## 27005 - Zakat Al-Fitr for an Unborn Child

## the question

Should Zakat Al-Fitr be paid on behalf of a child who is still in his mother's womb or not?

## Summary of answer

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## **Detailed answer**

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For more details, please refer to the following answers: 69, 49793 , 207225 , 145563 , 37636 , 12938 , and 22888 .

And Allah is the Source of strength.