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Mohammad Afzal Loudin was born in an intellectual family on 19th April 1941 in Kabul. He was graduated from the Kabul Military University in 1965 and also received the title of “General Staff of the Army” from Moscow Military Academy of the General Staff in 1982. Gen. Loudin founded and served the Afghan *Special Guard* (later in 1987 the *National Guard*) as commander. From 1989 – 1990 he served as Chef of *Kabul Garrison* and was respectively appointed as the Chef and the General Commander of the *Eastern Zone of Afghanistan* where he continued the service until the fall of regime in April 1992.

بِسْمِ اللّٰهِ الرَّحْمٰنِ الرَّحِیْمِ

In the Name of Allah the Most Gracious the Most Merciful

Dear and respectable compatriots, sisters and brothers!

By each day passing, the notorious elements drag our homeland to the political and military complex quagmire, because of which even the international coalition forces under the leadership of United States and the influential NATO (North Atlantic Treaty Organization) – as we all can perceive – cannot bring the situation under control.

The neighboring Iran and Pakistan, not only shamelessly and in contrary to all recognized international norms, directly intervene in the internal affairs of Afghanistan, but have also launched armed interventions against our people.

The tyranny and criminalities of these two mischief-maker and anti-humanity regimes have gone far beyond any boundary.

Iran, only for satisfying its devilish lust and hunger, inexcusably executes thousands of our people, both boys and girls, in most cruel manner ever known. In Iran’s streets and roads, the brutal and uncivilized Iranians, not only have imposed ruthless, wild and tyrannical

restrictions on our people, but also violate the prestige and dignity of innocent and homeless Afghans in front of the public.

Such conducts cannot be compared even with evil performances of the beasts of history such as Nimrod, Pharaoh, Yazid, Chingis Khan, Tamerlane (Timur-i-lang) or Hitler.

You all countrymen and women recently witnessed on TV that how the Iranians ruthlessly and wildly broke into the houses of Afghan immigrants and violated their humanitarian rights.

The perfidious and vicious Pakistan – the nest of international terrorism – is not only targeting our villages and frontier provinces with its artillery and firing hundreds of missiles on our sacred homeland but also today the Pakistanis violate the limits of the homes and Honor of Afghans and further committing numerous other shameful and inhumane actions. In the same manner, the regular army of these seditious Satanists, bring our sacred homeland, in particular Nuristan and Kunar, under brutal attacks led by Pakistani colonels and generals. Moreover, with inspiration from their ill-reputed ancestors and for the sake of achieving the desires of their black hearts, these savage and slavish Colonels and Generals have produced militants in black dress.

Respectable and virtuous compatriots,

Regretfully, never in history, not even in the political turbulence of 18th and 19th centuries that at some occasions our country was deprived of central government and was being threatened by oppressive world powers, this very painful conditions of mistrust, disorder and reluctances towards the fate of our country did not exist. Much on the contrary, the Afghans were very united and would trust one another. For that reason: our ancestors in the 2nd decade and *we* in the 8th decade of 20th century invincibly and courageously and with incomparable sacrifices fought and defended our national independence and freedom. That means, we brought two invader Superpowers to their knees, and as such, we saved the world from their evil.

But today, my dear compatriots, while in contrary to the past the international community and the world powers are standing beside you for help and are jointly making efforts to bring excellence and progress; much regretfully, my honorable and conscientious compatriots, you are engaged fighting with each other.

Most estimable compatriots, we should not forget that in 80s of 20th century when an unjust and cruel foreign war was being fought on our soil, you very well remember that the real children of our country, including men and women, youth and elderly courageously stood beside each other and defended our sacred land against the most powerful countries and their intelligence organizations that were in one or another way backing the extremist factions and the terrorists and also propagating around the clock against our governance and sowing discord within our people. But at that time too, there were some opportunist and traitorous individuals who, for the sake of achieving power, would consciously create distrust and sow discord among our compatriots especially the intellectuals, technocrats and members of leadership in the government.

