

Dar-ul-Ifta

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نحمده ونصلى على رسوله الكريم

Praise is due to Allah who guided us to the righteous path, And Durood o Salaam Upon the Holy Prophet Muhammad "peace be upon him" and his Family and Companions.

TYPE OF TALAAQ

1. Basically, there are three (3) types of Talaaq:

- i. Ahsan (better one)
- ii. Hasan (good one)
- iii. Bid'ee (worst one)

Ahsan means to give only one (1) talaaq to the wife in the state of purity where he has not had sexual relationship, then he leave her till the Iddah (period of 3 menstruations).

Hasan means to give three (3) talaaq in three (3) states of purity, one in the first, second in the second state and third in the third period.

Bid'ee means to give the wife three (3) talaaq in one go (i.e. I am giving you three talaaq or I am give you talaaq talaaq talaaq) or to give the wife three (3) talaaq in the same state of purity. In this condition, all the three talaaq will be applicable, but the man (husband) will be considered as a sinner.

So the best manner is to give only one (1) talaaq in the state of purity, then leave the wife till she overtakes the Iddah (period of 3 menstruations)

This type of talaaq has been selected as better one in the views of all companions and all savants of Islam.
(*Al Hidaayah Shareef V2/373*)

2. Talaaq is Lawful but Detestable

Narrated Abdullah Ibn Umar: The Holy Prophet (peace be on him) said: Of all the lawful acts the most detestable to Allah is divorce. [Abu Dawood]

Talaaq is the most hateful of lawful deeds in the sight of Allah Almighty; we must abstain from breaking the Nikah without any valid reason according to Shariah.

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