



## **CONFIRMATION OF TALAQ (ISLAMIC DIVORCE)**

### **Quran 2:231:**

*"And when you divorce women and they have [nearly] fulfilled their term, either retain them according to acceptable terms or release them according to acceptable terms, and do not keep them, intending harm, to transgress [against them]."*

### **Hadith (Sunan Ibn Majah 2018):**

*"The most detestable of lawful things to Allah is divorce."*

This document serves as the official confirmation that Mr. Elham Shams has issued the Third and Final Talaq to his wife, Ms. Nooria Alkozai. The second Talaq was previously issued on 1 January 2026. As of 01 February 2026, the third Talaq has now been pronounced, thereby completing the Islamic divorce in accordance with Islamic law.

Both parties had mutually agreed in December 2025 that they wished to end the marriage. However, in accordance with the guidelines of the Islamic Centre and established Islamic procedure, the Talaq was issued in three separate pronouncements to allow adequate opportunity and time for reflection, reconciliation, and mediation between the parties. Despite this period being provided, both Mr. Elham Shams and Ms. Nooria Alkozai confirmed that there was no possibility of reconciliation.

The divorce process has been conducted respectfully, amicably, and under the guidance of the Islamic Centre.

With the pronouncement of the Third Talaq on 01 February 2026, the marriage between Mr. Elham Shams and Ms. Nooria Alkozai is fully and irrevocably dissolved under Islamic law. They are no longer husband and wife according to Islamic tradition.

The 'Iddat (waiting) period for Ms. Nooria Alkozai shall commence on 01 February 2026 and will be observed in accordance with Islamic legal requirements.

Should you require any further clarification or official documentation regarding this matter, please contact the Islamic Centre.

Sincerely,



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