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To : Chief Executives of all authorized insurers

Dear Sirs,

**United Nations (Anti-Terrorism Measures) Ordinance
United Nations Sanctions (Somalia) (Amendment) Regulation 2016
United States Executive Order 13224**

We are writing to inform you of the following developments:

(i) United Nations (Anti-Terrorism Measures) Ordinance

An updated list of terrorists and terrorist associates designated by the United Nations Security Council Committee (“Committee”) has been specified under the United Nations (Anti-Terrorism Measures) Ordinance (“UNATMO”). The list has been published in the Gazette (G.N. 480) on 29 January 2016 and is available on the Government’s website <http://www.gld.gov.hk/egazette/>. Relevant press releases issued by the Committee are attached at the Appendix for your reference.

Please note that under section 8 of the UNATMO, a person must not (a) except under the authority of a licence granted by the Secretary for Security, make any property or financial (or related) services available, by any means, directly or indirectly, to or for the benefit of a person knowing that, or being reckless as to whether, the person is a terrorist or terrorist associate; or (b) collect property or solicit financial (or related) services by any means, directly or indirectly, for the benefit of a person knowing that, or being reckless as to whether, the person is a terrorist or terrorist associate.

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(ii) United Nations Sanctions (Somalia) (Amendment) Regulation 2016

The United Nations Sanctions (Somalia) (Amendment) Regulation 2016 (“the Somalia Amendment Regulation”) has been published in the Gazette (L.N. 24 of 2016) on 29 January 2016 and is available on the Government’s website <http://www.gld.gov.hk/egazette/>.

The Somalia Amendment Regulation amends the existing Regulation on Somalia to incorporate provisions implementing decisions of the United Nations Security Council under Resolution 2244. It mainly implements the exceptions to the arms embargo measures, the prohibition against the provision of advice, assistance and training, as well as financial sanctions in respect of Somalia.

(iii) United States Executive Order 13224

The US Government updated the list of individuals and entities designated under the US Executive Order 13224 between 21 January 2016 and 28 January 2016. The relevant information can be found on the website of the US Treasury <http://www.treasury.gov/resource-center/sanctions/Programs/Documents/terror.pdf>.

You should review your records carefully to see whether you have had, or currently have, accounts, transactions or dealings with the named persons or entities. If such review reveals any suspicious accounts, transactions or dealings, you should promptly notify the Joint Financial Intelligence Unit. You are also reminded to browse the US Treasury’s website (including the FinCEN’s website) regularly for the latest information.

Should you have any enquiries on the above, please contact Ms Cindy Leung at 2153 2756 or Miss Katherine Yip at 2153 2748.

Yours faithfully,

(Miss Nancy Chien)
for Commissioner of Insurance
(Insurance Authority)

Encl.

c.c. Chairman, The Hong Kong Federation of Insurers



30 DECEMBER 2015

SC/12187

Security Council ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions Committee Amends One Entry on Its Sanctions List

SECURITY COUNCIL | PRESS RELEASE

On 30 December 2015, the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) enacted the amendments specified with underline and strikethrough in the entry below on its ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions List of individuals and entities subject to the assets freeze, travel ban and arms embargo set out in paragraph 2 of Security Council resolution 2253 (2015) adopted under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations:

A. Individuals associated with ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida

QDi.365 Name: 1: AKHMED 2: RAJAPOVICH 3: CHATAEV 4: na

Name (original script): Ахмед Ражапович Чатаев

Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** 4 Jul. 1980 **POB:** Vedeno Village, Vedenskiy District, Republic of Chechnya, Russian Federation **Good quality a.k.a.: a)** Akhmad Shishani (original script: Ахмад Шишани) **b)** David Mayer (Russian script: Давид Майер) **c)** Elmir Sene (original script: Эльмир Сене) **Low quality a.k.a.:** Odnorukiy (original script: Оdnорукий) **Nationality:** ~~na~~ Russian **Passport no.:** na **National identification no.:** Russian national passport number 9600133195, issued in Vedenskiy District, Republic of Chechnya, Russian Federation (issued by Department of Internal Affairs) **Address: a)** Syrian Arab Republic (located in as at Aug. 2015) **b)** Iraq (possible alternative location as at Aug. 2015) **Listed on:** 2 Oct. 2015 (amended on 10 and 30 Dec. 2015) **Other information:** As at Aug. 2015, one of the leaders of the Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (ISIL), listed as Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115), commanding directly 130 militants. Physical description: eye colour: brown, hair colour: black, build: solid; distinguishing marks: oval face, beard, missing a right hand and left leg, speaks Russian, Chechen and possibly German and Arabic. Wanted by the authorities of the Russian Federation for terrorist crimes committed in its territory. Photo available for inclusion in the INTERPOL-UN Security Council Special Notice.

The Committee's ISIL (Da'esh) & Al-Qaida Sanctions List is updated regularly on the basis of relevant information provided by Member States and international and regional organizations. An updated List is accessible on the Committee's website at the following URL:

https://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/1267/aq_sanctions_list
(https://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/1267/aq_sanctions_list).

The Consolidated United Nations Security Council Sanctions List is also updated following all changes made to the ISIL (Da'esh) & Al-Qaida Sanctions List. An updated version of the Consolidated List is accessible via the following URL:

<https://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/un-sc-consolidated-list>
(<https://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/un-sc-consolidated-list>).

