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(Non-legislative acts)

REGULATIONS

COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2020/716

of 28 May 2020

implementing Regulation (EU) No 36/2012 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Syria

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EU) No 36/2012 of 18 January 2012 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Syria and repealing Regulation (EU) No 442/2011 (¹), and in particular Article 32 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy,

Whereas:

- (1) On 18 January 2012, the Council adopted Regulation (EU) No 36/2012 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Syria.
- (2) On the basis of a review of the measures, the entries in the list of natural and legal persons, entities or bodies set out in Annex II to Regulation (EU) No 36/2012 should be updated and amended.
- (3) Five entries should be deleted from the list of natural and legal persons, entities or bodies set out in Annex II to Regulation (EU) No 36/2012.
- (4) Regulation (EU) No 36/2012 should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annex II to Regulation (EU) No 36/2012 is amended as set out in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 May 2020.

For the Council The President G. GRLIĆ RADMAN

^{(&}lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 16, 19.1.2012, p. 1.

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ANNEX

Annex II to Regulation (EU) No 36/2012 is amended as follows:

(1) in Section A (Persons), the following entries are deleted:

- 26. Major General Qasem Soleimani;
- 38. Brigadier-General Jamea Jamea;
- 272. Hayan Kaddour;
- 273. Maen Rizk Allah Haykal;
- (2) in Section B (Entities), the following entry is deleted:
 - 76. Developers Private Joint Stock Company;
- (3) Annex II to Regulation (EU) No 36/2012 is replaced by the following:

'ANNEX II

List of natural and legal persons, entities or bodies referred to in Articles 14, 15(1)(a) and 15(1a)

 Persons						
	Name	Identifying information				
1.	Bashar (الأسد) AL-ASSAD (الأسد)	Date of birth: 11.9.1965; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Diplomatic passport No D1903; Gender: male				
2.	Maher (^{ماهر}) (a.k.a. Mahir) AL-ASSAD (^{لال} يد)	Date of birth: 8.12.1967; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Diplomatic passport No 4138; Position: Major General of the 42nd former Brigadier Commander of the				

1.	Bashar (بِشَـــل) AL-ASSAD (الأسل)	Date of birth: 11.9.1965; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Diplomatic passport No D1903; Gender: male	President of the Republic; person authorising and supervising the crackdown on demonstrators.	23.5.2011
2.	Maher (ماهر) (a.k.a. Mahir) AL-ASSAD (الأليد)	Date of birth: 8.12.1967; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Diplomatic passport No 4138; Position: Major General of the 42nd Brigade and former Brigadier Commander of the Army's 4th Armoured Division Gender: male	Member of the Syria Armed Forces of the rank of Colonel and the equivalent or higher in post after May 2011; Major General of the 42nd Brigade and former Brigadier Commander of the Army's 4th Armoured Division. Member of the Assad family; brother of President Bashar al-Assad.	9.5.2011
3.	Ali (على) MAMLUK (مملوك) (a.k.a. Mamlouk)	Date of birth: 19.2.1946; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Diplomatic passport No 983; Gender: male	Director of the National Security Bureau. Former Head of Syrian Intelligence Directorate involved in violence against demonstrators.	9.5.2011
4.	Atej (علف) (a.k.a. Atef, Atif) NAJIB (هبل) (a.k. a. Najeeb)	Place of birth: Jablah, Syria; Gender: male	Former Head of the Political Security Directorate in Dara'a. Involved in violence against demonstrators. Member of the Assad family; cousin of President Bashar al-Assad.	9.5.2011
5.	Hafiz (حلظرف) MAKHLOUF (مغلوف) (a.k.a. Hafez Makhlouf)	Date of birth: 2.4.1971; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Diplomatic passport No 2246; Gender: male	Former Colonel and Head of Unit in General Intelligence Di- rectorate, Damascus Branch in post after May 2011. Member of the Makhlouf family; cousin of President Bashar al-Assad.	9.5.2011
6.	Muhammad (هحمد) Dib (ليب) ZAYTUN (زيتون) (a.k.a. Mohammed Dib Zeitoun; a.k.a. Mohamed Dib Zeitun)	Date of birth: 20.5.1951; Place of birth: Jubba, Damascus province, Syria; Diplomatic passport No D000001300; Gender: male	Director of the National Security Bureau since July 2019. Former Head of the General Security Directorate; involved in violence against demonstrators.	9.5.2011
7.	Amjad (أمجد) (a.k.a. al-Abbas)	Gender: male	Former head of Political Security in Banyas, involved in vio- lence against demonstrators in Baida. Promoted to the rank of Colonel in 2018.	9.5.2011

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	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
8.	Rami (لراهميا) MAKHLOUF (لراهميا)	Date of birth: 10.7.1969; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Passport No 000098044; Issue No 002-03-0015187; Gender: male	Leading businessman operating in Syria with interests in the telecommunications, financial services, transport and prop- erty sectors. He has financial interests in and/or holds senior and executive positions in Syriatel (the leading mobile tele- phone operator in Syria) and in the investment funds Al Mash- req, Bena Properties and Cham Holding. He furnishes financing and support to the Syrian regime, through his business interests. He is an influential member of the Makhlouf family and clo- sely connected to the Assad family; cousin of President Bashar Al-Assad.	9.5.2011
9.	Abd al-Fatah (رالله والله) QUDSIYAH (ملله الله)	Date of birth: 1953; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Diplomatic passport No D0005788; Gender: male	Officer of the rank of Major General in the Syrian Armed Forces in post after May 2011. Deputy Director of the National Security Bureau of the Ba'ath Party. Former Head of the Syrian Military Intelligence Direc- torate. Involved in violent repression of the civilian population in Syria.	9.5.2011
10.	Jamil (جميل) (a.k.a. Jameel) HASSAN (حسن) (a. k.a. al-Hassan)	Date of birth: 7.7.1953; Place of birth: Qusayr, Homs province, Syria; Former Head of Syrian Air Force Intelligence; Gender: male	Officer of the rank of Major-General in the Syrian Air Force in post after May 2011. Former head of the Syrian Air Force In- telligence in post after May 2011 and until July 2019. Re- sponsible for violent repression of the civilian population in Syria.	9.5.2011
11.	Mohammad Mouti' MOUAYYAD (a.k.a. Mohammad Muti'a Moayyad)	Date of birth: 1968; Place of birth: Ariha (Idlib), Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
12.	Ghazwan Kheir BEK (a.k.a. Ghazqan Kheir Bek)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Transport in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). He was previously General Director of the Port of Tartous. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
13.	Munzir (منذن) (a.k.a. Mundhir, Monzer) Jamil (الأسد) AL-ASSAD (الأسد)	Date of birth: 1.3.1961; Place of birth: Kerdaha, Latakia Province, Syria; Passports No 86449 and No 842781; Gender: male	Involved in violence against the civilian population as part of the Shabiha militia.	9.5.2011

