



Counter-Terrorism (International)

Introduction

1. The Counter-Terrorism (International Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations (S.I. 2019/573) were made under the Sanctions and Anti-Money Laundering Act 2018 (the Sanctions Act) and provide for the freezing of funds and economic resources of certain persons, entities or bodies involved in terrorist activity.
2. On 16 June 2022 the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office updated the UK Sanctions List on GOV.UK. This list provides details of those designated under regulations made under the Sanctions Act. A link to the UK Sanctions List can be found below.
3. Following the publication of the UK Sanctions List, information on the Consolidated List has been updated.

Notice summary

4. The following entries have been amended and are still subject to an asset freeze:
 - Ibrahim Salih Mohammed AL-YACOUB (Group ID: 7015)
 - Farah MELIAD (Group ID: 13443)
 - Hocine BOUGUETOF (Group ID: 13715)

What you must do

5. You must:

- i. check whether you maintain any accounts or hold any funds or economic resources for the persons set out in the Annex to this Notice;
 - ii. freeze such accounts, and other funds or economic resources and any funds which are owned or controlled by persons set out in the Annex to the Notice
 - iii. refrain from dealing with the funds or assets or making them available (directly or indirectly) to such persons unless licensed by the Office of Financial Sanctions Implementation (OFSI);
 - iv. report any findings to OFSI, together with any additional information that would facilitate compliance with the Regulations;
 - v. 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.
6. Where a relevant institution has already reported details of accounts, other funds or economic resources held frozen for designated persons, they are not required to report these details again.
7. Failure to comply with financial sanctions legislation or to seek to circumvent its provisions is a criminal offence.

Further Information

8. Copies of recent notices, UK legislation and relevant guidance can be obtained from the Counter-Terrorism (International) financial sanctions page on the Gov.UK website:
<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/financial-sanctions-regime-specific-consolidated-lists-and-releases>
9. The Consolidated List can be found here:
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/financial-sanctions-consolidated-list-of-targets/consolidated-list-of-targets>
10. The UK Sanctions List can be found here:
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/the-uk-sanctions-list>

11. For more information please see our guide to financial sanctions:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/uk-financial-sanctions-guidance>

Enquiries

12. Non-media enquiries about the implementation of financial sanctions in the UK should be addressed to:

Office of Financial Sanctions Implementation
HM Treasury
1 Horse Guards Road
London
SW1A 2HQ
ofsi@hmtreasury.gov.uk

13. Non-media enquiries about the sanctions measures themselves should be addressed to:
sanctions@fcdo.gov.uk

14. Media enquiries about how financial sanctions are implemented in the UK should be addressed to the Treasury Press Office on 020 7270 5238.

15. Media enquiries about the sanctions measures themselves should be addressed to the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office Press Office on 020 7008 3100.

ANNEX TO NOTICE

FINANCIAL SANCTIONS: COUNTER-TERRORISM (INTERNATIONAL)

THE COUNTER-TERRORISM (INTERNATIONAL SANCTIONS) (EU EXIT) REGULATIONS (S.I. 2019/573)

AMENDMENTS

Deleted information appears in strikethrough. Additional information appears in italics and is underlined.

Individuals

1. AL-YACOUB, Ibrahim Salih Mohammed

DOB: 16/10/1966. **POB:** Tarut, Saudi Arabia **Nationality:** Saudi Arabia **Other Information:** (UK Sanctions List Ref): CTI0002 (UK Statement of Reasons): Ibrahim Salih Mohammed Al-Yacoub is a member of Saudi Hizballah. He is wanted by the FBI for his involvement in the Khobar Towers attack of 25 June 1996. (*Gender*): *Male* **Listed on:** 12/10/2001 **UK Sanctions List Date Designated:** 31/12/2020 **Last Updated:** ~~31/12/2020~~ 16/06/2022 **Group ID:** 7015.

2. MELIAD, Farah

DOB: 05/11/1980. **POB:** Sydney, Australia **Nationality:** Australia **Passport Number:** M2719127 **Passport Details:** Australia **Other Information:** (UK Sanctions List Ref): CTI0010 (UK Statement of Reasons): Farah Meliad has been found guilty of having participated in the bombing of Burgas Airport, which killed 6 people and injured 32 others. He is associated with the terrorist group Hizballah. (*Gender*): *Male* **Listed on:** 23/12/2016 **UK Sanctions List Date Designated:** 31/12/2020 **Last Updated:** ~~11/03/2022~~ 16/06/2022 **Group ID:** 13443.

3. BOUGUETOF, Hocine

DOB: 01/07/1959. **POB:** Tebessa, Algeria **a.k.a:** BOUGUETOF, Hocine **Nationality:** Algeria **Other Information:** (UK Sanctions List Ref): CTI0015 (UK Statement of Reasons): Mr Bouguetof travelled to Syria to join Daesh in 2015, and has publicly acknowledged having a senior role in the organisation. Bouguetof has supported the activities of Daesh through his work in Daesh's marriage bureau. (*Gender*): *Male* **Listed on:** 16/10/2018 **UK Sanctions List Date Designated:** 31/12/2020 **Last Updated:** ~~31/12/2020~~ 16/06/2022 **Group ID:** 13715.

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