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Marist Brothers' Province of Australia



Statement from the Marist Brothers' Province of Australia – Br John O'Brien

15 April 2021

"We respect the verdict of the Court handed down today.

"The Marist Brothers are unreserved in our apology for the pain and suffering these actions have caused.

"We note that the judicial process in these matters is continuing with sentencing yet to occur and we will wait until all legal processes are finalised before commenting further." – **The Marist Brothers' Province of Australia.**

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Support, Reporting and Healing Information

Information on the services available to anyone who has experienced abuse in any of our facilities can be found on our website at www.maristbrothers.org.au.

We urge any person with evidence of criminal conduct to report that to their local police.

Our Professional Standards Office can also assist any person wishing to come forward and is contactable on 02 9218 4000.

The Marist Brothers' Province of Australia is a participating institution in the National Redress Scheme which can be contacted on 1800 737 177 or www.nationalredress.gov.au