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NGK should rescind Islam resolution

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IT is deeply regrettable that, in reviewing its theological support for apartheid, the NGK Synod adopted a retrogressive resolution that Islam is a false religion.

How unlike the progressive steps taken by Muslim and Christian scholars to bridge the gap of centuries of ignorance. The Vatican in 1974 met with leading scholars of Saudi Arabia and subsequently documented, inter alia, that a sincere attempt was being made to understand Islam.

Religious freedom must of necessity not accuse the faith of others as being false. The NGK's resolution should be rescinded to avoid confrontation in this southern tip of the continent.