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## Statement regarding the Martin Place Siege

Arab Council Australia earlier today issued the following statement:

We are horrified by the news about the Martin Place siege and are extremely concerned that this is happening in Multicultural Australia. Our thoughts and great concerns are with the hostages who are caught up in this terrible situation, their families and all the people affected by this including the police officers on the scene. We have full confidence in our police and hope that the situation is resolved without further violence and that the perpetrator or perpetrators face the full force of the law and are brought to justice.

End

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