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AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL IMAMS COUNCIL

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Uniting the Imams and the Community in Australia



ANIC

The Australian National Imams Council (ANIC) is the only central, Islamic body that holds key representation from Australian-based Muslim Imams and Clerics.

Registered as a public company, ANIC was established in late 2006 as an umbrella organisation consisting of a Council of Imams, representing each Australian State and Territory.

ANIC seeks to unite the Councils of Imams of Australian States and Territories in order to streamline the activities of scholars in Australia, to better serve the Australian Muslim community throughout the nation.

ANIC is governed by a General Assembly and on the executive board, which is solely elected by its members. At the Council's inaugural General Assembly Meeting held in March 2006. On the ANIC executive board of 18 members representing all States and Territories were elected for a three-year term.

A key resolution passed at the inaugural AGM empowered the executive board to elect and appoint the position of The Grand Mufti of Australia. The Australian National Imams Council (ANIC) is the only central, Islamic body that holds key representation from Australian-based Muslim Imams and Clerics.



OUR VISION

The vision of the ANIC is to be a leading body representing mainstream Islam in Australia.

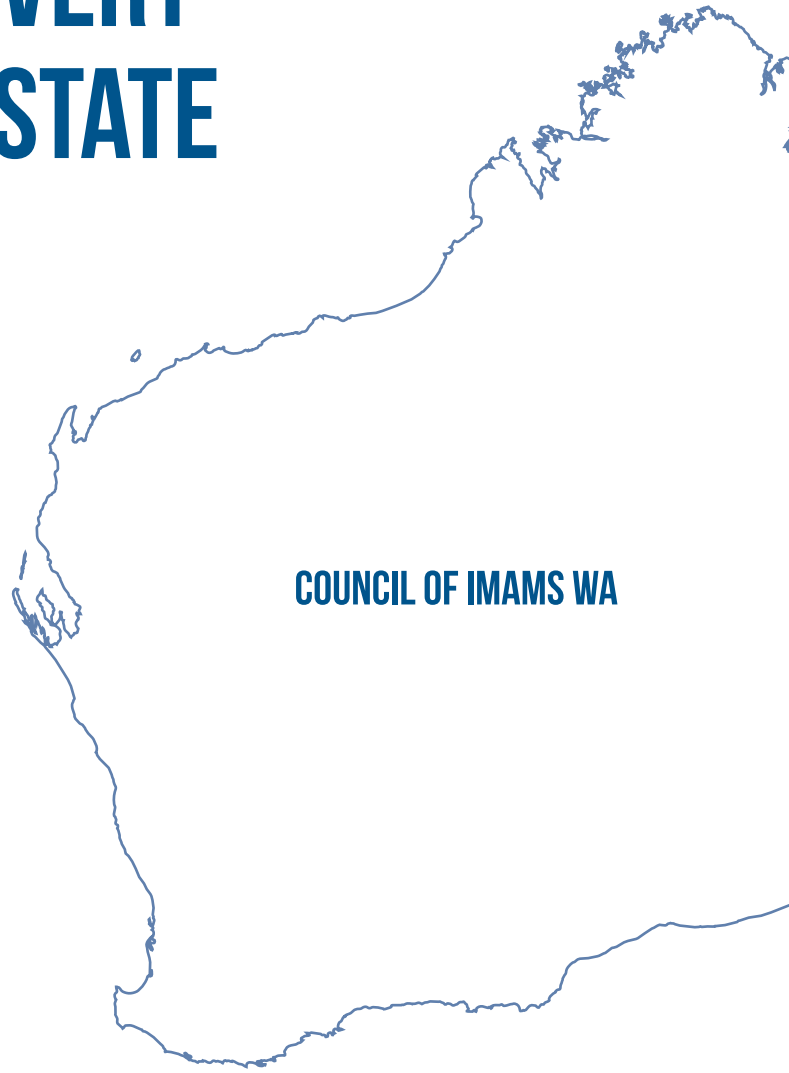
ANIC aims to utilise the skills, qualifications and expertise of Imams and Islamic scholars to promote and contribute to the betterment of the Australian Islamic community and the wider Australian society at large.

