

General Notice of Renewal of Final Designations

18/02/2019

Terrorism and Terrorist Financing

Introduction

1. Three designations have been renewed under the Terrorist Asset-Freezing etc. Act 2010 (TAFA).

The reason for this Notice

- 2. The Office of Financial Sanction Implementation (OFSI), part of HM Treasury, has <u>renewed</u> the final designation of the following persons with effect from Monday 18 February 2019:
 - Hasan IZZ-AL-DIN (Group ID: 7146)
 - Abdelkarim AL-NASSER (Group ID: 7008)
 - **Ibrahim AL-YACOUB** (Group ID: 7015)
- 3. This means that the individuals listed above are therefore designated persons for the purposes of TAFA and continue to be subject to the financial sanctions imposed by it.

What you must do:

- 4. You must:
 - i. check whether you hold any accounts, funds or economic resources for, or provide financial services to, the persons set out in the Annex to this Notice;
 - ii. freeze such accounts or other funds;
 - iii. suspend the provision of any financial services to that person;

- iv. refrain from dealing with such funds or making them available to such persons unless licensed by the Office of Financial Sanctions Implementation (OFSI);
- v. report any findings to OFSI, together with any additional information that would facilitate compliance with TAFA.
- vi. provide any information concerning the frozen assets of designated persons that OFSI may request. Information reported to OFSI may be passed on to other regulatory authorities or law enforcement.
- 5. If you have <u>already reported</u> details of accounts held frozen for designated persons, <u>you are</u> not required to report these details again.
- 6. Failure to comply with financial sanctions legislation is a criminal offence.
- 7. Some dealings with funds and economic resources that would otherwise contravene TAFA can be licensed by OFSI. You can find out about applying for a licence as well as information about General Licences in OFSI's Guide to Financial Sanctions:

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/financial-sanctions-fags

Can I challenge a Designation?

- 8. If you are the designated person, you may appeal to the High Court or, in Scotland, the Court of Session, under section 26 of TAFA, any decision of OFSI to make or vary, or not to vary or revoke, an interim or final designation, or to renew a final designation.
- 9. If you are the designated person or a person affected by a decision of OFSI (other than decisions to which section 26 applies) you may apply to the High Court or, in Scotland, the Court of Session, for the decision to be set aside.
- 10. Please see OFSI's Guide to Financial sanctions for more information: https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/financial-sanctions-fags
- 11. The address for service of legal correspondence for the OFSI is:
 Government Legal Department, One Kemble Street, London, WC2B 4TS Phone: 020 7210 4700. DX number: 123242 Kingsway 6.

Other information

12. TAFA implements the terrorist asset freezing requirements of UN Security Council Resolution

1373 (2001) and Council Regulation (EC) No 2580/2001 in the UK.

13. OFSI's consolidated list of persons subject to financial sanctions in effect in the UK has been

updated to reflect the renewal of the designation. The consolidated list can be found on the

GOV.UK website:

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/financial-sanctions-consolidated-list-of-

targets/consolidated-list-of-targets

14. A copy of TAFA is available from legislation.gov.uk:

http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2010/38/contents

15. Copies of relevant Releases, UN Security Council Resolutions, EU Regulations and UK

legislation can be obtained from the Terrorism and Terrorist Financing regime page on the

Financial Sanctions pages of the GOV.UK website:

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/current-list-of-designated-persons-terrorism-

and-terrorist-financing

Enquiries / Contact details

16. Non-media enquiries, reports and licence applications should be addressed to:

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Tel: 020 7270 5454

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17. Media enquiries should be addressed to the Treasury Press Office on 020 7270 5238.

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ANNEX TO NOTICE

FINANCIAL SANCTIONS: TERRORISM AND TERRORIST FINANCING DESIGNATION MADE UNDER SECTION 2 OF THE TERRORIST ASSET-FREEZING ETC. ACT 2010

RENEWAL OF FINAL DESIGNATION

Date of Renewal of Final Designation 18/02/2019

Individuals

1. IZZ-AL-DIN, Hasan

DOB: --/--/1963. POB: Lebanon a.k.a: (1) GARBAYA, Ahmed (2) SALWWAN, Samir Nationality: Lebanon citizenship Address: Lebanon. Other Information: Izz-Al-Din is an alleged member of Lebanese Hizballah. He has been indicted in the US for his role in the hijacking of a commercial airliner in June 1985. Both UK listing and EU listing. Also referred to as Sa-id. Listed on: 12/10/2001 Last Updated: 18/02/2019 Group ID: 7146.

2. AL-NASSER, Abdelkarim Hussein Mohamed

POB: Al Ihsa, Saudi Arabia **Nationality**: Saudi Arabia citizenship **Other Information**: Al-Nasser is an alleged member of Saudi Hizballah. He has been indicted in the US for the 1996 bombing of the Khobar Towers military housing complex in Dhahran, Saudi Arabia. Both UK listing and EU listing. **Listed on**: 12/10/2001 **Last Updated**: 18/02/2019 **Group ID**: 7008.

3. AL-YACOUB, Ibrahim Salih Mohammed

DOB: 16/10/1966. POB: Tarut, Saudi Arabia Nationality: Saudi Arabia citizenship Other Information: Al-Yacoub is an alleged member of Saudi Hizballah. He has been indicted in the US for the 1996 bombing of the Khobar Towers military housing complex in Dhahran, Saudi Arabia. Both UK listing and EU listing. Listed on: 12/10/2001 Last Updated: 18/02/2019 Group ID: 7015.

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