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INFORMATION UPDATE

FROM THE BOARD OF MALEK FAHD ISLAMIC SCHOOL

Assalamualaikum

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Supreme Court and Federal Court matters

Here is an update on two of the current matters before the courts.

1. The case against AFIC in the NSW Supreme Court that began on 8 November concluded this week. The judge reserved his decisions on the remaining claims brought by the School that were not covered by his earlier orders in favour of MFIS.
2. The case against the Commonwealth Government in the Federal Court was heard on Wednesday last week (15 November). This relates to the Commonwealth's decision earlier this year to stop funding the school.

The judge ordered the Commonwealth to continue funding until the matter could be adjudicated. The judge has reserved his decision.

To this point, both of these matters have progressed as we expected. The outcomes of both cases should be known before the Christmas/New Year break.

Board matters

The MFIS Board met last Friday. The meeting included discussions of plans for 2018. The Board was particularly pleased to receive Mr Rixon's regular Principal's report that showed and confirmed the wonderful things happening at our School.

Following the Board meeting, the Parents Advisory Committee (PAC) held its final meeting of the year. The PAC has provided great support and advice to the Board throughout the year. The Board is very grateful for all the hard work by the PAC.

Jazakallah Khairan for your ongoing support.

Wassalam

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Chair