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"He who believes in Allah and the Last Day, let him speak what is virtuous or remain silent." -
Hadith

EARLY BIRD
CHICKENS

WHY DID SANHA'S SUPERVISORS RESIGN?

WHY DID SANHA'S TWO MOLVI SUPERVISORS RESIGN? WHY DID THEY ABANDON THEIR JOB AT EARLY BIRD CHICKEN PLANT IN STANDERTON?

The two Molvi supervisors of Sanha appointed to supervise 'halaal' slaughtering at Early Bird Chickens in Standerton have resigned their posts. Sanha needs to explain to the Muslim community the reasons for their resignation.

According to the two supervisors, the plant's management had decided to increase production substantially. This necessitated slaughtering 48 chickens per minute. According to the supervisors it was not possible for the slaughterers to recite the *Tasmiah* on every chicken. Since the issue could not be resolved, the conscience of the two supervisors constrained them to resign. Despite their resignation due to an exceptionally grave malpractice - omission of the *Tasmiah* - the two inspectors lack the courage and the necessary fear of Allah Azza Wa Jal to issue a public statement to alert the Muslim community with regard to this serious discrepancy. The following is the text of a letter which Zehir Omar Attorneys wrote to the Mujlisul Ulama in

this regard:

"Moulana Abdullah and Moulana Mubeen from De Deur, Vereeniging visited our offices on Monday evening. The learned Moulanas told us of a matter that is very disturbing. The Moulanas were told by a certain Moulana Khan in Standerton that he worked at Early Bird Farms in Standerton. He no longer works there. Moulana Khan stopped working at Early Bird because the poultry was being slaughtered in disregard to the Shariah. Approximately 48 birds are slaughtered every minute. These slaughtering are not in deference to the Shariah.

Moulana Khan was satisfied that the manner in which poultry is slaughtered at Early Bird Farms renders them HARAAM. Moulana Khan is petrified to come ut into the public to let everyone know what is happening. We are concerned as Early Bird is portraying their products to be Halaal.

Please will you investigate the foregoing and let us have your suggestions as to what must be done to ensure that meat from early Bird is not supplied to the public under the pretence that it is halaal." (End of letter)

DISCREPANCIES

The type of discrepancy which has developed at Early Bird Farms and which led to the resignation of the two Molvi supervisors is nothing new. There is a 100% guarantee that such and similar other discrepancies occur on a frequent basis, in particu-

lar at all large non-Muslim chicken and meat-producing plants. Those who claim that their supervision precludes such discrepancies are blatant and confounded liars who betray Islam and the Ummah for the pittance they receive for their haraam certificates. The whole 'halaal' certificate syndicate is a corrupt money-making venture which has desensitized the masses to the degree that they now relish in the consumption of diseased carrion without any twinge of conscience and without perceiving the nauseousness of the carrion they are eating. Their hearts have become rotten after years of eating rotten carrion certified 'halaal' by the money-hungry haraam 'halaal' certifying self-styled 'authorities'.

The malpractice on the basis of which the supervisors finally decided to throw in the towel, are well known to Sanha. When its own two Molvi supervisors were constrained by the haraam circumstances to resign, why is Sanha hushing up the matter? Why did Sanha not announce the suspension of its haraam certificate when the supervisors tabled their grievance? When the very supervisors appointed by Sanha are dissatisfied with the so-called 'halaal' set-up at Early Bird, then at least it (Sanha)

should have had the decency to suspend its vile certificate even with insincerity and as a ruse to simply mislead the community and to portray a dubious and false image of integrity. But when a system's fundamental motive is the satiation of pecuniary lust, then rationality is overshadowed. The sole concern is money. This is not at all surprising because Rasulullah (sallallahu alayhi wasallam) outlining the signs of Qiyaamah, mentioned that one such sign is the inordinate greed for money. The desire will be only money whether it comes in a halaal or haraam way will not be the concern. As long as money fills the pockets, everything is fine for such persons who sell the Deen down the drain.

With the passage of time further malpractices of the haraam 'halaal' authorities will surface. Allah Ta'ala will expose and disgrace them. Whoever seeks honour and wealth by means of falsehood, will be thoroughly humiliated by Allah Ta'ala right here in this earthly life.

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