



## The second question of Fatwa No. 5156

**Q 2: When rising from a seated position, some people would push up using their hands and invoke, "by the Prophet's honor" or "by the Messenger of Allah's dignity", or "by the reward of giving good treatment to parents". Scholars say that whoever utters such words**

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**is a Mushrik (disbeliever) because this in effect is making an intermediary between Allah and themselves. Their view is based on the saying of the Prophet, "When you seek assistance, call on Allah Alone for assistance..."**

**A:** Saying "by the Prophet's honor" or "by the reward of giving good treatment to parents" when standing up, is a form of supplicating the Prophet and one's parents for assistance. It is an act of Al-Shirk-ul-Akbar (major form of associating others in worship with Allah), we seek refuge in Allah.

May Allah grant us success! May peace and blessings be upon our Prophet Muhammad, his family and Companions!

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