



AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL IMAMS COUNCIL

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A MILESTONE MOU BETWEEN ANIC & MOHAMMADIYAH

Another historic and milestone moment for ANIC and the Muslim Community.

The Australian National Imams Council (ANIC) had signed another historic MOU with Muhammadiyah, one of the worlds largest Islamic organisations based in Indonesia.

Mohammadiyah is one of Indonesia's largest Islamic organizations, established in 1912, it has a large following with more than 50 million followers throughout the country.

The MOU includes:

- *The recognition of both organisations and their initiatives.*
- *Collaboration on islamic research and Fatwa.*
- *Exchange visits between delegations and Muslim scholars of the two organisations and countries.*
- *Joint Cooperation on Halal Economic Development and awareness.*
- *and other initiatives and agreements outlined in the MOU.*

The Australian National Imams Council (ANIC) extends its sincerest gratitude to Muhammadiyah and looks forward to executing the agreement of the MOU and cooperating together in the service of Islam, Muslims and the best interest of both neighboring countries Australia and Indonesia.

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