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

On 9 August 2019, 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 enacted the technical 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 1 of Security Council resolution 2368 (2017), and adopted under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations:

#### **B. Entities and other groups**

**QDe.002 Name:** AL-ITIHAAD AL-ISLAMIYA / AIAI

**Name (original script):** الاتحاد الاسلامي

**A.k.a.:** na **F.k.a.:** na **Address:** na **Listed on:** 6 Oct. 2001 ( amended on 21 Dec. 2007, 13 Dec. 2011, 18 Mar. 2013, 9 Aug 2019)

**Other information:** Reported to have operated in Somalia and Ethiopia and to have merged with Harakat Al-Shabaab Al-Mujaahidiin (Al-Shabaab), which was accepted as an affiliate of Al-Qaida (QDe.004) by Aiman Muhammed Rabi al-Zawahiri (QDi.006) in Feb. 2012, and is also subject to the sanctions measures set out in Security Council resolution 1844 (2008) concerning Somalia and Eritrea (see [www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/751](http://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/751)). Leadership included ~~Hassan Abdullah Hersi Al-Turki (QDi.172)~~ and Hassan Dahir Aweys (QDi.042). AIAI has received funds through the Al-Haramain Islamic Foundation (Somalia) (QDe.072). Review pursuant to Security Council resolution 1822 (2008) was concluded on 21 Jun. 2010. INTERPOL-UN Security Council Special Notice web link: [www.interpol.int/en/How-we-work/Notices/View-UN-Notices-Entities](http://www.interpol.int/en/How-we-work/Notices/View-UN-Notices-Entities).

The 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 ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions Committee's website at the following URL: [www.un.org/securitycouncil/sanctions/1267/aq\\_sanctions\\_list](http://www.un.org/securitycouncil/sanctions/1267/aq_sanctions_list).

The Consolidated United Nations Security Council 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/securitycouncil/content/un-sc-consolidated-list](http://www.un.org/securitycouncil/content/un-sc-consolidated-list).

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