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11 JANUARY 2016

SC/12196

Security Council ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions Committee Deletes One Entry from Its Sanctions List

SECURITY COUNCIL | PRESS RELEASE

Decision Taken Following Review of Delisting Request Submitted through Office of the Ombudsperson

On 11 January 2016, the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999) and 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning ISIL (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities removed the name below from the ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions List after concluding its consideration of the delisting requests for this name submitted through the Office of the Ombudsperson established pursuant to Security Council resolution 1904 (2009), and after considering the Comprehensive Report of the Ombudsperson on this delisting request.

Therefore, the assets freeze, travel ban and arms embargo set out in paragraph 2 of Security Council resolution 2253 (2015) no longer apply to the name set out below.

A. Individuals associated with ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida

QDi.157 Name: 1: ABD AL WAHAB 2: ABD AL HAFIZ 3: na 4: na

Name (original script): عبد الوهاب عبد الحافظ

Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** 7 Sep. 1967 **POB:** Algiers, Algeria **Good quality**

a.k.a.: **a)** Mouloud Ferdjani, born 7 Sep. 1967 in Algeria **b)** Abdelwahab Abdelhafid, born 30 Oct. 1968 in Algeria **c)** Abdel Wahab Abdelhafid, born 30 Oct. 1968 in Algeria **d)** Abdewahab Abdel Hafid, born 30 Oct. 1968 in Algeria **e)** Abedel Wahad Abdelhafio, born 30 Oct. 1968 in Algeria **f)** Abdelouahab Abdelhafid, born 30 Oct. 1968 in El Harrach, Algeria (appears in Algerian passport number 3525282) **Low quality a.k.a.:** **a)** Mourad **b)** Said **c)** Rabah Di Roma **Nationality:** Algerian **Passport no.:** Algerian passport number 3525282 (issued under name Abdelouahab Abdelhafid (good quality a.k.a. f)) **National identification no.:** na **Address:** na **Listed on:** 17 Mar. 2004 (amended on 26 Nov. 2004, 9 Sep. 2005, 21 Dec. 2007, 25 Jan. 2010, 16 May 2011, 17 Aug. 2015) **Other information:** Sentenced in absentia in Italy to 5 years of imprisonment.

Arrest warrant issued by the Italian authorities on 19 May 2005, cancelled on 18 March 2008. Linked to support for the Organization of Al-Qaida in the Islamic Maghreb (AQIM) (QDe.014). Photo available for inclusion in the INTERPOL-UN Security Council Special Notice. Review pursuant to Security Council resolution 1822 (2008) was concluded on 30 Jul. 2009.

The names of individuals and entities removed from the ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions List pursuant to a decision by the Committee may be found in the "Press Releases" section on the Committee's website. Other information about delisting may be found on the Committee's website at:
www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/1267/aq_sanctions_list/procedures-for-delisting
(https://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/1267/aq_sanctions_list/procedures-for-delisting).

The Committee's ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions List is updated regularly on the basis of relevant information provided by Member States and international and regional organizations. An updated List is accessible on the Committee's website at the following URL:
www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/1267/aq_sanctions_list
(https://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/1267/aq_sanctions_list).

The Consolidated United Nations Security Council Sanctions List is also updated following all changes made to the ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions List. An updated version of the Consolidated List is accessible via the following URL:
www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/un-sc-consolidated-list
(<https://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/un-sc-consolidated-list>).

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15 JANUARY 2016

SC/12204

Security Council ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions Committee Amends One Entry on Its Sanctions List

SECURITY COUNCIL | PRESS RELEASE

On 15 January 2016, the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) enacted the amendments specified with underline and strikethrough in the entry below on its ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions List of individuals and entities subject to the assets freeze, travel ban and arms embargo set out in paragraph 2 of Security Council resolution 2253 (2015) adopted under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations:

A. Individuals associated with ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida

QDi.276 Name: 1: AKRAM 2: TURKI 3: HISHAN 4: AL-MAZIDIH

Name (original script): أكرم تركي هاشم المزيد

Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** a) 1974 b) 1975 **POB:** na **Good quality a.k.a.:**

Akram Turki Al-Hishan **Low quality a.k.a.:** a) Abu Jarrah b) Abu Akram

Nationality: na **Passport no.:** na **National identification no.:** na **Address:** a)

Deir ez-Zor Governorate, Syrian Arab Republic b) Iraq ~~c) Jordan~~ **Listed on:** 11

Mar. 2010 (amended on 10 Dec. 2015, 15 Jan. 2016 **Other information:** Other possible date of birth: 1979. He is a cousin of Ghazy Fezza Hishan Al Mazidih (QDi.277). Financial facilitator of the Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant, listed as Al-Qaida in Iraq (AQI) (QDe.115) as of 2015.

The Committee's ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions List is updated regularly on the basis of relevant information provided by Member States and international and regional organizations. An updated List is accessible on the Committee's website at the following URL:

www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/1267/aq_sanctions_list

(http://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/1267/aq_sanctions_list).

The Consolidated United Nations Security Council Sanctions List is also updated following all changes made to the ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions List. An updated version of the Consolidated List is accessible via the following URL:
www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/un-sc-consolidated-list
(<https://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/un-sc-consolidated-list>).

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