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Dechert Condemns Attacks on Lahore Ahmadiya Community

Mississauga, Ontario – Bob Dechert, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Justice and Member of Parliament for Mississauga-Erindale joins PM Harper in condemning the attacks on two Ahmadi mosques in Lahore, Pakistan, that have killed and injured at least 80 people.

“I strongly condemn the attacks on the Ahmadiya community in Lahore. I offer my condolences to the families and friends of the victims of these attacks.

To attack worshipers in a prayer hall is a cowardly and reprehensible act and I hope the perpetrators are brought to justice. Mississauga is home to thousands of Canadians of Pakistani Heritage and the Ahmadiyyan Muslim Faith. It is important to know that the Government of Canada continues to engage with the Government of Pakistan to promote freedom, democracy, the rule of law, freedom of religion and human rights.”

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