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14.	Brigadier General Mohammed BILAL (a.k.a. Lieutenant Colonel Muhammad Bilal)	Gender: male	As a senior officer in the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service, he supports the Syrian regime and is responsible for the vio- lent repression of the civilian population. He is also associated with the listed Scientific Studies Research Centre (SSRC). Head of the Tartus police since December 2018.	21.10.2014
5.	Kamal CHEIKHA (a.k.a. Kamal al-Sheikha)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Water Resources in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
6.	Faruq (^{فساروف)} (a.k.a. Farouq, Farouk) AL SHAR' (الشسرع) (a.k.a. Al Char', Al Shara', Al Shara)	Date of birth: 10.12.1938; Gender: male	Former Vice-President of Syria; involved in violence against the civilian population.	23.5.2011
17.	Hassan NOURI (a.k.a. Hassan al-Nouri)	Date of birth: 9.2.1960; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Administrative Development in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Govern- ment Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
18.	Mohammed (محلا) HAMCHO (معلا)	Date of birth: 20.5.1966; Passport No 002954347; Gender: male	Leading businessman operating in Syria, with interests in the engineering and construction, media, hospitality and health sector. He has financial interests in and/or holds senior and executive positions within a number of companies in Syria, in particular Hamsho International, Hamsho Communica- tion, Mhg International, Jupiter for Investment and Tourism project and Syria Metal Industries. He plays an important role in the business community in Syria as general secretary of the Damascus Chamber of Commerce (appointed by the then Minister for economy Khodr Orfali in December 2014), chairman of the China-Syria Bilateral Business Councils (since March 2014) and chairman of the Syrian Metal and Steel Council (since December 2015). He has close business relationships with key figures of the Syrian regime, including Maher al-Assad. He benefits from and provides support to the Syrian regime through his business interests, and is associated with persons benefiting from and providing support to that regime.	27.1.2015

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19.	Iyad (أيسكاد) (a.k.a. Eyad) MAKHLOUF (مغلوف)	Date of birth: 21.1.1973; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Passport No N001820740; Gender: male	Member of the Makhlouf family; son of Mohammed Makh- louf, brother of Hafez Makhlouf and Rami Makhlouf and brother of Ihab Makhlouf; cousin of President Bashar al-Assad. Member of the Syrian security and intelligence services in post after May 2011. As an officer in the General Intelligence Directorate, involved in violence against the civilian population in Syria.	23.5.2011
20.	Bassam (^{الحسسام}) AL HASSAN (^{الحسسام}) (a.k.a. Al Hasan)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Sheen, Homs, Syria; Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Presidential Advisor for Strategic Affairs; head of the General Secretariat of the National Defence. Involved in violence against the civilian population.	23.5.2011
22.	Ihab (بياب) (a.k.a. Ehab, Iehab) MAKH- LOUF (مذلوف)	Date of birth: 21.1.1973; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Passport No N002848852; Gender: male	Leading businessman operating in Syria. Vice President of, and shareholder in, Syriatel, the leading mobile telephone opera- tor in Syria. He also has business interests in several other Syrian companies and entities, including Ramak Construction Co and Syrian International Private University for Science and Technology (SIUST). As Vice President of Syriatel, which transfers a significant part of its profits to the Syrian government by way of its licensing contract, Ihab Makhlouf is also directly supporting the Syrian regime. He is an influential member of the Makhlouf family and clo- sely connected to the Assad family; cousin of President Bashar al-Assad.	23.5.2011
23.	Zoulhima (^{(أو المهمة}) (a.k.a. Zu al-Himma) CHALICHE ((شي النشر) (a.k.a. Shalish, Shaleesh) (a.k.a. Dhu al-Himma Shalish)	Date of birth: 1946 or 1951 or 1956; Place of birth: Kerdaha, Syria; Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Officer of the Syrian security and intelligence services in post after May 2011; former Head of Presidential Security. Member of the Syrian Armed Forces of the rank of Major Gen- eral in post after May 2011. Involved in violence against demonstrators. Member of the Assad family; cousin of President Bashar al- Assad.	23.6.2011
24.	Riyad (ريساطن) CHALICHE (ريساطن) (a.k.a. Shalish, Shaleesh) (a.k.a. Riyad Shalish)	Function: chairman of Riyad Isa Development Corporation; Gender: male	Former Director of Military Housing Establishment; provides funding to the Syrian regime; first cousin of President Bashar al-Assad.	23.6.2011

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5.	Brigadier Commander Mohammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohamed. Muhammad. Mo- hammed) Ali (حفر كلي) JAFARI (جفر كاني) (a.k.a. Jaafari, Ja'fari, Aziz; a.k.a. Jafari, Ali; a.k.a. Jafari, Mohammad Ali; a.k.a. Ja'fari, Mo- hammad Ali; a.k.a. Jafari-Naja-fabadi, Mohammad Ali)	Date of birth: 1.9.1957; Place of birth: Yazd, Iran; Gender: male	Head of 'Baqiayt Allah', cultural organisation of the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps. General Commander of the Isla- mic Revolutionary Guard Corps until 21.4.2019, involved in providing equipment and support to help the Syrian regime suppress protests in Syria.	23.6.2011
7.	Hossein (طائب) TAEB (طائب) (a.k.a. Taeb, Hassan; a.k.a. Taeb, Hosein; a. k.a. Taeb, Hossein; a.k.a. Taeb, Hussayn; a. k.a. Hojjatoleslam Hossein Ta'eb)	Date of birth: 1963; Place of birth: Tehran, Iran; Gender: male	Director of the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps Intelli- gence Service. Former Deputy Commander for Intelligence of the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps, involved in providing equipment and support to help the Syrian regime suppress protests in Syria.	23.6.2011
8.	Khalid (لطلا) (a.k.a. Khaled) QADDUR (مالا) (a.k.a. Qadour, Qaddour, Kaddour)	Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and/ or activities in the telecommunications, oil and plastic indus- try sectors and close business relations with Maher al-Assad. He benefits from and provides support to the Syrian regime, through his business activities. Associate of Maher al-Assad, including through his business activities.	27.1.2015
9.	Ra'if (الملله) AL-QUWATLY (ملله) (a.k.a. Ri'af al-Quwatli a.k.a. Raeef al-Kouatly)	Date of birth: 3.2.1967; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Business associate of Maher al-Assad and responsible for managing some of his business interests; provides funding to the Syrian regime.	23.6.2011
).	Mohammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Muhammad, Mohamed, Mohammed) MUFLEH (مناحر) (a.k.a. Muflih)	Gender: male	Head of Syrian Military Intelligence in the town of Hama; in- volved in the crackdown on demonstrators.	1.8.2011
1.	Major General Tawfiq (ثُونَبُوَ فَلَالَ (a.k.a. Tawfik) YOUNES (جونس) (a.k.a. Yunes)	Gender: male	Former head of the Department for Internal Security of the General Intelligence Directorate; involved in violence against the civilian population.	1.8.2011

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32.	Mohammed (مخطوف) (a.k.a. Abu Rami)	Date of birth: 19.10.1932; Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Gender: male	Influential member of the Makhlouf family; business associate and father of Rami, Ihab and Iyad Makhlouf. Closely asso- ciated with the Assad family and maternal uncle of Bashar and Maher al-Assad. Also referred to as Abu Rami. Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and/ or activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy, including interests in and/or significant influence in the General Orga- nisation of Tobacco and the oil and gas, arms and banking sectors. Involved in business dealings for the Syrian regime in arms procurement and banking. Given the extent of his business and political ties to the Syrian regime, he provides support to and benefits from the regime.	1.8.2011
33.	Ayman (إير) JABIR (بلان) (a.k.a. Aiman Jaber)	Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Gender: male	Leading businessman operating in Syria, involved in the steel, media, consumable goods and oil sectors, including in trading these goods. He has financial interests and/or holds senior ex- ecutive positions in a number of companies and entities in Syria, in particular Al Jazira (a.k.a. Al Jazerra, El Jazireh), Dunia TV and Sama Satellite Channel. Through his company Al Jazira, Ayman Jaber has facilitated the importation of oil from Overseas Petroleum Trading to Syria. Ayman Jaber benefits from and provides support to the Syrian regime, through his business interests. Provides direct support for and plays a leading role in activities of regime-affiliated militias known as Shabiha and/or Suqur as-Sahraa. Associate of Rami Makhlouf through his business activities, and an associate of Maher al-Assad through his role in re- gime-affiliated militias.	27.1.2015
34.	Hayel (هليل) AL-ASSAD (الأسد) (a.k.a. Hael al-Asad (هاى الأسد))	Gender: male	Assistant to Maher al-Assad; Head of the military police unit of the army's 4th Division, involved in repression.	23.8.2011
35.	Ali (على العسليم) AL-SALIM (ملع) (a.k.a. al-Saleem)	Gender: male	Director of the supplies office of the Syrian Ministry of De- fence, entry point for all arms acquisitions by the Syrian army.	23.8.2011

