



Al-Farooq Masjid of Atlanta  
442 14th Street NW  
Atlanta, Georgia 30318

June 19, 2023

SUBJECT: Request for Excused Absence for Eid ul Adha Observance

To Whom It May Concern,

We kindly request that employers, school districts, and other institutions grant excused absences for Muslim individuals who wish to observe the Islamic holiday of Eid ul Adha, a religious event which coincides with the annual Hajj pilgrimage. On this day, Muslims around the world commemorate Prophet Abraham's exemplary demonstration of exclusive devotion to God.

Eid ul Adha is scheduled for Wednesday, June 28<sup>th</sup>. The congregational prayer services will be held during the morning hours, and festivities will continue throughout the day.

We respectfully ask that you consider the absence of your student or employee as excused for this day in recognition of their religious observance. Your understanding and cooperation in this matter are greatly appreciated. If you have any questions or require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us at [info@alfarooqmasjid.org](mailto:info@alfarooqmasjid.org).

Thank you for your attention and support in fostering an inclusive and respectful environment for all members of our community.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Muhammad A. Varachhia".

Muhammad A. Varachhia  
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