

Agreement between Ansar Allah and the Salafist al-Noor Centre

Document of Co-existence and Brotherhood

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You shall hold fast to *the rope* of Allah, *all of you*, and *do not be divided*

[Surah 'Ali 'Imran 3:103]

Praise be to Allah, who says 'believers are brothers', believe in Allah, pray, and blessing upon our master, Muhammad, and on the ones who are pure, and Allah is pleased with his good companions of migrants, supporters and followers, and those that follow them charitably.

We are all Muslims with one Lord, one book, one Prophet, and one Enemy. If we differ on the sub-details of Islam, it dispossesses us of our blood, our symptoms and our finances over each other as Muslims. Based on this, Ansar Allah represented by Mr Abd al-Malik Badr al-Din al-Houthi and the Salafists from the al-Noor Centre and their affiliated centres represented by Sheikh Muhammad bin Abdallah al-Imam, agree on the following;

1. Peaceful co-existence between the two sides [who will not be] brought to quarrel or sedition, regardless of circumstances. Freedom of thought and culture are guaranteed to all.
2. Stop inflammatory and hostile rhetoric from both sides in its various forms and in all areas, and work to cultivate the spirit of brotherhood and cooperation.
3. Continue the process of direct communication between the two sides to face any emergency, event, problem, the behaviour of individuals, or any attempt at exacerbating the situation between the two sides, and to determine their position.

This is what was agreed upon, and Allah is behind its intention.

Done at the 28 Sha'ban 1435 AH, 26-6-2014

The first side: Mr Abd al-Malik Badr al-Din al-Houthi, signed by his representative, Yusuf Abdallah.

The second side: Sheikh Muhammad bin Abdullah al-Imam

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