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Dear Shri Rajnath Singh Ji,

We wish to bring to your kind notice the increasing violence against the Muslims by the so called vigilante groups and the fear that this is creating across the country. This Commission has been receiving petitions and has prepared reports on some of these incidents. Victims, in some cases, have also cited police apathy. The recent attack in West Delhi is yet another such event which reinforces the feeling of insecurity among the Muslims.

All of this is vitiating the social fabric of the country and is bound to disturb the overall climate of co-existence amongst communities. In particular, it is creating an atmosphere of extreme insecurity and suspicions among the Muslims across the country and a deteriorating communal amity amongst communities that have traditionally lived together in peace and harmony.

We believe that there is a need for a very strong statement from the highest levels of the government stating that such outlandish behavior will neither be tolerated nor can it go unpunished and that the secular credentials of India will be protected by the State at all costs. It is true that law & order is a state subject, but certainly the Central Government would be well within its powers to ask the states to handle such situations with a heavy hand and to enforce sense of security among the minorities in all seriousness.

With my best regards,

Sincerely yours,

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