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6.	Nizar (نزار) AL-ASSAD (نزار) (a.k.a. al-Asad; Assad; Asad)	Gender: male	Leading Syrian businessperson with close ties to the regime. Cousin of Bashar al-Assad, and associated with the Assad and Makhlouf families. As such, has been participating in, benefitting from or other- wise supporting the Syrian regime. Leading oil investor and previously head of the 'Nizar Oilfield Supplies' company.	23.8.2011
7.	Major General Rafiq (للمسلى) (a.k.a. Rafeeq) SHAHADAH (إلمالي) (a.k.a. Shahada, Shahade, Shahadeh, Chahada, Chahade, Chahadeh, Chahada)	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Jablah, Latakia Province, Syria; Gender: male	Member of the Syrian Armed Forces of the rank of Major General in post after May 2011. Former Head of Syrian Mili- tary Intelligence (SMI) Branch 293 (Internal Affairs) in Da- mascus. Directly involved in repression and violence against the civilian population in Damascus. Advisor to President Bashar al-Assad for strategic questions and military intelli- gence.	23.8.2011
0.	Muhammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) Said (سمية) (a.k. a. Sa'id, Sa'eed, Saeed) BUKHAYTAN (بخباب ان	Gender: male	Assistant Regional Secretary of the Ba'ath Arab Socialist Party since 2005; from 2000 to 2005 Director for the national se- curity of the regional Ba'ath party. Former Governor of Hama (1998-2000). Close associate of President Bashar al-Assad and Maher al-Assad. Senior decision-maker in the regime on re- pression of civilian population.	23.8.2011
1.	Ali (لويسا) DOUBA (علمي)	Date of birth: 1933; Place of birth: Karfis, Syria; Gender: male	Special Advisor to President Bashar al-Assad. As Special Advisor, participates in, benefits from and supports the Syrian regime. Has been involved in violently repressing the civilian population in Syria.	23.8.2011
2.	Brigadier-General Nawful (نوفسل) (a.k.a. Nawfal, Nofal, Nawfel) AL-HUSAYN (الحسسين) (a.k.a. al-Hussain, al-Hussein)	Gender: male	Idlib Syrian Military Intelligence (SMI) Branch Chief. Directly involved in repression of and violence against the civilian po- pulation in Idlib province.	23.8.2011
3.	Brigadier Husam (مسکر) SUKKAR (سسکر)	Gender: male	Presidential Adviser on Security Affairs. Presidential Adviser for security agencies' repression of and violence against the civilian population in Syria.	23.8.2011

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14.	Brigadier-General Muhammed (محلا) (a.k. a. Muhamad) ZAMRINI (^{(مريسنو}) (a.k.a. Zamreni)	Gender: male	Branch Chief for Syrian Military Intelligence (SMI) in Homs. Directly involved in repression of and violence against the ci- vilian population in Homs.	23.8.2011
-5.	Munir (شر) (a.k.a. Mounir, Mouneer, Monir, Moneer, Muneer) ADANOV (شوف) (a.k.a. Adnuf, Adanof)	Date of birth: 1951; Place of birth: Homs, Syria; Passport No 0000092405; Position: Deputy Chief of General Staff, Opera- tions and Training, Syrian Army; Rank: Lieutenant-General, Syrian Arab Army; Gender: male	Officer of the rank of Lieutenant General and Deputy Chief of General Staff, Operations and Training for the Syrian Army in post after May 2011. In his position as Deputy Chief of Gen- eral Staff he was directly involved in repression of and violence against the civilian population in Syria.	23.8.2011
6.	Brigadier-General Ghassan (غسان) KHALIL (خلاب ل) (a.k.a. Khaleel)	Gender: male	Head of General Intelligence Directorate's Information Branch. Directly involved in repression of and violence against the civilian population in Syria.	23.8.2011
.7.	Mohammed (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohamed) JABIR (الحيار) (a.k. a. Jaber)	Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Gender: male	Shabiha militia. Associate of Maher al-Assad for the Shabiha militia. Directly involved in repression of and violence against the civilian population, and in coordination of Shabiha militia groups.	23.8.2011
48.	Samir (سسميل) HASSAN (مسميل)	Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and/ or activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy. He holds interests in and/or has significant influence in the Amir Group and Cham Holding, two conglomerates with interests in the real estate, tourism, transport and finance sectors. From March 2014 until September 2018, he held the position of Chairman for Russia of the Bilateral Business Councils fol- lowing his appointment by Minister of Economy, Khodr Orfa- li. Samir Hassan supports the Syrian regime's war effort with cash donations. Samir Hassan is associated with persons benefitting from or supporting the regime. In particular, he is associated with Rami Makhlouf and Issam Anbouba, who have been desig- nated by the Council and benefit from the Syrian regime.	27.9.2014

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49.	Fares (السرامي) CHEHABI (السرامي) (a.k.a. Fares Shihabi; Fares Chihabi)	Son of Ahmad Chehabi; Date of birth: 7.5.1972; Gender: male	President of Aleppo Chamber of Industry; Chairman of the Federation of Chambers of Industry since 16.12.2018. Vice- Chairman of Cham Holding. Provides economic support to the Syrian regime. Member of Syrian Parliament since 2016.	2.9.2011
50.	Tarif (المرابل) AKHRAS (المرابل) (a.k.a. Al Akhras (الأخرس))	Date of birth: 2.6.1951; Place of birth: Homs, Syria; Syrian passport No 0000092405; Gender: male	Prominent businessman benefiting from and supporting the Syrian regime. Founder of the Akhras Group (commodities, trading, processing and logistics) and former Chairman of the Homs Chamber of Commerce. Close business relations with President Bashar al-Assad's family. Member of the Board of the Federation of Syrian Chambers of Commerce. Provided lo- gistical support for the regime (buses and tank loaders).	2.9.2011
51.	Issam (^{تعسام}) ANBOUBA (تعسام)	President of Anbouba for Agricultural Industries Co.; Date of birth: 1952; Place of birth: Homs, Syria; Gender: male	Providing financial support for the repressive apparatus and the paramilitary groups exerting violence against the civil population in Syria. Providing property (premises, ware- houses) for improvised detention centres. Financial relations with high-ranking Syrian officials. Co-founder and member of the board of Cham Holding.	2.9.2011
53.	Adib (ميله) (a.k.a. André Mayard)	Date of birth: 15.5.1955; Place of birth: Bassir, Syria; Gender: male	Former Governor and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Central Bank of Syria. Adib Mayaleh controlled the Syrian banking sector and man- aged the Syrian money supply through the issue and withdra- wal of bank notes and control of the foreign exchange rate value of the Syrian Pound. Through his role at the Central Bank of Syria, Adib Mayaleh provided economic and financial support to the Syrian regime. Former Minister of Economy and Foreign Trade in power after May 2011.	15.5.2012
54.	Major General Jumah (جمعة) AL-AHMAD (الأحد) (a.k.a. al-Ahmed)	Gender: male	Commander Special Forces. Responsible for the use of vio- lence against protestors across Syria.	14.11.2011
55.	Colonel Lu'ai (^{لوزي}) (a.k.a. Louay, Loai) AL-ALI ((لعلسي)	Place of birth: Jablah, Latakia Province, Syria; Gender: male	Head of Syrian Military Intelligence, Dara'a Branch. Respon- sible for violence against protesters in Dara'a.	14.11.2011

