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## الهيئة الإسلامية في أيرلندا

### Islamic Foundation of Ireland

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#### **RE: Islamic Foundation of Ireland (IFI) Third Level Education Trust Appeal**

In the name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful, on behalf of the Islamic Foundation of Ireland, we would like to introduce to you the situation with regard to third level education for students including Muslim Students in Ireland. There are now approximately ten thousand Muslim students eligible for third level education. Most come from poor or disadvantaged background. Many of them have the potential of great achievement if given the opportunity to further their education.

The huge economic crisis in Ireland has had devastating effects on education. The fees are always increasing, while grants and funds are becoming extremely difficult to obtain. As there is no adequate support and structures in place especially within the Muslim community, this has prompted us to establish a trust for third level education under the auspices of the Islamic Foundation of Ireland.

The Islamic Foundation of Ireland is a Specially Authorised Society for Muslims in Ireland registered under the Friendly Societies Act to cater for the religious, social and cultural needs of Muslims in Ireland. The Foundation is also registers as a charitable organisation.

IFI Third Level Education Trust has been established mainly to support disadvantaged students in Ireland to access and pursue third level education in Ireland to enable them to build a new life, integrate into society and help their families and communities.

We humbly appeal for assistance in the form of donation/Zakat contribution so that we can assist those disadvantaged students to achieve their academic potentials.

Please see the information leaflet with further information and ways to donate for this worthy cause.

Please do not hesitate to contact us for any further information.

Kind Regards.

Wassalamu alaykum.

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