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Q: 313 ? Title: Can Prophet Muhammad(blessing and peace be upon him) make thing halal or haram by the permission of Allah? Or does prophet Muhammad(blessing and peace be upon him) have authority to make law?

Question

Can Prophet Muhammad (blessing and peace be upon him) make thing halal or haram by the permission of Allah? Or does prophet Muhammad (blessing and peace be upon him) have authority to make law?

I heard that there is a hadith where Prophet Muhammad(blessing and peace be upon him) said that if miswak was not difficult for my ummah, I would make it fard on people to use before every salah. Doesn't this mean Prophet Muhammad(blessing and peace be upon him) can make law by the will of Allah

Answer

Assalamu `alaikum Warahmatullahi Wabarakatuh,

Yes the Prophet (peace and blessings be upon him) was given authority by Almighty Allah Taala to make law. Consider the following verses:

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Those who follow the Messenger, the Ummiyy (unlettered) prophet whom they find written with them in the Torah and the Injil , and who bids them what is fair and forbids what is unfair, and **m**
akes lawful for them good things, and makes unlawful for them impure things
, and relieves them of their burden, and of the shackles that were upon them. So, those who believe in him and support him, and help him and follow the light sent down with him, those are the ones who are successful.

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Fight those People of the Book who do not believe in Allah, nor in the Last Day, and do not take as unlawful what Allah and **His Messenger have declared as unlawful.** [\[1\]](#)

And Allah Ta??la Knows Best