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56.	Ali (لعلم) Abdullah (علم) (a.k.a. Abdallah) AYYUB (إلمان) (a.k.a. Ayyoub, Ayub, Ayoub, Ayob)	Date of birth: 1952 Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Defence. Appointed in January 2018. Officer of the rank of General in the Syrian Army, in post after May 2011. Former Chief of General Staff of the Syrian Armed Forces. Person supporting the Syrian regime and re- sponsible for repression of and violence against the civilian population in Syria.	14.11.2011
57.	Fahd (بطلم) (a.k.a. Fahid, Fahed) Jasim (بطلم) (a.k.a. Jasem, Jassim, Jassem) AL-FURAYJ (اللويي) (a.k.a. al-Freij)	Date of birth: 1.1.1950; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Defence. As a former Government Minis- ter, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population in Syria.	14.11.2011
58.	Major General Aous (أوس) (a.k.a. Aws, Aus) 'Ali' ASLAN (اصلان)	Date of birth: 1958; Gender: male	High-ranking officer. Close to Maher al-Assad and President Bashar al-Assad. Former positions: Commander of the 40th Brigade (4th Division) between 2011 and 2014; deputy Commander of the 4th Division in 2015; Commander of the 2nd Corps in 2016. Involved in the crackdown on the civilian population across Syria, including arbitrary arrests, mass killings and forced displacements of civilian population.	14.11.2011
59.	General Ghassan (خسسان) BELAL (جسان) (a.k. a. Bilal)	Gender: male	Head of the 4th Division security bureau, head of the 555th paratrooper regiment. Adviser to Maher al-Assad and coor- dinator of security operations. Responsible for the crackdown on the civilian population across Syria and involved in several breaches of cessation of hostilities in the Ghouta.	14.11.2011
60.	Abdullah (بنبن ه (a.k.a. Abdallah) BERRI (بري)	Gender: male	Head of the Berri family militia. In charge of pro-government militia involved in the crackdown on the civilian population in Aleppo.	14.11.2011
61.	George (جورت) CHAOUI (شطورت)	Gender: male	Member of the Syrian electronic army (territorial army intel- ligence service) Involved in the violent crackdown and call for violence against the civilian population across Syria.	14.11.2011
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62.	Zuhair (ن ^{هر}) (a.k.a. Zouheir, Zuheir, Zouhair) HAMAD (حد)	Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Rank: Major General; Position: Deputy Head of General Intelligence Di- rectorate (a.k.a. General Security Directorate) since July 2012; Gender: male	Officer of the rank of Major General in the Syrian Armed Forces in post after May 2011. Deputy Head of General Intel- ligence Directorate. Responsible for repression, human rights abuses and violence against the civilian population in Syria.	14.11.2011	020 EN
63.	Amar (عمار) (a.k.a. Ammar) ISMAEL (سسماعل) (a.k.a. Ismail)	Date of birth on or around 3.4.1973; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Civilian - Head of Syrian electronic army (territorial army in- telligence service). Involved in the violent crackdown and call for violence against the civilian population across Syria.	14.11.2011	Off
64.	Mujahed (مجاهد) ISMAIL (ابسماعيل) (a.k.a. Ismael)	Gender: male	Member of Syrian electronic army (territorial army intelli- gence service). Involved in the violent crackdown and call for violence against the civilian population across Syria.	14.11.2011	Official Journal of the
65.	Major General Nazih (نزب)	Gender: male	Deputy Director of General Intelligence Directorate. Respon- sible for the use of violence across Syria and intimidation and torture of protestors.	14.11.2011	1e European Union
66.	Major General Kifah (ت ^{لفظ}) MOULHEM (ملحم) (a.k.a. Moulhim, Mulhem, Mulhim, Milhem)	Place of birth: Junaynat Ruslan, Tartous province, Syria; Gender: male	Head of the Military Intelligence Directorate since March 2019. Former Head of the Security Committee in the Southern region and former deputy head of the Military Intelligence directorate, leading the regime's operation in Homs and Aleppo regions. Responsible for the crackdown on the civilian population in Deir ez-Zor and the main individual responsible for the violent repression committed by the Mili- tary Intelligence Directorate (Branch 248) throughout 2011 and 2012 as well as torture and severe violations on detainees.	14.11.2011	n
67.	Major General Wajih (^{د جز 4}) (a.k.a. Wajeeh) MAHMUD (محمو ن)	Gender: male	Commander 18th Armoured Division. Responsible for the violence against protestors in Homs.	14.11.2011	L 168/13

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69.	Lt. General Talal (طلال) Mustafa (مصطفى) TLASS (طلاس)	Gender: male	Deputy Chief of General Staff (Logistics and supplies). Re- sponsible for the use of violence against protestors across Syria.	14.11.2011
70.	Major General Fu'ad (فسؤاد) TAWIL (طويسل)	Gender: male	Deputy head of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence. Responsible for the use of violence across Syria and intimidation and tor- ture of protestors.	14.11.2011
71.	Bushra (شرى) AL-ASSAD (الأسد) (a.k.a. Bushra Shawkat, Bouchra Al Assad)	Date of birth: 24.10.1960; Gender: female	Member of the Assad family; sister of President Bashar al-As- sad. Given the close personal relationship and intrinsic finan- cial relationship to President Bashar al-Assad, she benefits from and is associated with the Syrian regime.	23.3.2012
72.	Asma (الأسد) AL-ASSAD (الأساء) (a.k.a. Asma Fawaz Al Akhras)	Date of birth: 11.8.1975; Place of birth: London, UK; Passport No 707512830, expires 22.9.2020; Maiden name: Al Akhras; Gender: female	Member of the Assad family and closely connected to key re- gime figures; wife of President Bashar al-Assad. Given the close personal relationship and intrinsic financial relationship to President Bashar al-Assad, she benefits from and is asso- ciated with the Syrian regime.	23.3.2012
73.	Manal (مندل) AL-ASSAD (لأسد) (a.k.a. Manal Al Ahmad)	Date of birth: 2.2.1970; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Passport No (Syrian) 0000000914; Maiden name: Al Jadaan; Gender: female	Wife of Maher al-Assad, and as such benefits from and is clo- sely associated with the Syrian regime.	23.3.2012
74.	Mohammad Walid GHAZAL	Date of birth: 1951; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Housing and Urban Development (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
76.	Major General Ibrahim (^{ايسراهيم}) AL-HASSAN (الحسن) (a.k.a. al-Hasan)	Gender: male	Deputy Chief of Staff. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011

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77.	Brigadier Khalil (فليسل) (a.k.a. Khaleel) ZGHRAYBIH (رغريسة (زغريسة)) (a.k.a. Zghraybeh, Zghraybe, Zghrayba, Zghraybah, Zaghraybeh, Zaghrayba, Zaghrayba, Zaghraybah, Zeghraybeh, Zeghraybe, Zeghraybah, Zeghraybeh, Zughraybeh, Zughrayba, Zughrayba, Zughraybah, Zighraybeh, Zighrayba, Zighrayba, Zighraybah)	Gender: male	14th Division. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011
78.	Major General Ali (علمي) BARAKAT (بركسات)	Gender: male	103rd Brigade of the Republican Guard Division. Military of- ficial involved in the violence in Homs. Promoted to Major General in 2017.	1.12.2011
79.	Major General Talal (طلال) MAKHLUF (منلوف) (a.k.a. Makhlouf)	Gender: male	Former commander of the 105th Brigade of the Republican Guards. Former Commander General of the Republican Guards. Current Commander of the 2nd Corps. Member of the Syrian Armed Forces of the rank of Major General in post after May 2011. Military official involved in the violence in Damascus.	1.12.2011
80.	Major General Nazih (لللله) (a.k.a. Nazeeh) HASSUN (هبول) (a.k.a. Hassoun)	Gender: male	Officer of the rank of Major General in the Syrian Armed Forces in post after May 2011. Head of the Political Security Directorate of the Syrian security services in post after May 2011. Responsible for violent repression of the ci- vilian population in Syria.	1.12.2011
81.	Captain Maan (معن) (a.k.a. Ma'an) JDIID (جنيد) (a.k.a. Jdid, Jedid, Jedeed, Jadeed, Jdeed)	Gender: male	Presidential Guard. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011
82.	Mohammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Mu- hammad, Mohammed) AL-SHAAR (الأسعار) (a.k.a. al-Chaar, al-Sha'ar, al-Cha'ar)	Gender: male	Political Security Division. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011
83.	Khald (خالد) (a.k.a. Khaled) AL-TAWEEL (الطويسل) (a.k.a. al-Tawil)	Gender: male	Political Security Division. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011

