yazid, Masood Azhar, Rashid Rauf, Hafiz Saeed, Jalaluddin Haqqani. These terrorists were trained, nurtured and protected by Pakistan military to create havoc in many countries, including US, UK, Germany, France, Afghanistan, Egypt, Iran, India and several other countries.

Pakistan has created and nurtured many terrorist groups including Al-Qaeda, Lashkar-e-Taiba, Jaish-e-Mohammed, Haqqani network, Taliban, Lashkar-e-Omar. Many of these groups are designated by UN as Terrorist Groups. Large number of extremist madrasas schools funded by Saudis operate in Pakistan which have become a breeding ground for terrorists.

It is time the world speak in unison for Pakistani establishment continued support to terrorists in not only providing safe haven but through its personnel provide resources and training to achieve its goals. Several countries of the world paid heavy price both to double sided policy of Pakistani establishment in its support to curtailing terrorist activities to get financial aid while at the same stoking it, even sponsoring it with active support. Billions of dollars of aid to Pakistan (18 billion since 2001 by US alone) has done little to curb the terror outfits in Pakistan. Also their recent reckless use of F-16 against India is in clear violation of International trade rules.

While Pakistan establishment is enriching itself, Pakistan people are also paying enormous price to the policies of supporting terrorists. With more and more

sophisticated means of killing and indoctrination, unless we held those responsible to supporting these acts, we as humanity will suffer.

During the past 3 decades, successive Indian governments and the civil society have continuously attempted to develop friendly relations with Pakistan. But all such efforts have been responded with more terror attacks. Over 40,000 Indian citizens have lost their lives in terror attacks, most of which emanated from Pakistan.

Today Pakistan is the epicenter of global terrorism. It continues to be in the Terror Financing watchdog Financial Action Task Force (FATF) grey list.

Your Excellency, we thank you for your stern message in an interview on Oct 3, 2018 that "no political reason…no cause, no grievance" justifies terrorism. However, despite your clear message, the menace terrorism continues to emanate from Pakistan. In fact, Pakistan has made Terrorism as state policy instrument to achieve its sinister goals in India, Afghanistan and other countries.

Our Earnest Demands:

Global terrorism is a threat to the humanity and it should be completely eliminated. The United Nations has powers to deal with this global menace to ensure world peace and prosperity. We thus request the United Nations to take following steps:

- 1. Declare Masood Azhar as a global terrorist.
- 2. Freeze financial assets of Pakistan based terror groups and its political, intelligence and military leaders.
- 3. Impose travel ban on Pakistan's political, intelligence and military leaders.
- 4. Impose ban on arms sales to Pakistan.