Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office

Sanctions Notice: 23 November 2026

Regime: ISIL (Da’esh) & Al-Qaida

On **23 November 2026** the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office updated the UK Sanctions List on GOV.UK with the following variation.

Variations

A variation is a change to a designation following an official decision-making process. Deleted information appears in strikethrough and in red. Newly added information is underlined and highlighted in yellow.

The following entry has been varied and is still subject to the sanctions listed:

1. **Individual: HANI AL-SAYYID AL-SEBAI YUSIF**

Unique ID: AQD0192

Regime name: Isil (Da'esh) and Al-Qaeda (United Nations Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Sanctions imposed: Asset freeze, Arms embargo, Travel Ban

Other information: Father's name is Mohamed Elsayed Elsebai. Review pursuant to Security Council resolution 1822 (2008) was concluded on 29 Jul. 2010. Review pursuant to Security Council resolution 2368 (2017) was concluded on 4 Dec. 2019. Photo available for inclusion in the INTERPOL-UN Security Council Special Notice. INTERPOL-UN Security Council Special Notice web link: https://www.interpol.int/en/How-we-work/Notices/View-UN-Notices-Individuals.

UK statement of reasons:

Dobs: 16/06/1960, 01/03/1961

Nationalities: Egypt

Town of birth: Qaylubiyah

Country of birth: Egypt

Name: HANI AL-SAYYID AL-SEBAI YUSIF
Name type: Primary name

Name: Abu Akram
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Hani al-Sayyid Al Siba'i
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Hani al-Sayyid Al-Sabai
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Hani Yousef Al-Sebai
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Hani al-Sayyid El Sabaay
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Hani al-Sayyid El Sebai
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: El-Sababt
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Youssef Hani
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Abu Karim
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Abu Tusnin
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Hany Youseff

Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Hany Elsayed Youssef
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Hani Yusef
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name: Hani El Sayyed Elsebai Yusef
Name type: Alias

Alias strength: Good quality a.k.a

Name non-latin script: هاني السيد السباعي يوسف

Address: London
Address country: United Kingdom

Designation source: UN

Date designated: 29/09/2005

Last updated: ~~18/12/2021~~ 23/11/2026

OFSI group ID: 8720

UN reference number: QDi.198

Asset freeze: what you must do

If you know or have 'reasonable cause to suspect' that you are in possession or control of, or are otherwise dealing with, the funds or economic resources of a designated person you must:

1. freeze them
2. not deal with them or make them available to, or for the benefit of, the designated person, unless there is an exception in the legislation that you can rely on or you have a licence from OFSI
3. report any findings to OFSI

If you are a relevant firm you have obligations under financial sanctions.

Information received by OFSI may be disclosed to third parties in accordance with provisions set out in the Information and record-keeping section of the regulations and in compliance with applicable data protection laws.

Making available: what is prohibited

Making funds or economic resources available to a designated individual or entity subject to an asset freeze is prohibited for everyone that must comply with UK sanctions. See the starter guide to UK sanctions for more details.

Dealing with other sanctions on designated persons

The designated individuals, entities and specified ships on the UK Sanctions List may be subject to other sanctions. See the starter guide to UK sanctions for more details about these.

Enforcement and penalties

Failure to comply with UK financial sanctions legislation or to seek to circumvent its provisions may be a criminal offence.

Further information

New sanctions notices are listed in Current UK sanctions regimes.

See OFSI's previous financial sanctions notices.

See OFSI's general guidance on asset freezes.

See further details about reporting obligations under financial sanctions.

You can look up which government departments are responsible for other types of sanctions.

Contact details - financial sanctions

For queries about the implementation of financial sanctions in the UK, contact OFSI.

For media enquiries, contact HMT press office.

Contact details - sanctions policy

For general queries email fcdo.correspondence@fcdo.gov.uk

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