

## Nasir Mehmood – An apology

On 6 July 2019, New Vision television broadcast a number of programmes which contained reports that Mr Nasir Mehmood who is more commonly known as Mr Nasir Butt is a multiple murderer, an organised criminal and important member of a drugs cartel who has fled from justice in Pakistan.

On 7 July 2019, New Vision television broadcast a programme which contained a report that Mr Nasir Butt is an organised criminal.

On 14 July 2019, New Vision television broadcast a programme which contained comments from Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs Mr Ali Muhammad Khan that Mr Nasir Butt had fled from justice in Pakistan.

Mr Nasir Butt has informed us, and we are prepared to accept, that he is not a multiple murderer, he is not an organised criminal or not a member of a drugs cartel, and he has not fled from justice in Pakistan.

We apologise to Mr Nasir Butt for the distress, upset and embarrassment which these broadcasts have caused him.

We have agreed to pay Mr Nasir Butt damages for libel and his legal costs.