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Dear Sirs,

United Nations (Anti-Terrorism Measures) Ordinance
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. 1341) on 11 March 2016 and is available on the Government’s website <http://www.gld.gov.hk/egazette/>. Relevant press release issued by the Committee is 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 States Executive Order 13224

The US Government updated the list of individuals and entities designated under the US Executive Order 13224 on 9 March 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,

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Security Council ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions Committee Adds 12 Names to Its Sanctions List

SECURITY COUNCIL | PRESS RELEASE

On 29 February 2016, the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning ISIL (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities approved the addition of the entries specified below to its 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.371 Name: 1: ABD AL-BASET 2: AZZOUZ 3: na 4: na

Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** 7 Feb. 1966 **POB:** Doma, Libya **Good quality a.k.a.: a)** Abdelbasset Azouz **b)** Abdul Baset Azouz **Low quality a.k.a.: a)** AA (initials) **Nationality:** Libyan **Passport no.: a)** Libyan passport number 223611 **b)** British passport number C00146605 **National identification no.:** na **Address:** Libya (last known location) **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other information:** Key operative in Al-Qaida (QDe.004). Under the direction of Aiman al-Zawahiri (QDi.006), recruited 200 militants in the eastern part of Libya.

QDi.372 Name: 1: GULMUROD 2: KHALIMOV 3: na 4: na

Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** **a)** 14 May 1975 **b)** approximately 1975 **POB:** **a)** Varzob area, Tajikistan **b)** Dushanbe, Tajikistan **Good quality a.k.a.: na Low quality a.k.a.: na Nationality:** Tajikistan **Passport no.:** na **National identification no.:** na **Address:** Syrian Arab Republic (location as at Sep. 2015) **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other information:** Syria-based military expert, member and recruiter of Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant, listed as Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115). Wanted by the Government of Tajikistan.

QDi.374 Name: 1: NUSRET 2: IMAMOVIC 3: na 4: na

Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** **a)** 26 Sep. 1971 **b)** 26 Sep. 1977 **POB:** na **Good quality a.k.a.: Nusret Sulejman Imamovic Low quality a.k.a.: na Nationality:**

Bosnia and Herzegovina **Passport no.:** a) Bosnia and Herzegovina passport number 349054 b) Bosnia and Herzegovina passport number 3490054 **National identification no.:** na **Address:** Syrian Arab Republic (location as at Sep. 2015) **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other information:** Believed to be fighting with Al-Nusra Front for the People of the Levant (QDe.137) in Syrian Arab Republic and reported to be a leader in the group as of Apr. 2015.

QDi.377 Name: 1: MUHANNAD 2: AL-NAJDI 3: na 4: na
Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** 19 May 1984 **POB:** al-Duwadmi, Saudi Arabia
Good quality a.k.a.: 'Ali Manahi 'Ali al-Mahaydali al-'Utaybi **Low quality a.k.a.:** Ghassan al-Tajiki **Nationality:** Saudi Arabian **Passport no.:** na **National identification no.:** na **Address:** na **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other information:** Syria-based Al-Qaida (QDe.004) facilitator. Involved in the development of improvised explosive devices for use in Afghanistan and Syrian Arab Republic since at least 2010.

QDi.383 Name: 1: MORAD 2: LAABOUDI 3: na 4: na
Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** 26 Feb.1993 **POB:** Morocco **Good quality a.k.a.:** na **Low quality a.k.a.:** a) Abu Ismail b) Abu Ismail al-Maghribi **Nationality:** Moroccan **Passport no.:** Moroccan passport number UZ6430184 **National identification no.:** Moroccan national identity number CD595054 **Address:** Turkey **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other information:** Facilitator for travel of foreign terrorist fighters to join Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant, listed as Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115), in Syrian Arab Republic.

QDi.384 Name: 1: ALI MUSA 2: AL-SHAWAKH 3: na 4: na
Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** 1973 **POB:** Sahl Village, Raqqa Province, Syrian Arab Republic **Good quality a.k.a.:** a) 'Ali Musa al-Shawagh b) 'Ali Musa al-Shawagh c) Ali al-Hamoud al-Shawakh d) Ibrahim al-Shawwakh e) Muhammad 'Ali al-Shawakh **Low quality a.k.a.:** a) Abu Luqman b) Ali Hammud c) Abdullah Shuwar al-Aujayd d) Ali Awas e) 'Ali Derwish f) 'Ali al-Hamud g) Abu Luqman al-Sahl h) Abu Luqman al-Suri i) Abu Ayyub **Nationality:** Syrian **Passport no.:** na **National identification no.:** na **Address:** Syrian Arab Republic **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other information:** A leader of Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (ISIL), listed as Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115). As of Jun, 2015, al-Shawakh was the ISIL governor of Aleppo.

