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**BEWARE OF BOGUS COLLECTORS  
RAMADHAN IS THEIR SPECIAL  
OCCASION FOR FLEECING  
'JAMIATUL ULAMA WESTERN CAPE'  
IS A PHANTOM ENTITY**

**Question**

Collectors from a body, *Jamiatul Ulama Western Cape*, are collecting funds in South Africa and Botswana. The Ameer of this body is one Moulana Ihsaan Abrahams. I recall that last year he was involved in some moral fracas and *The Majlis* had dissociated from him. What is the current status of this body? Should we contribute?

**Answer**

**The entity is bogus.** Its Ameer is not bonafide. Do not contribute anything. His letters of recommendation are baseless. In the few decades we have known this person, his only objective was funds.

The current Jamiatul Ulama Western Cape of which Maulana Ihsaan Abrahams is the ameer, is a mere paper entity. We had an association of many years with him, but of no avail. His concern is only hallucinating about grandiose plans and schemes which never materialize.

The best thing for him to do is to scrap the name *Jamiatul Ulama Western Cape*, to repent and spend Ramadhaan in I'tikaaf in some small remote Musjid.