



The Meaning of “Ilmaanee”

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“*Secularism is Clear Kufr.*”

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Question:

The questioner asks, “There are some people who use the word ‘Ilmaanee (secularist) for everyone who make a mistake in Sharee’ah. So what are the conditions for this statement? Because it has spread amongst the youth, so what is the understanding of this word –Secularist?”

Answer:

The spreading of this word amongst the people and its use and generalization upon the layman people is a big mistake. If you say to a Muslim, “you are a secularist” it is like you are saying “you are a complete disbeliever”. Secularism is clear disbelief.

The meaning of it is that you leave every religion and do not adhere to any religion. Not the religion of Islaam, or Christianity, of Judaism, or any religion. The True religion and the false religion are all left off.

Secularism has two faces: Democracy is the face of politics for the secularists – understand this well- and Socialism is the face of economics for the secularists and it is the mother of the filthy things. Secularism is the mother of filth. For it is disbelief and the mother of filth. Due to this, it is not permissible to be easy in generalizing this statement upon a Muslim who makes a mistake, it causes a big harm.

