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Media Statement 28 July 2016

<u>Keysar Trad</u> elected President of Muslims Australia The Australian Federation of Islamic Councils (AFIC)

Muslims Australia (AFIC), the national umbrella body of the Australian Muslim community has elected Mr Keysar Trad as its new President after the resignation of Mr Hafez Kassem 26 July 2016 after 10 years of service to Muslims Australia – AFIC.

Mr Kassem had resigned from his position in order to spend more time with his family and manage his business affairs.

The Executive Committee of Muslims Australia (AFIC), thanks Mr Kassem for his dedicated commitment to AFIC and unanimously resolved that he be made an Adviser to AFIC so that we can continue to benefit from his experience and knowledge.

"I am committed to promote peace, public safety, better understanding and greater harmony amongst all Australians." Said Mr Keysar Trad. "We will listen, we will take heed and we will adopt a conciliatory approach that unites all Australians." said Mr. Trad.

"As the national umbrella body for all Muslims, Muslims Australia will strive to not only improve relations within Australia, but to also promote Australia abroad as the multicultural nation of the *Fair Go* for all." said Mr. Trad.

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