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- Dawah Work
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MEMBER STATE COUNCILS

Muslim Council of NSW
Islamic Council of VIC
Islamic Council of QLD
Islamic Council of WA
Islamic Council of SA
Islamic Council of ACT
Islamic Council of NT
Islamic Council of TAS
Islamic Council of
Christmas Island

MEMBER SOCIETIES

Over 100

To: Chairmen of State Councils
Islamic Societies in Australia
President, ANIC and Imams

25 March 2011

My Dear Brothers and Sisters,
Assalamu alaikum warahmatullahi wabarakatuh

AFIC MEMBERSHIP

I pray this finds our Muslim brothers and sisters in good health and high state of Iman by the blessings of Allah (SWT).

I am writing to invite all Islamic organisations in Australia to join Muslims Australia (AFIC) and their respective State Councils to strengthen the Ummah and foster a united voice.

Unity is decisive in furthering our representation in politics at both Federal and State levels and will assist in determining the allocation of government funds to invest in services and resources for the Muslim community. Australia, a liberal and representative democracy puts great emphasis on numbers. It is vital that we make a joint effort- put our hands together to show a united force to share in Australia's recourses and be a part of the decision making process.

Australian Muslims, although a minority, are at a pivotal point where unity and strength in numbers could put us in a place to demand and get more respect and engagement from political parties, councillors and all aspiring and sitting politicians. This was demonstrated in both the last Federal election and State Victorian election where the seats were very close and any group could have influenced the election outcome.

In my capacity as President of Muslims Australia (AFIC), I am urging all Islamic Associations not to ignore my humble request to join Muslims Australia for the betterment of our future generations.

Please find attached a membership form along with the Constitutional Requirements.

Please also feel free to contact Muslims Australia offices, one of the Executive Committee members, State Council Chairman or myself directly.

Wassalam,

Ikebal Adam Patel,
President – Muslims Australia (AFIC)