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## PRESS RELEASE

### **The Grand Mufti of Australia and ANIC condemn the series of bombings that occurred before yesterday in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia**

The Grand Mufti of Australia and the Australian National Imams Council, condemn the series of bombings that occurred before yesterday during the last nights of the Holy month of Ramadan in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. The most atrocious of the bombings, which occurred in the city of the Messenger of Allah (peace be upon him), the city of Medinah is also strongly condemned.

"The world today is overflowing with cruelty, aggression and injustice while demonstrating double standards in support of countries that practise this solely or in coordination with terrorist organizations who are responsible for the largest degree of terrorism when targeting innocent civilians and places" the Grand Mufti of Australia Dr Ibrahim Abu Mohammad said.

The Grand Mufti of Australia and the Australian National Imams Council also call upon all Muslims to stand united against all extremist ideologies and to denounce all terrorist organizations that promote such ideologies. We also call for the wider community to consider that terrorism is not related to Islam and that the Muslim community is the first community affected by such deviant thoughts. It must be made clear that there is no link between the phenomena of violence and Islam.

The Grand Mufti of the Australia and the Australian National Imams Council offer their sincere condolences and sympathy to all the victims and their families and also offer their support to those who have been impacted by the atrocities and to the government and the people of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

We ask Allah to protect all the Muslim lands from any harm, aggression and oppression.

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