## Seventh question from Fatwa no.( 5634 )

Q 7: Is it permissible for a person who performs Salah (prayer) to recite Bismillah-ir-Rahman ir-Rahim (In the Name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful) after reciting Surah Al-Fatihah, then follow this by another Surah during Salah (prayer)? Should it be recited out loud or secretly?

A 7: If a person is to recite a Surah after Al-Fatihah, they should first recite Basmalah (Saying Bissmillah) in secret. Whereas if they are to recite whatever is available of the middle or end of any Surah, they are not prescribed to do so (recite Basmalah).

May Allah grant us success! May peace and blessings be upon our Prophet Muhammad, his family, and Companions!

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