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INFORMATION UPDATE

FROM THE BOARD OF MALEK FAHD ISLAMIC SCHOOL

Assalamualiakum

Friday 20 October 2017

I am pleased to update you on the School Board's progress in one of the matters that, with your strong and valued support, we have been managing over the past 18 months.

Before I do that, the Board and I welcome all students back to school for the fourth and final term of the School year.

We especially welcome back our Year 12s for the last term of their school journey. We all wish you every success in your Year 12 examinations. Good luck to you all!

As you know, Malek Fahd Islamic School is proceeding with a Supreme Court action against the Australian Federation of Islamic Councils (AFIC, now Muslims Australia).

The case begins on Monday 6 November in the Supreme Court of NSW and 12 days have been set aside to hear the matter.

With the assistance of our legal team, we are well prepared and will be well represented in this essential action to help assure the future of Malek Fahd.

We did, of course, do our best to settle all these matters back in August with a court-appointed mediator. The mediation was not successful, leaving the School with no alternative but to proceed to the Supreme Court.

The reasons for this legal action were set out in detail in the Board's *Information Update* of 11 August.

We will keep you informed on this and all other important developments.

Jazakallah Khairan for your ongoing support.

Wassalam

DR JOHN BENNETT

Chair