

“She put Taliban members behind bars for their crimes. Now she’s in fear for her life – and the UK won’t help” *The Independent*

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The Independent shared the story of a senior female Afghan judge and her son who have been denied entry to the UK a second time after becoming a target of the Taliban.

Represented by Jenner & Block’s Special Counsel Lucy Blake and Kingsley Napley as well as barrister Helen Foot of Garden Court Chambers, “Yosra” details her experiences after fleeing to Pakistan to escape from the Taliban and warns of the “dangerous situation she is trapped in” after the Home Office refused to overturn its decision to block her from entering the UK in January.

In a prior press release, Lucy expressed her disappointment in the decision saying, “The Home Office’s refusal to reconsider our clients’ case is deeply disappointing. It is impossible to comprehend how their circumstances could be seen as anything short of compelling and compassionate.”

Yosra’s case will now be heard at an oral hearing at the Immigration Tribunal in March 2023.

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