

## **Delegation of International Christian Alliance Meets MQM Coordination Committee at MQM Headquarters, Azizabad.**

Karachi, August 20, 2007: A 10 member delegation, representing Christian community, headed by Chairman of International Christian Alliance Pastor Irfan Dean, met members of the Coordination Committee Mr. Waseem Aftab and Mr. Ashfaq Manghi, at Khursheed Begum Memorial Hall next to MQM Headquarters Nine Zero, Azizabad, on last Friday and commended the struggle of MQM for the protection of minority rights in Pakistan. In addition to Vice Chairman, International Christian Alliance Mr. Robert, Coordinator for United Kingdom, Sohail Dean, Coordinator for UAE Qatar Niter Gibson Peter, the delegation included Mr. Mubashir Amjad Farooque, Pastor Tarique, Pastor Ilyas Shaique, Pastor David Khushi Gill, Mr. Harold Alfred, and Mr. Villeven Victor. At this meeting Member Provincial Assembly Mr. Hameed-uz-Zafar and members of the MQM's Committee for Minority Affairs were also present. The delegation also invited the members of MQM Coordination Committee to a three-day spiritual and healing prayers conference. The members of the delegation said that MQM is the only political party in Pakistan which not only protected the rights of religious minorities in Pakistan, it also made the people from the religious minorities to be elected and go to the assemblies which shows its Realistic and Practical approach. They added that wherever the message of MQM has reached, minority communities feel themselves safe and the way Mr. Altaf Hussain has raised voice for the minority rights is admirable. Mr. Waseem Aftab and Mr. Ashfaq Manghi reassured the members of the Christian delegation that MQM will keep on struggling for the rights of all dispossessed of the country including minorities and will raise its voice at all levels for the rights of everyone.