

## MEDIA STATEMENT CATHOLIC EDUCATION Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn

Mrs Moira Najdecki, Director of Catholic Education was contacted by the ACT Director General's Office on Tuesday 16 August advising of the report of a pornography ring targeting 70 schools, two of which were ACT Catholic Secondary Schools.

In consultation with the Principals concerned a letter was distributed to all parents of those schools advising them of the issues and support available.

Mrs Najdecki has expressed her "concern for the welfare of the students who are the targets of the pornography ring, and urged people who might have any information relating to this to call ACT POLICE on 131444 and Care and Protection on 1300556729".

Catholic Education will continue to work with the ACT Police and ACT Director General's office to ensure the safety and wellbeing of the students in ACT schools.

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