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Financial Sanctions Notice

21/01/2021

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. This notice is to issue a correction for 6 listings in the Counter-Terrorism (International) regime.

Notice summary

- 3. The following entries have been amended and are still subject to an asset freeze:
 - Brahim EL-KHAYARI (Group ID: 13769)
 - Manssor ARBABSIAR (Group ID: 12206)
 - AL-GAMA'A AL-ISLAMIYYA (Group ID: 6988)

- REVOLUTIONARY PEOPLES' LIBERATION PARTY FRONT (DEVRIMCI HALK KURTULUS PARTISI-CEPHESI) (DHKP-C) (Group ID: 7120)
- THE POPULAR FRONT FOR LIBERATION OF PALESTINE GENERAL COMMAND (Group ID: 7399)
- THE GREAT EASTERN ISLAMIC RAIDERS' FRONT (Group ID: 7980)

What you must do

4. 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 Governor;
- iv. report any findings to the FRA at <u>financialsanctions@gov.ky</u>, together with any additional information that would facilitate compliance with the Regulation;
- v. provide any information concerning the frozen assets of designated persons to the FRA at financialsanctions@gov.ky by completing and submitting a Compliance Reporting Form (CRF). Information reported to FRA may be passed on to other regulatory authorities or law enforcement.
- 5. Where a relevant institution has <u>already reported</u> details of accounts, other funds or economic resources held frozen for designated persons, <u>they are not required to report these details again</u>.
- 6. Failure to comply with financial sanctions legislation or to seek to circumvent its provisions is a criminal offence.

Further Information

7. Copies of recent notices, UK legislation and relevant guidance can be found 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

8. The Consolidated List can be found here:

 $\underline{https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/financial-sanctions-consolidated-list-of-targets/consolidated-list-of-targets}$

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 OFSI's guide to financial sanctions:

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

12. For general information on financial sanctions please see our Financial Sanctions Guidance

http://fra.gov.ky/app/webroot/files/2020-02-21%20FRA%20Financial%20Santions%20Guidance%20(Final).pdf

Enquiries

13. Enquiries regarding this Financial Sanctions Notice should be addressed to:

The Sanctions Coordinator Financial Reporting Authority P.O. BOX 1054 Grand Cayman KY1-1102 Cayman Islands financialsanctions@gov.ky

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. EL-KHAYARI, Brahim

DOB: 07/05/1992. **POB**: Nîmes, France **Nationality**: French **Address**: (1) Syria. (2) Iraq. **Other Information**: (UK Sanctions List Ref): CNT0044 Date designated on UK Sanctions List: 31/12/2020 (Further Identifying Information): Linked to Sheikh Adnani - Official Spokesman of Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (QDei.325) (UK Statement of Reasons): Brahim El-Khayari is associated with ISIL (Da'esh) – a terrorist organisation. He is a foreign terrorist fighter who travelled to Syria to participate in activities (including recruitment and glorification of acts of terrorism) on behalf of Da'esh. (Gender): Male **Listed on**: 31/12/2020 18/02/2019 Last **Updated**: 31/12/2020 21/01/2021 **Group ID**: 13769.

2. ARBABSIAR, Manssor

DOB: (1) 15/03/1955. (2) 06/03/1955. POB: Iran a.k.a: ARBABSIAR, Mansour Nationality: (1) Iranian (2) US Passport Details: C2002515 (Iranian) National Identification no: 07442833 (USA driving licence). Expiry date 15 March 2016) Address: (1) United States, 78664. (2) 5403 Everhardt Road, Corpus Christi, TX, 78411, United States, 78411. Other Information: (UK Sanctions List Ref): CNT0004 Date designated on UK Sanctions List: 31/12/2020 (Further Identifiying Information): Links to IRGC5: Soleimani, Shahlai, Abdollahi and Shakuri (UK Statement of Reasons): Manssor Arbabsiar is a US/Iranian national who pleaded guilty to participating in a plot to murder Adel al-Jubeir, the Saudi ambassador to the US in 2011. (Gender): Male Listed on: 17/10/2011 Last Updated: 31/12/2020 21/01/2021 Group ID: 12206.

Entities

1. AL-GAMA'A AL-ISLAMIYYA

a.k.a: (1) Al Jama'A Jama'a Al-Islamiya (2) Al-Jamā'ah Al-Islāmīyah (3) Gi GI (4) Ig IG (5) The Islamic Group **Other Information**: (UK Sanctions List Ref): CNT0030 Date designated on UK Sanctions List: 31/12/2020 (UK Statement of Reasons):Al-Gama'a al-Islamiyya (GI) is an Egyptian Sunni terrorist organisation who were responsible for a number of terrorist attacks in the 1980s and 1990s **Listed on**: 02/11/2001 **Last Updated**: 31/12/2020 21/01/2021 **Group ID**: 6988.

2. REVOLUTIONARY PEOPLES' LIBERATION PARTY—FRONT (DEVRIMCI HALK KURTULUS PARTISI-CEPHESI) (DHKP-C)

a.k.a: (1) Revolutionary People'S People's Liberation Front (Dhkc) (DHKC) (2) Revolutionary People'S People's Liberation Front/Armed Propaganda Units (Dhkc/Spb) (DHKC/SPB) (3) Revolutionary People'S People'S Liberation Party (Dhkc) (DHKC) Other Information: (UK Sanctions List Ref): CNT0027 Date designated on UK Sanctions List: 31/12/2020 (UK Statement of Reasons): Devrimci Halk Kurtuluş Partisi-Cephesi (DHKP-C) is a Turkish organisation which is committed to achieving its political objectives through violent means. DHKP-C has claimed responsibility for a number of terrorist attacks on the Turkish government and on civilians. Listed on: 02/11/2001 Last Updated: 31/12/2020 21/01/2021 Group ID: 7120.

3. THE POPULAR FRONT FOR LIBERATION OF PALESTINE - GENERAL COMMAND

a.k.a: Plfp PLFP - General Command Other Information: (UK Sanctions List Ref): CNT0039 Date designated on UK Sanctions List: 31/12/2020 (UK Statement of Reasons): The Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine General Command (PFLP-GC) is a nationalist Palestinian organization which was founded in 1968. The PFLP-GC has carried out numerous terrorist attacks in Europe and the Middle East and has repeatedly stated that its aim is establishing a global Islamic state by violent means. Listed on: 02/11/2001 Last Updated: 31/12/2020 21/01/2021 Group ID: 7399.

4. THE GREAT EASTERN ISLAMIC RAIDERS' FRONT

a.k.a: (1) Ibda C IBDA-C (2) Islami Büyükdoğu Akıncılar Cephesi Other Information: (UK Sanctions List Ref): CNT0034 Date designated on UK Sanctions List: 31/12/2020 (UK Statement of Reasons): The Great Eastern Islamic Raiders' Front (İslami Büyükdoğu Akıncılar Cephesi in Turkish, IBDA-C) claimed responsibility for a number of terrorist attacks during the 1990s and early 2000s, including an attack on the British Consulate in Istanbul in 2003 which killed the British Consul-General and 14 others. Their stated aim is to establish an Islamic federation in Turkey through violent means. The group is associated with Al-Qaida and has openly supported Osama bin Laden. Listed on: 29/12/2003 Last Updated: 31/12/2020 21/01/2021 Group ID: 7980.

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