It has not been hidden from you that there were traitors within the army units who would cowardly abandon the frontlines and join the enemies of our nation for the sake of their own political survival and positions. As you know, this category of opportunist, unconcerned, traitorous and slavish individuals finally served as instruments to a complex geopolitical game of international powers and consequently on 28th of April 1992 the UN Secretary-General's Representative Mr. Benon Sevan in contrast to his terms of duties and responsibilities and with contempt to the then sanctioned laws of the Republic of Afghanistan treacherously toppled down the Afghan national sovereignty in favor of the enemies of humanity. Our people are well acquainted with looks, actions and filthy practices of this notorious corrupt and the capital offender (“mofsede fel arz”/مفسد فی الارض).

The responsibility of all the calamities and humiliation that has been piled on our people goes to this very Representative of General Secretary of UN and as a whole the Security Council of the United Nations.

It is unforgettable that on 28th April 1992 our national sovereignty and the governing administration – a legacy of our ancestors – was handed over to the leaders of proxy militant and plundering factions in the most disrespectful and reprobative manner. Thus, a game was played with the name, history and the ancient pride of a great and proud nation.

Dear compatriots,

One thing that makes us proud about the history of our nation is the fact that during the very tough and challenging times, our countrymen/women at any stage and period of history for the sake of dignity, prestige and honor of our country have exhibited tremendous dedication and sacrifice. The cursed tendencies such as fear, disinterest as today did not exist in our people at any point of history. They would rather defend every inch of our soil and the citizens and as such sacrificed their lives for the sake of defending our motherland against the enemies of our nation, especially the trained terrorist and conspiracies of their supporters.

It is likewise not forgettable that in cross-border war of aggression on Jalalabad (1980s) our countrymen and women, especially the inhabitants of Jalalabad stood beside one another and defended our soil and national honor in the bravest manner.

You witnessed how they sacrificed their lives but saved their bulwarks; and how courageously they stood beside each other and created a history of eternal pride.

My honorable compatriots, as a former Afghan soldier, I would sincerely like to acknowledge that the majority of the soldiers and officers of the army and other security forces were basically not thinking of anything else but defending the honor and prestige of our country, let stealing and plundering of public properties alone – since it was out of question.

The vast majority of the officers in the Security Forces of Afghanistan would not compromise for any cost with the foreign mercenaries and traitors to the country and in the course of defending their country and countrymen/women, they were never an easy prey to be trapped

in conspiracies. Prejudice and social diseases such as national discord, tribal, lingual and religious prejudices did not even flash through their minds.

They would never disobey to accept responsibility and performing their duties in any part of the country.

But, see what is the position and condition of our present-day National Army?

They (the present-day army personnel) are linked to various groups and factions (of Mujahedeen) and majority of them have forgotten their national responsibilities, duties and obligations. They are so much gone astray in superstitious believes and old social diseases of middles ages – i.e. linguistic, ethnic and provincial prejudice as well as devotion to wealth – that like “national criminals” – the agents of seditious Pakistanis and Iranians – they raise doubt on the sacred name and existence of our homeland – i.e. Afghan and Afghanistan.

Are such characteristics permissible to an army of a bereaved country?

Respected sisters and brothers,

What not that the foreign agents and the mischievous apparatuses have imposed on our people. The country has been fragmented into pieces. In every corner of our country the representatives of looter factions (of Mujahedeen), warlords, drug dealers and thieves are ruling. There is no sign of law, safety and security. Every traitor and extortionist is an autonomous ruler and a king of his own little realm. They do as they are pleased with. On the other hand, 90 percent of our people are poor, hungry and without a shelter. More than 80 percent of Afghans, including men and women, are suffering from psychological disorders; and millions of Afghan children are sick, hungry, and live on streets and roads.

But these extortionists perceive the violation of private spaces, sexual abuses, rapes and numerous other inhumane acts as permissible to be inflicted on our innocent people. As you have been witnessed to, while committing any horrible and disastrous crime, they do not exhibit slightest signs of hesitation or shame, not only in front of our bereaved nation and the history but also the world community.

