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Pakistanis warn US envoy on drone raid

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Activists in Pakistan have threatened to launch legal action against the US ambassador to Islamabad for his role in the death of two Pakistani boys in US assassination drone attacks.

According to a report by *Independent* on Wednesday, campaigners have written a letter to Cameron Munter, saying they will seek to have him charged as an accomplice over the killing.

16-year-old Tariq Aziz and his cousin were killed by a missile fired from a US unmanned aerial vehicle close to their home in North Waziristan on October 31.

Tariq's relatives say he had, days before his death, attended a conference in the capital which highlighted the human toll from drone strikes in Pakistan.

Reports say CIA operatives carried out the deadly strikes only after getting confirmation about their target from Munter.

This comes as Pakistan's relations with the United States are at a low after the November 26 deadly attacks by NATO fighter jets and helicopters on two border posts, which killed 24 Pakistani soldiers.

Protesting the attacks, the Pakistani government has blocked NATO supply routes for foreign forces in landlocked Afghanistan and has told the US to vacate a Pakistani airbase used by the CIA to launch drones strikes.

Islamabad also summoned Munter to lodge a strong complaint regarding the “unprovoked” attacks.

Pakistani Prime Minister Yusuf Raza Gilani on Wednesday said parliament will meet soon to reassess its relations with the United States in the wake of the latest cross-border air strikes.