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To All Islamic Societies in Australia All Mosques and Islamic Centers in Australia All Imams in Australia State Islamic Councils

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Islam, Assalamu' alaikum wa Rahmatullahi wa Barakatuh

MUSLIMS AUSTRALIA (AFIC) APPEAL FOR BURMA

We are all aware of clashes in Arakan (Myanmar/Burma) where our Muslim brothers and sisters have been forced out of their homes and villages, many have been killed. The tragic situation suffered by our fellow Muslims in the holy month of Ramadan cannot but touch all our hearts.

As Muslims it is our duty and obligation to show compassion for our Muslim brothers and sisters in such conditions which are unimaginably inhumane.

Therefore, in the same spirit of caring, the Executive Committee of the AFIC has set up an **AFIC Fund for Burma**. AFIC appeals to all member Islamic Societies to raise donations from members and others, especially allocate one Friday collection for this AFIC Fund.

Let us demonstrate our humanitarian duty in these difficult times of our fellow Muslims in Burma, where a serious humanitarian crisis in unfolding. Please send your donation to the above postal address or directly deposit in the following account:

> AFIC Refugee & Humanitarian Account Westpac Bank BSB# 032 010 A/C # 218 472 Payment Reference: Burma

Let us also pray to Allah *swt* for His Mercy and Protection for all humanity from such torture and violence.

Your brother in Islam

Hafez Kassem *President*

Hand in hand for a brighter Australia.