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### **Media release – CIBT response to COVID-19**

Crown Institute of Business and Technology (CIBT) has announced a \$400,000 Financial Support Package to assist CIBT students during this period of financial hardship. This commitment is an addition to the recent announcement made on 22 April 2020 of the \$2.5 million support for higher education (Crown Institute of Higher Education) students. This commitment to CIBT students recognises the impact of the Coronavirus pandemic has on the lives of all International Students in Australia.

CEO of CIBT, Mr Deepak Khadka said “It is our corporate social responsibility to be by our students in this difficult time. We also hope that this commitment provides reassurance to our students’ families that they are in caring hands.”

CIBT has reduced Tuition Fees dramatically by 15% for Term 2 2020 and is waiving all the late and instalment fee for Term 2 2020 Payment for all currently enrolled students. Fee payment terms have been made more friendly. Students can pay fortnightly or even weekly.

“CIBT also provides a range of personal support, counselling services and assistance with job seeking in industries that are currently less affected by COVID-19, giving students an opportunity to regain employment” said RTO Manager, Mr. Narayan Tiwari.

The safety and welfare of the students are our utmost priority and we are doing everything we can to support them during this COVID-19 pandemic.

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