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## MEMORIAL MEETING FOR MR. LIAQUAT ALI KHAN

### MR. CHURCHILL'S TRIBUTE

The King was represented at the memorial meeting for Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan at Caxton Hall, Westminster, yesterday. The Prime Minister was represented by General Lord Ismay, Secretary of State for Commonwealth Relations, and a large gathering included many members of the Diplomatic Corps and Commonwealth representatives.

The meeting opened with a reading of a passage from the Koran and its translation into English by the Imam of the Woking Mosque, Dr. Abdullah. Tributes were paid to Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan by the High Commissioners for Pakistan and India, the Egyptian Ambassador, Mr. C. R. Attlee, O.M., M.P., Lord Ismay, and Mr. P. C. Gordon-Walker, M.P.

Lord Ismay read a message from the Prime Minister, who said that during the four years that Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan was Prime Minister of Pakistan "he earned the respect and affection of all those with whom he came in contact, not only in his own country, not only in the Commonwealth which he did so much to serve, but also in the whole world."

"On this sad occasion we wish to extend our sympathy to all his compatriots on the death of a great and revered leader. To those who have been called by his death to fill new and high offices in the Government of his country we send assurances that we shall work with them in the future no less closely and cordially."

Among others present were:—

The Marquess of Reading, Vice-Admiral Earl Mountbatten of Burma and Countess Mountbatten, Countess Wavell, the Earl of Norbury, the Earl of Inchcape, the Earl and Countess of Lucan, Lord and Lady Leathers, Lord Rotherwick, Lord and Lady Strabolgi, Lord and Lady Glendyne, Lord and Lady Sempill, Lord Petrick-Lawrence, Lord and Lady Silkin, Lord and Lady Douglas of Barloch, Lord and Lady Nathan, Lord and Lady Clydesmuir, the Hon. Greville and Mrs. Howard, Lady Elizabeth Lumley, Major Rhyddian and Lady Honor Llewellyn.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer and Mrs. Butler, Mr. A. T. Lennox-Boyd, M.P., Mr. Clement Davies, M.P., and Mrs. Davies, Mr. Herbert Morrison, M.P., Mr. P. J. Noel-Baker, M.P., and Mrs. Noel-Baker, Field-Marshal Sir William and Lady Slim, Sir Norman and Lady Brook, Sir Percival and Lady Liesching, Sir Laurence and Lady Grafton-Smith, Sir Harold and Lady Scott, Lady Raisman, General Sir Geoffrey and Lady Scoones.

Rear-Admiral Sir Arthur Bromley, Admiral Sir Martin Dunbar-Nasmith, V.C., and Lady Dunbar-Nasmith, Sir Arthur and Lady Bruce, Sir Eric Miéville, Sir Robert Hutchings, Sir John Woodhead, Sir Lancelot and Lady Graham, Sir John and Lady Beaumont, Sir Herbert and Lady Howard, Sir Harry and Lady Railing, Sir Thomas and Lady Eades, Sir Harold Shoberg, Sir Frank Brown, Admiral Sir Arthur and Lady Palliser, Sir Harry Brittain, Major-General Sir Dashwood and Lady Strettell, Sir Arthur Lothian, Lady Hartog, Sir Terence and Lady Shone, Sir Francis and Lady Wylie, Sir Ambrose and Lady Dundas, Sir Cyril and Lady Jones, Sir Charles and Lady Cunningham.

The Mayor of Westminster, the Mayor and Mayoress of Chelsea, Major-General Guy Salisbury-Jones, Mr. John Boyd-Carpenter, M.P., and Mrs. Boyd-Carpenter, Mr. J. G. Foster, K.C., M.P., Brigadier A. R. W. Low, M.P., and Mrs. Low, Mr. L. D. Gammans, M.P., and Mrs. Gammans, Commander Allan Noble, M.P., Mrs. P. C. Gordon-Walker, Professor J. N. Mavrogordato (Exeter College, Oxford), Major-General A. Whiteside, Mr. H. Bolitho, Lieutenant-General H. G. Martin, Air Vice-Marshal and Mrs. Perry-Keene, Mr. and the Hon. Mrs. Leslie Gamage, Mr. Ikramullah, Air Vice-Marshal R. L. R. Atcherley, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Baxter, Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Hugo, Professor and Mrs. George Catlin, Colonel J. Hulme Taylor, Mrs. Compton Mackenzie, Major-General G. C. Murphy, Mr. A. D. Dodds-Parker, M.P., and Mrs. Dodds-Parker, Mr. J. M. Wallace (Chase National Bank), and representatives of the L.C.C., Anglo-Arab Association, India, Pakistan, and Burma Association, National Council of Women, Woking Moslem Mission and Literary Trust, Commonwealth Parliamentary Association, Indian Chamber of Commerce in Great Britain, and of commercial corporations and other bodies associated with Pakistan, India, and Burma.