My compatriot brothers and sisters,

Indicating to the upcoming probability of withdrawal of the International Coalition Forces from Afghanistan in 2014, the plunderers are already trying to terrify our people from scavengers and mischief mongers of the so called “nuclear” Pakistan and/or Iran. With support from their well-known supporters, they are already negotiating sharing power with the brutal Taliban and the international terrorists.

Respectable country men, women!

I would like to express that in 80s and 90s of previous century, five great nuclear world powers together with their proxy militia were fighting (us) but through all those years of that destructive war, the five nuclear powers in spite of huge expenses and use of horrifying super

modern weaponry could not impose the rule of their proxies even in an inch of our territory over our people and governing administration.

Yet again I would like to retell the Jalalabad War. While the usurping Soviet Army had already left our country, but the regular army of Pakistan, the Al-Qaida international terrorist network and their hired local servants – i.e. the [Jihadi] factions made in Pakistan, Iran and Saudi Arabia – were backed by four nuclear superpowers with enormous high-tech machineries, institutes, and active military intelligence. Besides, hundreds of journalists were broadcasting news coverage of countdown for Jalalabad's downfall from Peshawar and even from the frontline aiming to weaken the morale of our army and security forces, the leadership of national sovereignty and especially of the brave people of Jalalabad. But the heroic army officers and the courageous and proud people of Jalalabad did not care about any of that. They courageously stood for the sake of safeguarding the Afghan pride and prestige in defending their honor.

What was the secret of success and heroic defense in the cross-border war of aggression on Jalalabad?

The answer is: courage, patriotism, unity, dedication and unwavering faith, love and intimacy between the military and the people. In brief, national unity against the enemy of our motherland was/is the key of success.

Our soldiers and officers and people in general did not at all care about who is nuclear or super nuclear power or with what weaponry they might be equipped. So fear from a coward, vicious and hired army of Pakistan was literally out of question.

Dear compatriots, influential national figures, technocrats, intellectuals, and youths,

Wherever you are and whatever positions you hold, you must recall the historical and glorious sacrifices and courage of your people that grace the golden pages of our ancient land; come to your senses and see in what state of pain our motherland has been suffering!

Wake up and move yourselves and do not forget your moral and historical responsibilities!

Get ready and hurry up. I repeat to the young and elderly and whosoever is considering him/herself an Afghan: For the sake of rescuing and defending our motherland from domination of extortionists, betrayers and merchandisers of religion, get together and join your hands.

As an elder and experienced Afghan soldier, I call upon all the officers of the Afghan Army and other Security Forces: In whatever age you are, wherever and in whatever condition you are, if your limbs have not ceased to move then get yourselves ready with the spirit of Afghan honor and pride for performing your humane, moral and patriotic mission.

Listen and bend down before the voice of nation and rise with pride and be prepared for sacrifice in the name of motherland. Get ready for serving the homeland. I strongly believe

that the officers in security forces of our country, old and young, men and women, within or outside the country will respond to the call of motherland positively.

So that we will be able to jointly layout a proper and systematic plan for tracing the road map of political solution to the current military dilemma and present it to the international community, especially the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) before 2014 – i.e. the deadline for the withdrawal of the International Coalition Forces for war against terrorism – and with an Afghani mutual understanding we shall get prepared in a state of military *Attention*.

Further delay and tolerance is but a betrayal!

Any Afghan, who at least has some active senses of patriotism and ethical values of *Pashtunwali* [behavioral code] must put an end to the present misperception and false political games. You must bear in mind that thousands of inconsolable widows, poor and hungry people, handicaps, innocent children, elderly and youth of our country have fastened their hopes in you, waiting to hear your voice of patriotism and dedication. negligence

In the Name of Allah, the Holy Shahada [declaration of believe in oneness of God], patriotic obligations and the command of motherland, I request all my compatriots to cease connection with fraudulent, treacherous, corrupt extortionists and traitor individuals. And with a loud clamor of “Hayya 'ala s-salah, Hayya 'ala 'l-falah” [Trans: Come to prayer, Come to success (Quranic verses)] remove the foreign war-hacks and terrorists from our sacred territory.

Further negligence before our motherland and miseries of our countrymen and women is a cardinal sin.

Wa min Allah at Tawfiq - and Allah knows best

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