



#### Public Statement from the Chair

Many of you will be aware of the tragedy of the terrorist attack in Pulawama, Kashmir leading to the death of over 40 Indian Soldiers. As faith leaders, we condemn acts of violence and terrorism like this that aim to divide the unity between different ethnic and faith groups.

The attack has caused pain and suffering to loved ones and many have been affected by it. Equally, there is tension among communities who are fearful of reprisals from people who are exploiting this tragedy to sow further division and hatred.

Our thoughts and prayers are with the victims and loved ones of those affected by this tragedy and pray that people stay united and promote the common universal values of peace, love and compassion and live as one human family.

Members of the local Hindu Community have organised prayers to remember the victims and loved ones. Please find details of the event being held at the Shree Sanatan Mandir tomorrow.

The Hindu Community of Leicester are deeply saddened by the news of the soldiers who lost their lives in the militant attack in Kashmir on 14th February 2019.

Prayers and Bhajan will take place on Monday 18 February 6pm at Shree Sanatan Mandir Leicester. Join us in extending our prayers and support the families and all those affected by this tragic event.

From Shree Sanatan Mandir, Catherine Street, Leicester

Please show your solidarity by attending if you are able to. Thank you.

Fayyaz Suleman  
Chairman