

The 1st Commemoration of the International Day to Combat Islamophobia, March 15, 2023.

# Islamophobia Scorecard

**In Progress** 

We gather content from publicly available sources and aggregate this information into an easily understood format, providing free access to the public. The listed individuals and entities are invited to submit any oversight, errors, and omissions for consideration. We all have the right to know if an individual or organization engages, condones, aids, or acquiesces in prejudice, hate, and discrimination against Muslims and Islam. By exposing Islamophobia, society is better informed about bigotry in their communities. *Islamophobia Scorecard last update:* 08/312023.

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## Combating Islamophobia Status<sup>1</sup>

**Grade** 

| Compating Islamophobia Status Grade   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Did the named individual and his/her organization attend the most recent        | NO          |
| International Day to Combat Islamophobia as designated by the United Nations?   |             |
| Was the named organization or individual invited to commemorate the most        | YES         |
| recent International Day to Combat Islamophobia                                 |             |
| What was the response of the named organization or individual to the invitation | Non-        |
| to commemorate the International Day to Combat Islamophobia?                    | responsive  |
| Muslim Community Engagement <sup>2</sup> Grade                                  |             |
| Have business interests in Muslim countries and communities.                    | In Progress |
| Promotes Tolerance & Unity <sup>3</sup> Grade                                   |             |
| Promote unity, tolerance, cultural harmony, and solidarity with all humanity.   | In Progress |
| Participates, funds, and supports organizations promoting inter-community       | In Progress |
| harmony.  |             |
| Sponsors Divisive Political Activities <sup>4</sup> Grade                       |             |
| Sponsors divisive political activities that put Muslims at a disadvantage       | In Progress |
| Philanthropy <sup>5</sup> Grade   |             |
| Show preference or bias in philanthropy work?                                   | In Progress |
| Engages in any act of philanthropy that benefits the Muslim communities.        | In Progress |
| Anti-Muslim Prejudice & Hate <sup>6</sup> Grade                                 |             |
| Condoned, aided, or acquiesced hate messages against Muslims and Islam?         | In Progress |
| Acts of Discrimination against Muslims <sup>7</sup> Grade                       |             |
| Show a pattern of anti-Muslim bias, discrimination, and exclusion of Muslims,   | In Progress |
| including discrimination in employment and education.                           |             |
| Corporate Social Responsibility <sup>8</sup> Grade                              |             |
| Fulfilling the expectations and the spirit of corporate social responsibility   | In Progress |
| Professional and Humanitarian Organization Affiliations <sup>9</sup> Grade      |             |
| Affiliations positively impact the mission to promote an inclusive world        | In Progress |
| <b>Extraordinary Conducts, Characteristics, and Attributes 10 Grade</b>         |             |
| Any attributes contributing to a world free from hate, prejudice, and           | In Progress |
| discrimination?   |             |
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## Name Naresh Bhawnani Affiliations: Founder and Chairman, Westzone Group

Established first supermarket in 2005, and over the last 15 years the West Zone Group has diversified into supermarkets, hypermarkets, logistics, shopping malls, real estate, construction, technology, hospitality, and F&B in the U.A.E. With its 150 Supermarkets, each market sized between 5,000 sq. ft. to 50,000 sq.ft., spread out all over the U.A.E. Bhawnani oversees more than 5,000 employees.

#### **Associated Brands**

- West zone super market
- West zone super fresh
- Safestway
- W-mart
- W-plus
- West zone restaurants

#### Website

https://www.westzone.com/