



## PRESS RELEASE

### Deadly attacks at two mosques in New Zealand

**Diversity and human dignity seriously affected!**

**Paris, March 16, 2019 - International NGO AISA vigorously condemns the massacre that has cost the lives of many innocent victims at two prayer centres in New Zealand. The violence and barbarity of these acts, dictated by an ideology based on hatred and rejection of others, have to be firmly and publicly denounced and opposed by all those who believe in the unity of the human family and living together in peace.**

We join all those across the world, who have expressed their deepest condolences and support to the families and loved ones of the victims. Also to the entire population of New Zealand and in particular the Muslim community.

This bloody attack demonstrates – once again - the urgent necessity to educate a true Culture of Peace learning how to live and work better together, desiring to recognize ourselves in the circle of the human family, in synergy with each other and not in opposition to each other.

We appeal to all citizens of the world without distinction of culture, religion or colour to defend, by peaceful means, human values, abolish violence and hatred in order to promote peace between individuals, groups and nations.

Despite the proliferation of violence and terrorism in all its forms, our desire for peace has never been stronger and our hope as great.

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