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Privacy Foundation NZ deplores terrorism in Christchurch

Marie Shroff, Chair of the Privacy Foundation New Zealand, expressed the Foundation's profound condolences to the families of the individuals killed of the terrorist act in Christchurch yesterday and expresses the hopes for a full recovery of the injured victims.

The Foundation expresses its solidarity with New Zealand's Muslim community and with the people of Christchurch.

We endorse the Prime Minister's call for people to avoid distributing the video recording of killings which, amongst other things, may accentuate the intrusion into the intimate sphere of the worshippers, victims and their families.

The New Zealand Police have advised that people can register a missing person or register themselves as alive at the Restoring Family Links (RFL) website at: <https://familylinks.icrc.org/new-zealand/en/Pages/Home.aspx>

Victim Support have established a Christchurch Shooting Victim's Fund and donations can be made at: <https://everydayhero.co.nz/event/christchurch-shooting>

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