



8th Alliance of Australian Muslims (AAM) National Summit 2025

Motions to be Moved and Adopted

Preamble

The Alliance of Australian Muslims (AAM), representing over 260 mainstream Muslim organisations across all states and territories, reaffirms its mission to serve Islam, preserve Islamic identity, advocate for the interests and welfare of the Muslim community in Australia and unite the Muslim community. These motions, adopted at the 8th AAM Summit 2024–2025, reflect the AAM's ongoing commitment to unity, leadership, advocacy, justice, and positive engagement within the broader Australian society.

Unity, Leadership, and Community Building

Motion 1: National Muslim Unity and Collaboration

The Alliance of Australian Muslims declares its commitment to strengthening unity among Australian Muslims through collaboration, mutual respect, and shared purpose. The AAM calls upon all Muslim organisations and community leaders to prioritise collective representation and national cooperation in engaging and addressing shared challenges, interests and aspirations.

Motion 2: Strengthening Leadership and Governance

The Alliance of Australian Muslims recognises that effective leadership and governance are essential for sustainable community development. The AAM resolves to deliver regular national leadership forums, training programs, and support to empower Muslim organisations and leaders with the skills and training needed to serve the community effectively.

Motion 3: Partnership with the Australian National Imams Council (ANIC)

AAM reaffirms its partnership with the Australian National Imams Council (ANIC), acknowledging it as the national religious authority responsible for Islamic rulings, spiritual guidance, and religious education. The AAM and ANIC shall continue to work collaboratively within their respective mandates, ensuring harmony between religious leadership and community representation nationwide.

Political Engagement, Education, and Advocacy

Motion 4: National Political Engagement and Civic Participation

The AAM commits to engaging professionally and principledly as a politically neutral organisation with all political parties, government departments, and decision-makers. The AAM will continue advocating for civil rights, religious freedom, and fair representation while educating Australian Muslims on civic responsibility, political participation, and informed engagement at all levels of government.



Motion 5: Advocacy for Palestine and Global Justice

The AAM reaffirms its unwavering support for the people of Palestine in their pursuit of freedom, justice, and self-determination. The AAM welcomes the Australian Government's recognition of the State of Palestine as an important, critical, and long-overdue step towards justice and accountability; however, the AAM calls on the Australian Government to uphold its international obligations by holding Israel accountable, condemning its war crimes, genocide, and illegal occupation, and ensuring justice for ongoing violations of international law.

Motion 6: Solidarity with Oppressed and Marginalised Communities

The AAM affirms and stands in solidarity with all oppressed peoples, including those suffering from famine and civil war in Sudan, and the persecuted Rohingya and Uyghur Muslims. It commits to standing against injustice globally while working locally with First Nations, multicultural, and faith communities to promote justice, equality, and social cohesion. The AAM rejects all forms of racism, discrimination, and religious intolerance.

Media, Public Representation, and Islamophobia

Motion 7: National Muslim Media Engagement Strategy

The AAM will strengthen its media presence by monitoring, challenging, and responding to misinformation and bias in the media and public domain. The AAM will also launch media training workshops, develop a national spokesperson register, and promote positive and authentic representation of Islam and Muslims in the public domain.

Motion 8: Combating Islamophobia and Hate Speech

The AAM commits to advocating against the rise of islamophobia and anti-Muslim hate and calls upon federal and state governments to introduce stronger measures protecting Muslim communities from hate speech, harassment, and discrimination. The AAM will continue working with civil society and media bodies to challenge prejudice and foster understanding.

Motion 9: Empowering Youth, Women, and Support for New Muslims

The AAM recognises the importance of inclusive representation and pledges to empower youth and women and support new Muslims through engagement and collaboration. It also provides support for new Muslims through engagement, collaboration, and community initiatives. The AAM affirms that a resilient and united Muslim future depends on the full participation of all segments of the community.

Future Direction and National Coordination

Motion 10: Building a Unified and Resilient Muslim Future

The AAM envisions a future where Muslims in Australia live with faith, dignity, and belonging. It commits to amplifying community voices and ensuring that its representation remains principled, inclusive, and united, serving Islam and the Muslim community for generations to come.