



Statement from the Christian Brothers Oceania Province – CPSL Audit

7 May 2020

“The Christian Brothers Oceania are reviewing the [report](#) provided by Catholic Professional Standards (CPSL) and note that CPSL has confirmed that the Province has all key policies and procedures relating to safeguarding and that these are in place and operating.

“Further, CPSL has confirmed that the Christian Brothers Oceania Province has detailed human resource and risk management frameworks in place ensuring that personnel working with children are appropriately vetted prior to commencing employment and have comprehensive child safety training and support.

“Further we note that CPSL has confirmed 89% of CPSL standards are complied with. The Christian Brothers note the recommendation for additional work to ensure 100% compliance and we are committed to progressing these matters.

“Compliance with CPSL standards is in addition to our compliance across all our works with statutory child protection obligations and relevant state and Commonwealth laws and regulations including mandatory reporting”. – Br Peter Clinch cfc, Province Leader, Christian Brothers Oceania Province

Ends.