

REFERENCE: SCA/2/23 (02)

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 presents its compliments to the Permanent Representatives and Observers to the United Nations and wishes to convey the following:

On 27/01/2023, the Committee enacted **the addition** of the entry specified below to its Sanctions List of individuals and entities subject to the assets freeze, travel ban and arms embargo set out in paragraph 1 of Security Council resolution 2610 (2021) and adopted under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations.

**B. Entities and other groups**

**QDe.169 Name:** Islamic State In Iraq And the Levant In South-East Asia (ISIL-SEA, ISIL-South East Asia)

**Name (original script):** na

**A.k.a.: a)** Islamic State East Asia Division **b)** Dawlatul Islamiyah Waliyatul Mashriq

**F.k.a.:** na **Address:** na **Listed on:** 27 Jan. 2023 **Other information:** Formed in June 2016 upon announcement by now-deceased Isnlon Hapilon (QDi.204). Associated with Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant, listed as Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115). INTERPOL-UN Security Council Special Notice web link: <https://www.interpol.int/en/How-we-work/Notices/View-UN-Notices-Entities> [click here](#)

**Narrative Summary**

**QDe.169** Islamic State In Iraq And the Levant In South-East Asia (ISIL-SEA, ISIL-South East Asia)

**Date on which the narrative summary became available on the Committee's website:** 27 January 2023

**Reason for listing:**

Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant in South-East Asia (ISIL-SEA) was listed on 27 January 2023 pursuant to paragraphs 2 and 4 of resolution 2610 (2021) as being associated with ISIL for “participating in the financing, planning, facilitating, preparing, or perpetrating of acts or activities by, in conjunction with, under the name of, on behalf of, or in support of”, “supplying, selling or transferring arms and related materiel to”, “recruiting for”, “otherwise supporting acts or activities of”, and “either owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by, or otherwise supporting” Islamic State in Iraq and

the Levant (ISIL), listed as Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115) and Abu Sayyaf Group (QDe.001).

**Additional information:**

In June 2016, ISIL published a video of militants in the Philippines pledging allegiance to ISIL. In the video, militants encouraged other fighters to join the terrorist group and support ISIL's efforts in the region under the command of now-deceased Isnlon Hapilon (QDi.204). Some Abu Sayyaf Group (QDe.001) factions have been reported to interact and coordinate with ISIL-South-East Asia, including participating in attacks that are sometimes claimed by ISIL.

ISIS-South-East Asia has carried out numerous attacks since its formation, including:

- In August 2020, the group claimed the twin bombings in Jolo, Sulu province, the Philippines, which killed 15 people and wounded 75 others.
- In June 2019, the group claimed a suicide attack on a Philippine military base in southern Philippines, killing five people and wounding nine others.
- In January 2019, the group claimed responsibility for a pair of explosions, the first targeting the Cathedral of Our Lady of Mount Carmel in Jolo, the Philippines and the second aimed at first responders who rushed to help the wounded, killing 20 people and injuring at least 82.
- In July 2018, the group claimed responsibility for a suicide operation on a Philippine army post in Lamitan City, Basilan, the Philippines, killing at least 11 people.

**Related listed individuals and entities:**

Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115), listed on 18 October 2004

Abu Sayyaf Group (QDe.001), listed on 7 April 2011

The names of individuals and entities on 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:

<https://www.un.org/securitycouncil/sanctions/1267/press-releases>

To obtain a fully updated version of the List, Member States are encouraged to consult, on a regular basis, the Committee's website at the following URL:

[https://www.un.org/securitycouncil/sanctions/1267/aq\\_sanctions\\_list](https://www.un.org/securitycouncil/sanctions/1267/aq_sanctions_list). The Sanctions List is available in HTML, PDF and XML format and is updated regularly on the basis of relevant information provided by Member States and international and regional organizations.

The United Nations Security Council Consolidated 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:

<https://www.un.org/securitycouncil/content/un-sc-consolidated-list>.

In accordance with paragraph 19 of resolution 1526 (2004), the Secretariat automatically conveys updates of the ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions List to

States, regional and sub-regional organizations by e-mail shortly following the postings of such updates on the Committee's website. Member States are invited to submit any updated or new information for this purpose to the Secretariat by e-mail to: [SC-1267-Committee@un.org](mailto:SC-1267-Committee@un.org). The Committee encourages all States to allow implementation of updates of the ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions List based on e-mails, soft-copy notices, or website postings.

27 January 2023