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34.	Ghiath (غبائ) FAYAD (فبساض) (a.k.a. Fayyad)	Gender: male	Political Security Division. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011
5.	Brigadier General Jawdat (جونتُ) Ibrahim (صـــاقي) SAFI (إبــراهيم)	Position: Commander of the 154th Regiment; Gender: male	Ordered troops to shoot at protestors in and around Damas- cus, including Mo'adamiyeh, Douma, Abasiyeh, Duma.	23.1.2012
6.	Major General Muhammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) Ali (علي) DURGHAM	Position: Commander of the 4th Division; Gender: male	Ordered troops to shoot at protestors in and around Damas- cus, including Mo'adamiyeh, Douma, Abasiyeh, Duma.	23.1.2012
7.	Major General Ramadan (لرمضان) Mah- moud (رمضان) RAMADAN (محمود)	Position: Commander of the 35th Special Forces Regiment; Gender: male	Ordered troops to shoot protestors in Baniyas and Deraa.	23.1.2012
9.	Major General Naim (^{نعيس}) (a.k.a. Naaeem, Naeem, Na'eem, Naaim, Na'im) Jasem (سليمان) SULEIMAN	Position: Commander of the 3rd Division; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot protestors in Douma.	23.1.2012
0.	Brigadier General Jihad (جه ^{ان}) Mohamed (محمد) (a.k.a Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) SULTAN (سلطان)	Position: Commander of the 65th Brigade; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot protestors in Douma.	23.1.2012
1.	Major General Fo'ad (أطرأك) (a.k.a. Fouad, Fu'ad) HAMOUDEH (معونة) (a.k.a. Hammoudeh, Hammoude, Hammouda, Hammoudah)	Position: Commander of the military operations in Idlib; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot protestors in Idlib at the be- ginning of September 2011.	23.1.2012
2.	Major General Bader (بسنر) AQEL (عاقال)	Position: Special Forces Commander; Gender: male	Gave soldiers orders to pick up the bodies and hand them over to the mukhabarat and responsible for the violence in Buka- mal.	23.1.2012
3.	Brigadier General Ghassan (غسان) AFIF (غنیف) (a.k.a. Afeef)	Position: Commander of the 45th Regiment; Gender: male	Commander of military operations in Homs, Baniyas and Idlib.	23.1.2012
4.	Brigadier General Mohamed (محدد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) MAARUF (معروف) (a.k.a. Maarouf, Ma'ruf)	Position: Commander of the 45th Regiment; Gender: male	Commander of military operations in Homs. Gave orders to shoot protestors in Homs.	23.1.2012

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95.	Brigadier General Yousef (بوسف) ISMAIL (السماعيل) (a.k.a. Ismael)	Position: Commander of the 134th Brigade; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot at houses and people on roofs during a funeral in Talbiseh for protesters killed the previous day.	23.1.2012
96.	Brigadier General Jamal (جمال) YUNES (سونس) (a.k.a. Younes)	Position: Commander of the 555th Regiment; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot at protestors in Mo'adamiyeh.	23.1.2012
98.	Brigadier General Ali (^{عل} ع) DAWWA	Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot protestors in Al-Herak.	23.1.2012
99.	Major General Mohamed (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) KHADDOR (خصور) (a.k.a. Khaddour, Khaddur, Khadour, Khudour)	Position: Commander of the 106th Brigade, Pre- sidential Guard; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to beat protesters with sticks and then arrest them. Responsible for repression of peaceful protestors in Douma.	23.1.2012
01.	Wafiq (فليستَّل) (a.k.a. Wafeeq) NASSER (ناصسر)	Position: Head of Suwayda Regional Branch (De- partment of Military Intelligence); Gender: male	As Head of the Suwayda Regional Branch of the Department for Military Intelligence, responsible for arbitrary detention and torture of detainees in Suwayda.	23.1.2012
02.	Ahmed (أحمد) (a.k.a. Ahmad) DIBE (^{(برب}) (a. k.a. Dib, Deeb)	Head of Deraa Regional Branch (General Security Directorate); Gender: male	As Head of the Deraa Regional Branch of the General Security Directorate, responsible for arbitrary detention and torture of detainees in Deraa.	23.1.2012
03.	Makhmoud (^{محمود}) (a.k.a. Mahmoud) AL-KHATTIB (الغطيب) (a.k.a. al-Khatib, al-Khateeb)	Position: Head of Investigative Branch (Political Security Directorate); Gender: male	As Head of the Investigative Branch of the Political Security Directorate, responsible for detention and torture of detainees.	23.1.2012
04.	Mohamed (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) Heikmat (محمين) (a.k.a. Hikmat, Hekmat) IBRAHIM (إسراهيم)	Position: Major General. Head of the police of Al- Hassaka; Gender: male	Head of the police of Al-Hassaka. Major General. As former Head of the Operations Branch of the Political Security Di- rectorate, was responsible for detention and torture of detai- nees.	23.1.2012
05.	Nasser (^{ناهسر}) (a.k.a. Naser) AL-ALI (^{العلسو}) (a.k.a. Brigadier General Nasr al-Ali)	Position: Head of the Political Security Directo- rate; Gender: male	Head of the Political Security Directorate since July 2019. Responsible for detention and torture of detainees.	23.1.2012

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106.	Dr. Wael (قسالار) Nader (قسالار) AL–HALQI (الحاقسي) (a.k.a. al-Halki)	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Dara'a Province, Syria; Gender: male	Former Prime Minister, in office until 3.7.2016, and former Minister of Health. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population. Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Qa- syoun Private University.	27.2.2012
107.	Mohammad Ibrahim AL-SHA'AR	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of the Interior. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population. Vice Chair of the Na- tional Progressive Front of Syria.	1.12.2011
08.	Mohammad (معمل) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammed) AL-JLEILATI (البلاتي, بليلاتي)	Date of birth: 1945; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Finance, in office until 9.2.2013. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	1.12.2011
09.	Imad (عمل) Mohammad (عمل) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammed) Deeb (للبل) KHAMIS (ذريبين) (a.k.a. Imad Mohammad Dib Khamees)	Date of birth: 1.8.1961; Place of birth: near Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Prime Minister and former Minister of Electricity. As a Gov- ernment Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012
10.	Omar (^{عمر)} Ibrahim (^{بيـر اهيم}) GHALA- (غلاونجي) (غلاونجي)	Date of birth: 1954; Place of birth: Tartous, Syria; Gender: male	Former Vice Prime Minister for Services Affairs, former Min- ister of Local Administration, in office until 3.7.2016. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012
11.	Joseph (جوزیف) SUWAID (بیزیف)	Date of birth: 1958; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State, in office until at least 21.1.2014. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population. Chair of the Amana wing of the Syrian Social Nationalist Party.	23.3.2012
12.	Hussein (معلمي (a.k.a. Hussain) (فرزان) FARZAT (محملول) (a.k.a.: Hussein Mahmud Farzat)	Date of birth: 1957; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State, in office until at least 2014. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012

