



Can we use zakat money to buy copies of the Holy Qur'an and give them to poor students in need?

QUESTION:

Are we allowed to buy Qurans with our zakat money and then donate them to the poor and needy students?

ANSWER:

In the Name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful. As-salāmu 'alaykum wa-rahmatullāhi wa-barakātuh.

In principle, if the students are made owners of the Holy Qur'ān, then the obligation of Zakāh will be fulfilled, provided that the students are eligible to receive Zakāh.

And Allah Ta'ālā Knows Best Zayd Imran

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