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In the name of Allaah, the Most Merciful, the Bestower of Mercy

The Prophet (صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ)¹ said:

“Instruct your dying ones to say ‘None has the right to be worshipped but Allaah’, for indeed the soul of a believer departs through perspiration, and the soul of a disbeliever departs from the corner of his mouth just as the soul of the donkey departs.”²

After mentioning its chain of narration, the Shaykh (رَحِمَهُ اللَّهُ)³ said:

‘And this chain of narration is hasan (good)’. See As-Saheehah No. 2151.

¹ (صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ) (sallallaahu ‘alayhi wa sallam) May the peace and blessings of Allaah the Most High be upon him

² Reported by at-Tabaraanee in Al-Kabeer (1/77/3) as mentioned by Shaykh al-Albaanee (رَحِمَهُ اللَّهُ) in As-Saheehah No. 2151

³ (رَحِمَهُ اللَّهُ) (rahimahullaah) May Allaah the Most High have mercy on him

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