

Lesson 11

Topic: **Taharah** /purifiers / lavatory / Wodu'

### 10. Istibra'

Istibra' is purification of an animal that feeds on human faeces. The urine, dung, and any sweat of a Jallal animal are all najis. If the animal were to be rendered tahir, it must be put through the Istibra' process, in that the animal is made to feed on tahir food for a period of time.

### 11. The absence of the Muslim

Case: If the body of a Muslim was rendered najis, or his clothes, or any of his belongings such as utensils, beddings, and suchlike that are at his disposal, and then that Muslim leaves [the scene], those items are deemed tahir if six criteria are met.

### 12. Emission of normal amount of blood from animal

Case: If the halal-meat animal is slaughtered according to the Shari'ah method and the normal amount of blood leaves the body, the remaining blood in the body of the animal is tahir.

The sweat of a jonob from haram is not najis, although practicing ihtiyat (i.e. treating it as najis) is preferable

Everything is tahir until you are certain of it being najis.

## Chapter Four: Lavatory and Toiletry

It is obligatory for the individual to cover one's private parts from everyone who is adolescent and *mokallaf*, whether while using the toilet or at any other times and also from the insane and the child who can discern between good and bad. However, husband and wife are exempted.

Case: It is mandatory not to face the Qiblah, or have one's back to it, while emptying one's bowels or bladder.