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UKASE

Fr Boris, due to your recent sermon on the 3rd Sunday after Pentecost at the Intercession of the Holy Virgin Orthodox Church in Cabramatta, in which you spoke about the criminal trial outcome, and due to the detrimental effect this has had on our community, especially those who have been directly affected, victims and their families, you are now suspended from all priestly duties for 1 week (from the date of this Ukase).

I wish to reiterate, in no uncertain terms, that our Diocese condemns and does not tolerate any abuse, especially the abuse of minors.



+ Archbishop George

**Archbishop George of Sydney, Australia and New Zealand
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