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Dear Friends of Asian Conference of Religions for Peace,

It is with great sadness and a heavy heart that I inform you of the passing on November 12 of our colleague and beloved brother, Mr. Khalid Ikramullah Khan, at the age of 75 in Karachi, Pakistan. With his demise, a devout Muslim and committed, pioneering activist for peace has left us all a path to follow.

In Asian Conference of Religions for Peace (ACRP/RfP Asia), Mr. Ikramullah Khan Provided outstanding leadership as Special Advisor to Secretary General. He always encouraged ACRP to address concrete issues. His very positive commitment to providing ideas and thoughts with full of wisdom in dialogue, based upon Islamic values and practices, was deeply respected among many religious leaders in Asia.

Needless to say, his work extended well beyond ACRP. Through his untiring advocacy and activity of interfaith dialogue as the Vice Chairman of ACRP Pakistan, he provided an important platform in Pakistan to strengthen solidarity among peoples of different ethnic and religious backgrounds to advance coexistence. Furthermore, he equipped many leaders of the coming generation for this very important field of interreligious cooperation through his dedication to achieving more peaceful and harmonious societies.

Mr. Khalid Ikramullah Khan's family and all his friends remain in our thoughts and prayers during this time of sorrow and mourning. We miss him greatly, his smiling face and energetic voice. What we must do from now onward is to draw strength and sincerity of devotion to peace for all from his legacy.

In solidarity on this sad occasion, I remain,



Rev. Nobuhiro M. Nemoto
Secretary General
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