

## 'Attacks Against the Crusaders and Apostates in Mogadishu and Beledweyne'

**21 Sha'ban 1443H (24 March 2022)** – On Wednesday 23 March 2022, corresponding to 20 Sha'ban 1443H, elite units from Harakat Al-Shabaab Al Mujahideen's Martyrdom Brigade stormed the Halane Military Complex in Mogadishu, killing and injuring dozens of invading crusaders. After passing through multiple security checkpoints leading up to the complex, the Mujahideen successfully raided the crusader military base and engaged the disbelievers in a fierce firefight that lasted for hours.

By the grace of Allaah, the audacious military operation went according to plan and resulted in the deaths of four senior western officials and 13 African crusaders. The blessed attack also resulted in the injury of 15 other African crusaders and the loss of property, as the Mujahideen set parts of the complex ablaze. The heavily fortified Halane Military Complex is the largest foreign military base in Somalia and houses:

- Western embassies, including the US, British and Italian
- The headquarters of several spy agencies, including the CIA, MI6 and MOSSAD
- The largest underground prison in Somalia which is run and administered by the CIA
- U.N. offices and other western agencies
- The African Crusaders (AMISOM) command base
- U.S. command and control centre for CIA surveillance and drone operations in Somalia

It is in this regard that Harakat Al-Shabaab Al Mujahideen, acting in accordance with the commandment of Allaah to expel the disbelievers from Muslim lands, carried out this blessed operation and vows to continue its military operations until they liberate Somalia from the grips of the crusaders and thwart their imperialistic agendas. Allaah, the Exalted, says:

***"And fight in the Way of Allaah those who fight you, but transgress not the limits. Truly, Allaah likes not the transgressors."*** [Al-Baqarah, 190]

In addition to the blessed raid on Halane Military Complex in Mogadishu, the Mujahideen also carried out two successive attacks on the Lama-Galay apostate base in the city of Beledweyn, Hiiraan region, killing at least 47 apostates and injuring more than 90 others, amongst them senior government officials, election candidates, high ranking army commanders and apostate soldiers. The attack took place while apostate officials were selecting members of the parliament whose objective is to promote the disbelieving western values of democracy in this Muslim land, spread immorality and legislate laws in contradiction to the Shari'ah of Allaah.

The Mujahideen will – by the permission of Allah – penetrate even the most secure institutions and military bases in order to repel the western crusade against Islam and defend this Muslim land and its Muslim population from all enemies, domestic and foreign. Nothing will ever deter the

Mujahideen from carrying out the commands of Allaah and pursuing their inalienable right to defend their religion, land, people and honour from aggression.

There will never be a safe haven for western crusaders, African invaders and apostate traitors in the Muslim land of Somalia, by the permission of Allah, and no amount of protection, barricades or fortifications can protect them against the Mujahideen's attack or deter the forces of Tawheed from achieving their goals.

The objective of Harakat Al-Shabaab Al Mujahideen (HSM) is to safeguard the welfare of the Muslim Ummah, fully implement the Shari'ah of Allaah and liberate all Muslims lands from the disbelievers and their sinister agendas. The Mujahideen will continue to escalate their attacks against the international coalition of crusaders and their apostate allies until they liberate the Muslim land of Somalia from the transgression of the invading disbelievers, and until all the religion is for Allaah alone. Allaah, the Almighty, said in His Holy Qur'an:

***“And fight them until there is no more Fitnah and the religion is for Allaah (Alone). But if they cease, let there be no transgression except against the wrong-doers.”*** [Al-Baqarah, 193]



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***“But honour belongs to Allah and His Messenger, and to the Believers; but the Hypocrites know not”***