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113.	Mansour (نفسور) Fadlallah (نفسور) AZZAM (عزلم) (a.k.a.: Mansur Fadl Allah Azzam)	Date of birth: 1960; Place of birth: Sweida Province, Syria; Gender: male	Minister for Presidency Affairs. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	27.2.2012
114.	Emad (عملا) Abdul-Ghani (عملا) SABOUNI (مسلوني) (a.k.a. Imad Abdul Ghani Al Sabuni)	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Telecommunications and Technology, in office until at least April 2014. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population. Appointed in July 2016 as the Head of Planning and International Cooperation Agency (government agency).	27.2.2012
115.	General Ali (علو) Habib (هيپ او) (a.k.a. Habeeb) MAHMOUD (محمود)	Date of birth: 1939; Place of birth: Tartous, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Defence. Associated with the Syrian re- gime and the Syrian military, and its violent repression of the civilian population.	1.8.2011
116.	Tayseer (بسلسلا) Qala (للغ AWWAD (مولا)	Date of birth: 1943; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Justice. Associated with the Syrian regime and its violent repression of the civilian population. Former Head of Military Court. Member of the High Judicial Council.	23.9.2011
117.	Adnan (عدنان) Hassan (محمول) MAHMOUD	Date of birth: 1966; Place of birth: Tartous, Syria; Gender: male	Syrian Ambassador to Iran. Former Minister of Information in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	23.9.2011
118.	Khalaf Souleymane ABDALLAH (a.k.a. Khalaf Sleiman al-Abdullah)	Date of birth: 1960; Place of birth: Deir ez-Zor, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Labour in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
119.	(علاد) ALLAW (سسفيان)	Date of birth: 1944; Place of birth: al-Bukamal, Deir Ezzor, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Oil and Mineral Resources. Associated with the Syrian regime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	27.2.2012
120.	Dr. Adnan (^{عدنا} ن) SLAKHO (سـلاخو)	Date of birth: 1955; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Industry. Associated with the Syrian re- gime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	27.2.2012

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121.	Dr. Saleh (مسلح) AL-RASHED (الوانسن)	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Aleppo Province, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Education. Associated with the Syrian re- gime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	27.2.2012
22.	Dr. Fayssal (فیصل) (a.k.a. Faysal) ABBAS (عباس)	Date of birth: 1955; Place of birth: Hama Province, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Transport. Associated with the Syrian re- gime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	27.2.2012
23.	Ghiath (غباڭ) JERAATLI (جبرعظي) (a.k.a. Jer'atli, Jir'atli, Jiraatli)	Date of birth: 1950; Place of birth: Salamiya, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State. Associated with the Syrian regime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012
24.	Yousef (بوسف) Suleiman (سطيمان) AL-AHMAD (الأحمد) (الأحد) (a.k.a. al-Ahmed)	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Hasaka, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State. Associated with the Syrian regime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012
25.	Hassan (حسن,حسان) AL-SARI (المساري)	Date of birth: 1953; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State. Associated with the Syrian regime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012
26.	Bouthaina (ﷺ) SHAABAN (ﷺ) (a.k.a. Buthaina Shaaban)	Date of birth: 1953; Place of birth: Homs, Syria; Gender: female	Political and Media Advisor to the President since July 2008 and as such associated with the violent crackdown on the ci- vilian population.	26.6.2012
27.	Brigadier General Sha'afiq (شُـــَـنَيْنُ) (a.k.a. Shafiq, Shafik) MASA (لماسا) (a.k.a. Massa)	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Al-Zara (Hama), Syria; Gender: male	Head of Branch 215 (Damascus) of the army's intelligence service. Responsible for the torture of detained opponents. Involved in repressive actions against civilians.	24.7.2012
28.	Brigadier General Burhan (برمنان) QADOUR (أمنور) (a.k.a. Qaddour, Qaddur)	Gender: male	Former Head of Branch 291 (Damascus) of the army's intelli- gence service. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
129.	Brigadier General Salah (^{صــلا}) HAMAD (حد)	Gender: male	Deputy Head of Branch 291 of the army's intelligence service. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012

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130.	Brigadier General Muhammad (محد) (a.k.a. Mohammed) KHALLOUF (خلوف) (a.k.a. Abou Ezzat)	Gender: male	Former (2009-2014) Head of Branch 235 a.k.a. 'Palestine' (Damascus) of the army's intelligence service, which is at the centre of the army's apparatus of repression. Directly involved in repression of opponents. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
131.	Major General Riad (لربياض) (a.k.a. Riyad) AL-AHMED (الأحمد) (a.k.a. al-Ahmad)	Gender: male	Deputy Head of Latakia Branch of the army's intelligence ser- vice. Responsible for the torture and murder of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
132.	Brigadier General Abdul-Salam (^{بالسلام}) Fajr (فجر) MAHMOUD (فجر)	Gender: male	Head of the Bab Tuma (Damascus) Branch of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service. Former Head of the Mezze Airport Air Force intelligence investigation branch. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody. Under international ar- rest warrant for 'complicity in acts of torture', 'complicity in crimes against humanity' and 'complicity in war crimes'.	24.7.2012
133.	Brigadier General Jawdat (جونث) AL-AHMED ((لأحمد) ((در الأحمار)	Place of birth: Qardaha, Lattakia province, Syria; Gender: male	Head of the Homs Branch of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody as well as killings of peaceful protesters.	24.7.2012
134.	Colonel Qusay (ميہوب) MIHOUB (ميہوب)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Derghamo, Jableh, Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	High-ranking officer at the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Ser- vice. Former Head of the Deraa branch of the air force's intel- ligence service (sent from Damascus to Deraa at the start of demonstrations there). Responsible for the torture of oppo- nents in custody as well as the violent repression of peaceful protests in the southern region.	24.7.2012
135.	Brigadier General Suhail (سیل) (a.k.a. Suheil) AL-ABDULLAH (العبــــدالله) (a.k.a. al-Abdallah)	Gender: male	Head of the Latakia Branch of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
136.	Brigadier General Khudr (^{خضر}) KHUDR (خضر)	Gender: male	Head of the Latakia branch of the General Intelligence Direc- torate. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012

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137.	Brigadier General Ibrahim (بسرافيم) MA'ALA (معلى) (a.k.a. Maala, Maale, Ma'la)	Gender: male	Head of Branch 285 (Damascus) of the General Intelligence Directorate (replaced Brigadier General Hussam Fendi at the end of 2011). Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
38.	Brigadier General Firas (منعر العن) AL-HAMED (الحامي) (a.k.a. al-Hamid)	Gender: male	Head of Branch 318 (Homs) of the General Intelligence Di- rectorate. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
39.	Major General Hussam (ملفعة) (a.k.a. Husam, Housam, Houssam) LUQA (ألوته) (a.k.a. Louqa, Louca, Louka, Luka)	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Head of the General Security Directorate. Major General. From April 2012 to 2.12.2018, was head of the Homs branch of the Political Security Directorate (succeeded Brigadier General Nasr al-Ali). Since 3.12.2018, head of the Political Security Directorate. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
40.	Brigadier General Taha (طه) TAHA (طه)	Gender: male	Site manager of the Latakia branch of the Political Security Directorate. Responsible for the torture of opponents in cus- tody.	24.7.2012
41.	Bassel (باسسال) (a.k.a. Basel) BILAL (باسسال)	Gender: male	Police officer at Idlib central prison; has taken part directly in acts of torture of opponents held in Idlib central prison.	24.7.2012
42.	Ahmad (أحمد) (a.k.a. Ahmed) KAFAN (أحدان)	Gender: male	Police officer at Idlib central prison; has taken part directly in acts of torture of opponents held in Idlib central prison.	24.7.2012
43.	Bassam (بسسام) AL-MISRI (المصري)	Gender: male	Police officer at Idlib central prison; has taken part directly in acts of torture of opponents held in Idlib central prison.	24.7.2012
44.	Ahmed (حمد) (a.k.a. Ahmad) AL-JAR- ROUCHEH ((الجازوشة) (a.k.a. al-Jarousha, al-Jarousheh, al-Jaroucha, al-Jarouchah, al-Jaroucheh)	Date of birth: 1957; Gender: male	Former head of the foreign branch of General Intelligence (Branch 279). As such, responsible for General Intelligence arrangements in Syrian embassies.	24.7.2012

