

Assemblée de la Communauté **Musulmane** du Grand-Duché de Luxembourg

Statement Regarding the Date of Eid al-Adha

In the name of Allah, the Most Merciful, the Most Compassionate

Dear brothers and sisters, Assalamu alaykum wa rahmatullah,

According to the official sighting of the lunar crescent, the month of Dhul-Hijjah 1446 began on Wednesday, May 28, 2025.

As a result:

- The Day of Arafah will take place on Thursday, June 5, 2025
- Eid al-Adha will be celebrated on Friday, June 6, 2025.

The Prophet Muhammad, peace and blessings be upon him, said:

"There are no days in which good deeds are more beloved to Allah than during these ten days." (Ahmad)

Fasting on the Day of Arafah is highly recommended for those who are not on pilgrimage.

"Fasting on the Day of Arafah erases the sins of the past year and the coming year." (Muslim)

It is recommended to increase supplications, takbir, tahleel, and tahmeed during the first ten days of Dhul-Hijjah and during the days of Tashreeq (11th, 12th, and 13th of Dhul-Hijjah).

The restricted takbir is recited after each obligatory prayer: From Fajr on Thursday, June 5, to Asr on Monday, June 9, 2025.

Text of the takbir:

Allahu Akbar, Allahu Akbar, La ilaha illa Allah. Wallahu Akbar, Allahu Akbar, wa lillahi al-hamd.

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