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Women's tight clothes around relatives or other women

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In the name of Allaah, the Most Merciful, the Bestower of Mercy

Question: (The questioner) says: Noble Shaykh, may Allaah grant you success, what is the ruling on the women wearing tight clothing in front of the woman's relatives, similarly (wearing them) in front of other women at get-togethers?

Shaykh Saalih al-Fawzaan (حفظه الله)¹: It is not permissible for the woman to wear tight clothing in front of women, nor in front of relatives, nor in front of strangers. She is to wear loose fitting garments that do not display any of her body parts. That is, if she fears the Fire. As for if she does not fear the Fire then she can do whatever she wants. The Fire is in front of her (i.e., it awaits her).

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^{1 (}حفظه الله) May Allaah the Most High preserve him