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145.	Michel (کاسوحة) KASSOUHA (ميشـــيل) (a.k.a. Kasouha) (a.k.a. Ahmed Salem; Ahmed Salem Hassan)	Date of birth: 1.2.1948; Gender: male	Member of the Syrian security services since the early 1970s, he is involved in combating opposition in France and Ger- many. Since March 2006, has been responsible for public re- lations of Branch 273 of the Syrian General Intelligence Di- rectorate. A longstanding member of the managerial staff, he is close to General Intelligence Directorate head Ali Mamlouk, one of the top security officials of the regime who has been subject to EU restrictive measures since 9.5.2011. He directly supports the Syrian regime's repression of opponents and is responsible inter alia for repression of the Syrian opposition abroad.	24.7.2012
46.	General Ghassan (^{غسان}) Jaoudat (جونت) ISMAIL (اسماعيل) (a.k.a. Ismael)	Date of birth: 1960; Place of birth: Drekish, Tartous region, Syria; Gender: male	Head of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service since 2019. Former deputy director of the Air Force Intelligence Service and previously in charge of the missions branch of the Air Force Intelligence Service which, in cooperation with the special operations branch, manages the elite troops of the Air Force Intelligence Service, who play an important role in the repression conducted by the Syrian regime. As such, Ghassan Jaoudat Ismail is one of the top military leaders directly im- plementing the violent repression of opponents conducted by the Syrian regime as well as practices of disappearance of ci- vilians.	24.7.2012
47.	Major General Amer AL-ACHI (a.k.a. Amer Ibrahim al-Achi; Amis al Ashi; Ammar Aachi; Amer Ashi) (علار للراهير العلمي)	Gender: male	Appointed Governor of the Sweida Governorate by President Bashar al-Assad on July 2016. Former Head of the intelligence branch of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service (2012- 2016). Through his role in the Air Force Intelligence Service, Amer al-Achi is implicated in the repression of the Syrian opposition.	24.7.2012
48.	General Mohammed (محمد) (a.k.a. Muhammad, Mohamed, Mohammad) Ali (على) NASR (أصر) (a.k.a. Mohammed Ali Naser)	Date of birth: around 1960; Gender: male	Close to Maher al-Assad, younger brother of President Bashar al-Assad. Most of his career has been spent in the Republican Guard. In 2010 he joined the internal branch (Branch 251) of the General Intelligence Directorate which is responsible for combating the political opposition. As one of its senior offi- cers, General Mohammed Ali Nasr is directly involved in the repression of opponents.	24.7.2012

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149.	General Issam (حلاق) HALLAQ (حلاق)	Gender: male	Air Force Chief of Staff since 2010. Commands air operations against opponents.	24.7.2012
150.	Ezzedine (عزالسين) ISMAEL (ابسساعيل) (a.k.a. Ismail)	Date of birth: middle of the 1940s (prob- ably 1947); Place of birth: Bastir, Jableh region, Syria; Gender: male	Retired general, longstanding member of the managerial staff of the Air Force Intelligence Service, of which he became the head in the early 2000s. Was appointed political and security adviser to the President in 2006. As political and security ad- viser to President Bashar al-Assad, Ezzedine Ismael is impli- cated in the political repression conducted by the Syrian re- gime against the opposition.	24.7.2012
151.	Samir (سسير) (a.k.a. Sameer) JOUMAA (جمعة) (a.k.a. Jumaa, Jum'a, Joum'a) (a.k.a. Abou Sami)	Date of birth: around 1962; Gender: male	For almost 20 years he has been head of the office of Mo- hammad Nassif Kheir Bek, one of the main security advisers of President Bashar al-Assad (and officially deputy to the Vice President, Farouk al-Sharaa). Samir Joumaa's closeness to President Bashar al-Assad and Mohammed Nassif Kheir Bek means that he is implicated in the policy of repression con- ducted by the Syrian regime against its opponents.	24.7.2012
52.	Dr. Qadri (هوا) (a.k.a. Kadri) JAMIL (هول) (a.k. a. Jameel)	Date of birth: 1952; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Vice Prime Minister for Economic Affairs, former Minister of Domestic Trade and Consumer Protection. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
53.	Waleed (المعلم) (a.k.a. Walid) AL MO'ALLEM (معلم) (a.k.a. Al Moallem, Muallem (معلم))	Date of birth: 17.7.1941; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Vice Prime Minister, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Expatri- ates. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
.55.	Dr. Mohammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammed) Abdul-Sattar (عبد السنة) (a.k.a. Abd al-Sattar) AL SAYED (للسنة) (a.k.a. Al Sayyed)	Date of birth: 1958; Place of birth: Tartous, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Religious Endowments. As a Government Minis- ter, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
156.	Hala (ملله) Mohammad (محدد) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammed) AL NASSER (الناصر)	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Raqqa, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Tourism. As a former Government Minis- ter, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012

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157.	Bassam (بستام) HANNA (حلتاً)	Date of birth: 1954; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Water Resources in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	16.10.2012
58.	Subhi (احمد) Ahmad (احمد) AL ABDALLAH (العبدالله) (a.k.a. al-Abdullah)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Agriculture and Agrarian Reform. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
59.	Dr. Mohammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Muhammad, Mohamed, Mohammed) Yahiya (حلي) (a.k. a. Yehya, Yahya, Yihya, Yihia, Yahia) MOALLA (معلا) (a.k.a. Mu'la, Ma'la, Muala, Maala, Mala)	Date of birth: 1951; Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Higher Education. As a former Govern- ment Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
60.	Dr. Hazwan (هزوان) AL WEZ (الوز) (a.k.a. Al Wazz)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Education, appointed in July 2016. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	16.10.2012
61.	Dr. Mohamad (محمد) (a.k.a. Muhammad, Mohamed, Mohammed, Mohammad) Zafer (^{ظانو}) (a.k.a. Dhafer) MOHABAK (^{طانو}) (a.k.a. Mohabbak, Muhabak, Muhabbak)	Date of birth: 1945 Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Economy and Foreign Trade. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
62.	Dr. Mahmoud (محمولا) Ibraheem (المعمولا) (a. k.a. Ibrahim) SA'IID (سمعلا) (a.k.a. Said, Sa'eed, Saeed)	Date of birth: 1953; Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Transport in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
63.	Dr. Safwan (صفولن) AL ASSAF (العساف)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Housing and Urban Development. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
64.	Yasser (يلسر) (a.k.a. Yaser) AL SIBA'II (يلسر) (a.k.a. al-Sibai, al-Siba'i, al Sibaei)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Public Works. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012