OUR MISSION

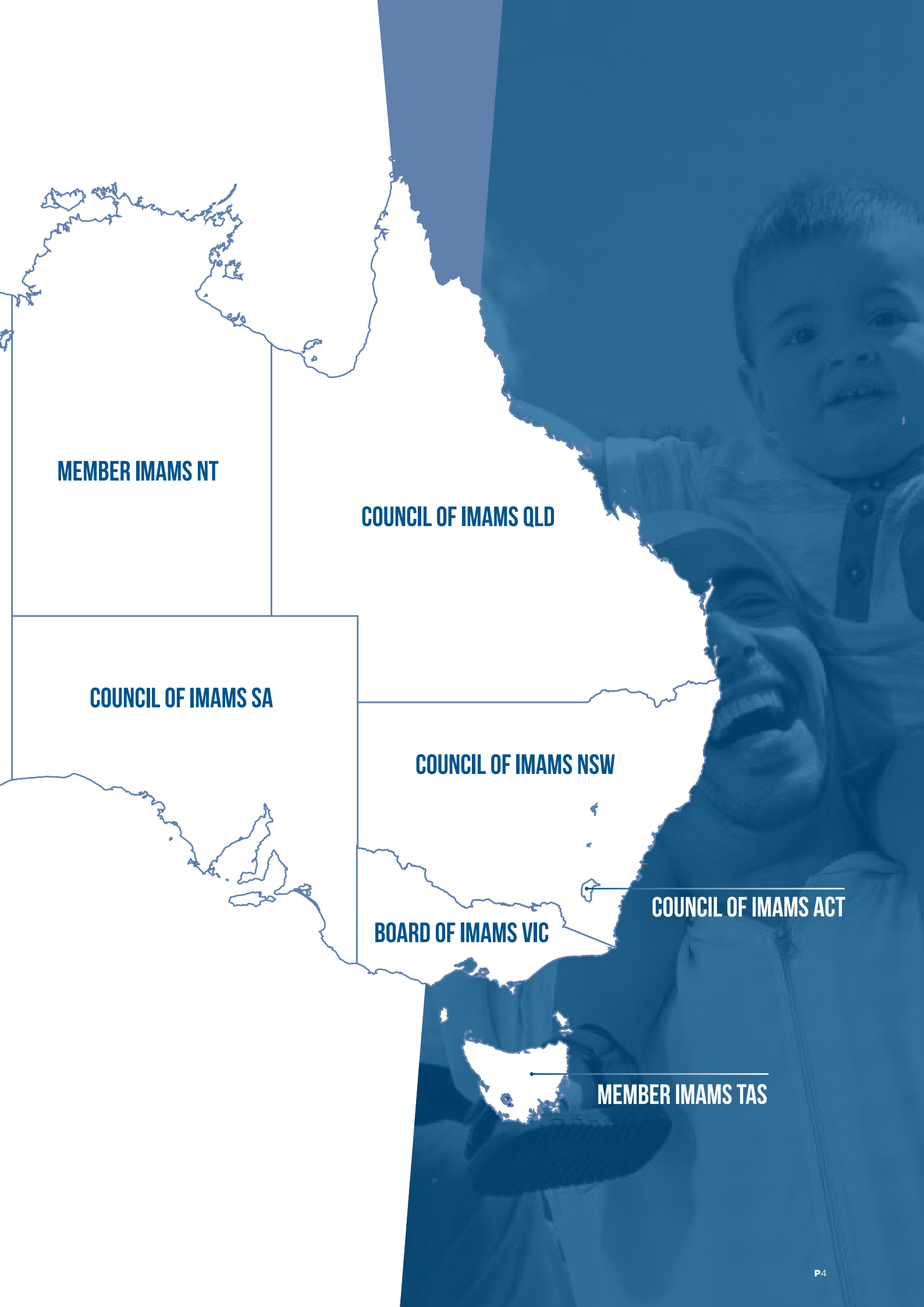
The mission of ANIC is to provide religious leadership, rulings and services to the Muslim community of Australia. ANIC endeavours to support the local Islamic community in all areas, by fostering good relations with other religious communities and the wider Australian society, in an effort to promote harmony, cooperation and successful integration within mainstream society.

OUR IMAMS ARE LOCATED IN EVERY AUSTRALIAN STATE

Currently there are over 200 Member Imams who are active in working with the Muslim Community in all states and territories.