QDi.385 Name: 1: HASAN 2: AL-SALAHAYN 3: SALIH 4: AL-SHA'ARI
Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** 1975 **POB:** Derna, Libya **Good quality a.k.a.:** Husayn al-Salihin Salih al-Sha'iri **Low quality a.k.a.:** a) Abu Habib al-Libi b) Hasan Abu Habib **Nationality:** Libyan **Passport no.:** Libyan passport number 542858 **National identification no.:** Libyan national identification number 55252, issued in Derna, Libya **Address:** Libya **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other information:** Facilitator for Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (ISIL), listed as Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115).

QDi.386 Name: 1: MOUNIR 2: BEN DHAOU 3: BEN BRAHIM 4: BEN HELAL
Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** 10 May 1983 **POB:** Ben Guerdane, Tunisia **Good quality a.k.a.:** na **Low quality a.k.a.:** a) Mounir Helel b) Mounir Hilel c) Abu Rahmah d) Abu Maryam al-Tunisi **Nationality:** Tunisian **Passport no.:** na **National identification no.:** na **Address:** na **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other information:** Foreign terrorist fighter facilitator experienced in establishing and securing travel routes. Deeply involved in providing material support to the Organization of Al-Qaida in the Islamic Maghreb (QDe.014) in North Africa. Assisted foreign terrorist fighters' travel throughout North Africa and to Syrian Arab Republic to join Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant, listed as Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115).

QDi.387 Name: 1: MOHAMMED 2: ABDEL-HALIM 3: HEMAIDA 4: SALEH
Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** a) 22 Sep. 1988 b) 22 Sep. 1989 **POB:** Alexandria, Egypt **Good quality a.k.a.:** a) Muhammad Hameida Saleh b) Muhammad Abd-al-Halim Humaydah c) Faris Baluchistan **Low quality a.k.a.:** na **Nationality:** Egyptian **Passport no.:** na **National identification no.:** na **Address:** Egypt **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other information:** Member of Al-Qaida (QDe.004). Involved in recruiting suicide bombers to go to Syrian Arab Republic and planning terrorist activities against targets in Europe. Arrested in Cairo, Egypt in 2013.

QDi.388 Name: 1: SALIM 2: BENGHALEM 3: na 4: na
Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** 6 Jul. 1980 **POB:** Bourg la Reine, France **Good quality a.k.a.:** na **Low quality a.k.a.:** na **Nationality:** French **Passport no.:** na **National identification no.:** na **Address:** Syrian Arab Republic (as at Sep. 2015) **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other information:** Syria-based French violent extremist and member of Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant, listed as Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115). Subject to a European Arrest Warrant.

QDi.389 Name: 1: ABU UBAYDAH 2: YUSUF 3: AL-ANABI 4: na
Title: na **Designation:** na **DOB:** 7 Feb. 1969 **POB:** Annaba, Algeria **Good quality a.k.a.:** a) Abou Obejda Youssef Al-Annabi b) Abu-Ubaydah Yusuf Al-Inabi **Low quality a.k.a.:** a) Mebrak Yazid b) Youcef Abu Obeida c) Mibrak Yazid d) Yousif Abu Obayda Yazid e) Yazid Mebrak f) Yazid Mabrak g) Yusuf Abu Ubaydah h) Abou Youcef **Nationality:** Algerian **Passport no.:** na **National identification no.:** na **Address:** Algeria **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other information:** A leader of the Organization of Al-Qaida in the Islamic Maghreb (AQIM) (QDe.014). Photo available for inclusion in the INTERPOL-UN Security Council Special Notice.

B. Entities and other groups associated with ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida

QDe.149 Name: HAKARAT SHAM AL-ISLAM
A.k.a.: a) Haraket Sham al-Islam b) Sham al-Islam c) Sham al-Islam Movement **F.k.a.:** na **Address:** Syrian Arab Republic **Listed on:** 29 Feb. 2016 **Other**

information: Moroccan-led terrorist organization formed in Aug. 2013 and operating in Syrian Arab Republic. Principally composed of foreign terrorist fighters and associated with Al-Nusra Front for the People of the Levant (QDe.137).

In accordance with paragraph 49 of resolution 2253 (2015), the Committee has made accessible on its website the narrative summary of reasons for listing of the above name, at the following URL:

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

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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