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AFIC supports calls to strip Beijing of the Winter Olympics

Media Statement

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“AFIC extends its support to the Canadian Parliament’s call to strip Beijing of the Winter Olympics. Canada’s lead on this issue should be celebrated by all human rights supporters around the world. China has been aggressively persecuting minorities, especially Uyghur Muslims from illegally annexed East Turkistan for decades. Canada’s principled stand must be endorsed by other nations.” Said AFIC’s president Dr Rateb Jneid.

“The extreme human rights abuses perpetrated by China require immediate action. We call on our government to take the lead in persuading the Anglophone Alliance and the international community to stop China’s human rights abuses.” Said Dr Jneid.

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