ANIC is currently the sole national body of Imams and Islamic Scholars with a broad community representation. This places the Council in a unique position to officially represent the wider interests of the Australian Muslim Community. The ANIC members are involved in the day-to-day affairs of the Islamic community and in addressing and assisting in the affairs and concerns of the growing Muslim community.



MEMBER IMAMS NT

COUNCIL OF IMAMS QLD

COUNCIL OF IMAMS SA

COUNCIL OF IMAMS NSW

BOARD OF IMAMS VIC

COUNCIL OF IMAMS ACT

MEMBER IMAMS TAS

ANIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPRESENTATION



COUNCIL OF IMAMS NSW
7 MEMBERS

BOARD OF IMAMS VIC
5 MEMBERS

COUNCIL OF IMAMS QLD
2 MEMBERS

COUNCIL OF IMAMS WA
2 MEMBERS

COUNCIL OF IMAMS SA
2 MEMBERS

COUNCIL OF IMAMS ACT
1 MEMBER

FATWA COUNCIL
1 MEMBER

ANIC has a total of 20 Executive Committee Representatives from all major states in Australia.

6 EXECUTIVE MEMBERS
+ **1** CHAIRMAN

4 EXECUTIVE MEMBERS
+ **1** CHAIRMAN

1 EXECUTIVE MEMBERS
+ **1** CHAIRMAN

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1 CHAIRMAN

1 MUFTI OF AUSTRALIA | CHAIRMAN



Australian Fatwa COUNCIL

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The Australian Fatwa Council was established by the Australian National Imams Council as a division which focuses on regulating and overseeing religious verdicts issued which are inline with the orthodox Islamic tradition.

The Fatwa Council is chaired by the Mufti of Australia and qualified Imams in Islamic Jurisprudence from all Australian states and mainstream Islamic school of thoughts with the assistance of professional advice from the relevant parties, experts, professionals, academics etc when needed.

OUR OBJECTIVE



Islamic verdicts and
Researches on contemporary
and general religious matters.



Issuing Fatwas concerning the
Muslim community.



Religious and spiritual
guidance to preserve the
Islamic practices and identity.



ANIC HALAL AUTHORITY

ANIC Halal Authority is a subsidiary company of the Australian National Imams Council (ANIC). It is managed by a renowned and well-respected team of Islamic Scholars and experts in the Food Science and Technology. They have vast experience in halal certification in Australia. ANIC Halal Authority is a registered and approved Halal Certifying body by Department of Agriculture and Water Resources Australia as well as approved by major International Halal Agencies.



**ANIC provides a reliable and trustworthy
Halal Accreditation and Certification Services
for Meat, food, cosmetics and pharmaceutical
products for Australian Companies.**



OUR VISION

To become a trustworthy, reliable and influential Halal Certifying organisation in Australia that is recognised nationally and internationally.

OUR MISSION

To ensure that all Halal certified products and premises are in strict compliance with Islamic principles and lawful for Muslims to consume and use.

OUR OBJECTIVE

To examine, certify, and regulate all food products and consumer products in an efficient and effective manner so as to guarantee that it complies with Halal requirements as required by Shariah.



CENTRE FOR ARBITRATION & THE RESOLUTION OF DISPUTES

The Australian National Imams Council has developed the Centre for Arbitration and the Resolution Disputes Ltd (CARD). CARD is a service to assist people in the Islamic Communities of Australia by facilitating the resolution of marital disputes.

CARD facilitates Islamic mediation and arbitration to assist and advise both parties to identify which is the more appropriate process for the resolution of their dispute in accordance with Islamic Law and in consistency with the Australian legal system.





During this sensitive stage CARD is aware of the emotional toll placed on families, therefore consultation sessions are conducted in a private setting to maintain client confidentiality. All sessions are conducted in the presence of three respectable Imams whom are qualified in the area of Islamic Arbitration and Resolution Dispute, and a female administrator.

This service is available in English and Arabic. CARD emphasises professionalism, impartiality and confidentiality.

SERVICES



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CONSULTATIONS**



**ISLAMIC
MEDIATIONS**



**MARRIAGE
CELEBRANTS**



**MARRIAGE
RECONCILIATION**



**MEDIATION &
ARBITRATION**



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Imams united together
to assist the community.





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