

## **BURIAL INFORMATION**

### ***WHAT TO DO IN THE EVENT OF A DEATH***

#### **1. REPORT THE DEATH**

Report the death to the BC Muslim Association Director in Charge of Burial immediately.

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|--------------------------------|---|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| - Mohammed Imraz Asin          | - Funeral Director                          | Cell: 604-727-8001 | Office: 604-270-2522 Ext: 103 |
| - Mohammed Asin (Bakridi)      | - VP Burial & Funeral Services              | Cell: 604-614-3622 |                               |
| - Aiyaz Nazrin Jehan           | - Apprentice Funeral Director               |                    | Office: 604-270-2522 Ext: 104 |
| - Masjid Al – Iman             | - 2218 Quadra Street Victoria               |                    | 250-995-1422                  |
| - Islamic Center of Nanaimo    | - 905 Hecate Street Nanaimo                 |                    | 250-754-3471                  |
| - Masjid As – Salam            | - 1120 Highway 33 Kelowna                   |                    | 250-979-1370                  |
| - Prince George Islamic Centre | - 4668 5 <sup>th</sup> Avenue Prince George |                    | 250-564-5412                  |

#### **2. MEDICAL REPORT**

(A) Request the attending physician to complete a Physician's Medical Certification of Death form.

(B) If the person has passed away at home or is a coroner's case please provide the name of the Coroner, the name of the Police Officer and the case numbers.

#### **3. DECEASED INFORMATION – FOR BURIAL PERMIT AND REGISTERING THE DEATH**

Registration of Death form must be filled by the BCMA funeral director during the arrangement interview with the information provided by the legal representative/next of Kin in order obtain the burial permit. The following information and relevant documents will be requested:

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| a. Citizenship/ birth certificate           | j. Full maiden name of spouse                           |
| b. Passport or a picture ID                 | k. Occupation of the deceased                           |
| c. Health care card or proof of number      | l. Birth date of the deceased                           |
| d. Social insurance card or proof of number | m. Birth place of the deceased (city and country)       |
| e. Full legal name of the deceased          | n. Father's full name                                   |
| f. Date of death                            | o. Father's place of birth (city and country)           |
| g. Full address of the place of death       | p. Mother's full name including maiden name             |
| h. Full address of the place of residence   | q. Mother's place of birth (city and country)           |
| i. Marital status                           | r. The full name, address and relation of the informant |

#### **4. GHUSL (Washing)**

The B.C. Muslim Association provides facilities for Ghusl at the *Richmond Jamea Masjid, Surrey Jamea Masjid and Burnaby Masjid ul Salaam*. There is a volunteer BCMA Men and Women Ghusl Committee who will assist the family in performing the ghushl under the supervision of a licensed funeral director. Please note that a maximum 4 family members and 2 BCMA guides for a total of 6 people will only be allowed into the ghushl room.

#### **5. JANAZAH SALAH (FUNERAL PRAYER)**

The following Imams are approved and available for Janazah Salah:

|                            |              |                         |              |
|----------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| Qari Abdul Wahab           | 604-596-7834 | Sheikh Osman Mohamed    | 604-767-4767 |
| Molana Fahim Alaf Khan     | 778-861-6786 | Mufti Shujaath Ali      | 778-999-0711 |
| Sheikh Afraz Baksh         | 604-537-7570 | Molana Gulam Baji       | 604-593-8909 |
| Mufit Muadh Mohamad Abboun | 778-951-9694 | Imam Yahya Momla        | 778-919-7973 |
| Molana Zafar Abid          | 604-767-3527 | Imam Islamullah Khokhar | 604-728-0242 |
| For Victoria:              |              | Br. Jemal Mohamed       | 250-588-8350 |
| For Nanaimo:               |              | Br. Noor Islam          | 250-756-4127 |
| For Kelowna:               |              | Br. Hamid Butt          | 587-646-4389 |

**BCMA approved IMAMS are authorized to lead Janaza Salah at BCMA premises**

**Anyone other than the above who is intending to lead the Janaza must be approved by the BCMA VP Funeral / Funeral Director**

### **The BC Muslim Association Funeral Services**

Licensed Location: 5060 Canada Way Burnaby BC V5E 3N2

Vice President – Funeral Services: 604-614-3622

Funeral Director & Burial Administrator: 604-727-8001