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165.	Sa'iid (سعنز) (a.k.a. Sa'id, Sa'eed, Saeed) MA'THI (معسند) (a.k.a. Mu'zi, Mu'dhi, Ma'dhi, Ma'zi, Maazi) Hneidi (هنزي)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Oil and Mineral Resources. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
66.	Dr. Lubana (ملدانسة) (a.k.a. Lubanah) MUSHAWEH (مشوح) (a.k.a. Mshaweh, Mshawweh, Mushawweh)	Date of birth: 1955; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: female	Former Minister of Culture in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
67.	Dr. Jassem (جلسر) (a.k.a. Jasem) Mohammad (محد) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammed) ZAKARIA (زکریا)	Date of birth: 1968; Gender: male	Former Minister of Labour and Social Affairs. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
.69.	Dr. Adnan (عنان) Abdo (عبلو) (a.k.a. Abdou) AL SIKHNY (السنني) (a.k.a. al-Sikhni, al-Sekhny, al-Sekhni)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Industry. As a former Government Minis- ter shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
170.	Najm (جب) (a.k.a. Nejm) Hamad (ملك) AL AHMAD (الأحمد) (الأحمر) (a.k.a. al-Ahmed)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Justice in power after May 2011. As a for- mer Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
.71.	Dr. Abdul-Salam (ﷺ) AL NAYEF (السلبة)	Date of birth: 1959 Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Health in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
72.	Ali HADAR	Date of birth: 1962; Gender: male	Head of the National Reconciliation Agency and former State Minister for National Reconciliation Affairs. Chair of the Inti- fada wing of the Syrian Social Nationalist Party. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
173.	Dr. Nazeera (نظ برة) (a.k.a. Nazira, Nadheera, Nadhira) Farah (فرح) SAR- KEES (سسركيس) (a.k.a. Sarkis)	Date of birth: 1962; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: female	Former State Minister for Environmental Affairs, in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares re- sponsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012

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175.	Najm-eddin (نجم الدين) (a.k.a. Nejm-eddin, Nejm-eddeen, Najm-eddeen, Nejm-ad- din, Nejm-addeen, Najm-addeen, Najm- addin) KHREIT (فريط) (a.k.a. Khrait)	Gender: male	Former State Minister. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012	
176.	Abdullah (عسلام) (a.k.a. Abdallah) Khaleel (الملسلام) (a.k.a. Khalil) HUSSEIN (الملسلام) a.k.a. Hussain)	Gender: male	Former State Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012	
177.	Jamal (جمال) Sha'ban (شصحبان) (a.k.a. Shaaban) SHAHEEN (شماهين)	Gender: male	Former State Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012	C III
178.	Nizar Wahbeh YAZAJI (a.k.a. Nizar Wehbe Yazigi)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Health since 27.8.2014. As a Government Minis- ter, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014	
179.	Razan (لذلن) OTHMAN (لذلن)	Wife of Rami Makhlouf, daughter of Waleed (alias Walid) Othman; Date of birth: 31.1.1977; Place of birth: Governorate of Latakia, Syria; ID No: 06090034007 Gender: female	Razan Othman has close personal and financial relations with Rami Makhlouf, cousin of President Bashar al-Assad and principal financer of the regime, who has been designated by the Council. As such, associated with the Syrian regime, and benefiting from it, notably through investments in the real estate sector.	16.10.2012	нис вигороди отнон
180.	Ahmad AL-QADRI	Date of birth: 1956; Gender: male	Agriculture and Agrarian Reform Minister. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014	
181.	Suleiman AL ABBAS	Gender: male	Former Oil and Mineral Resources Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares re- sponsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014	
182.	Kamal Eddin TU'MA	Date of birth: 1959; Gender: male	Former Industry Minister in power after May 2011. As a for- mer Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014	

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183.	Kinda AL-SHAMMAT (a.k.a. Shmat)	Date of birth: 1973; Gender: female	Former Social Affairs Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
84.	Hassan HIJAZI	Date of birth: 1964; Gender: male	Former Minister for Labour in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
185.	Ismael ISMAEL (a.k.a. Ismail Ismail; or Isma'Il Isma'il)	Date of birth: 1955; Gender: male	Former Finance Minister in power after May 2011. As a for- mer Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
186.	Dr. Khodr ORFALI (a.k.a. Khud/Khudr; Urfali/Orphaly)	Date of birth: 1956; Gender: male	Former Economy and Foreign Trade Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares re- sponsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
187.	Samir Izzat Qadi AMIN	Date of birth: 1966; Gender: male	Former Internal Trade and Consumer Protection Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
88.	Bishr Riyad YAZIGI	Date of birth: 1972; Gender: male	Advisor to President Bashar al-Assad. Former Minister of Tourism. As a former Government Minister, shares responsi- bility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
.89.	Dr. Malek (هله) ALI (علي) (a.k.a. Malik Ali)	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Tartous, Syria; Gender: male	Former Higher Education Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	24.6.2014
190.	Hussein ARNOUS (a.k.a. Arnus)	Date of birth: 1953; Gender: male	Water Resources Minister. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014

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191.	Dr. Hassib Elias SHAMMAS (a.k.a. Hasib)	Date of birth: 1957; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former State Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
192.	Hashim Anwar AL-AQQAD (a.k.a. Hashem Aqqad, Hashem Akkad, Hashim Akkad)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Mohagirine, Syria; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and/ or activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy. He holds interests in and/or has significant influence in Anwar Akkad Sons Group (AASG) and its subsidiary United Oil. AASG is a conglomerate with interests in sectors such as oil, gas, chemi- cals, insurance, industrial machinery, real estate, tourism, ex- hibitions, contracting, insurance and medical equipment. Hashim Anwar al-Aqqad also worked as a member of the Syr- ian Parliament as recently as 2012. Hashim Anwar Al-Aqqad could not have remained successful without assistance from the regime. Given the extent of his business and political ties to the regime, he provides support to and benefits from the Syrian regime.	23.7.2014
193.	Suhayl (a.k.a. Sohail, Suhail, Suheil) HASSAN (a.k.a. Hasan, al-Hasan, al-Hassan) known as 'The Tiger' (a.k.a. al-Nimr)		Officer of the rank of Major-General in the Syrian Army after May 2011. Commander of army division known as 'Tiger Forces'. Since August 2019, 'Tiger Forces' has been renamed 'Division 25 Special Mission Forces' and placed under the ar- my's central command. Responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population in Syria.	23.7.2014
194.	Amr ARMANAZI (a.k.a. Amr Muhammad Najib al-Armanazi, Amr Najib Armanazi, Amrou al-Armanazy)	Date of birth: 7.2.1944; Gender: male	Director-General of the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), responsible for providing support to the Syrian army for the acquisition of equipment used for the surveil- lance and repression of demonstrators. Also responsible for the development and production of non-conventional weap- ons, including chemical weapons, and the missiles to deliver them. Responsible for the violent repression of the civilian popula- tion; supports the Syrian regime.	23.7.2014

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199.	Bayan BITAR (a.k.a. Dr. Bayan al-Bitar)	Date of birth: 8.3.1947; Address: P.O. Box 11037, Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Managing Director of the Organisation for Technological In- dustries (OTI), and the Syrian Company for Information Technology (SCIT), which are both subsidiaries of the Syrian Ministry of Defence, which has been designated by the Coun- cil. OTI assists in the production of chemical weapons for the Syrian regime. As Managing Director of OTI and the SCIT, Bayan Bitar provides support to the Syrian regime. Due to his role in the production of chemical weapons, he also shares responsibility for the violent repression of the Syrian popula- tion. In view of his senior position in these entities, he is also associated with the designated entities OTI and SCIT.	7.3.2015
200.	Brigadier General Ghassan ABBAS	Scientifique (a.k.a. SSRC, Scientific Studies and	Manager of the branch of the designated Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC/CERS) near Jumraya/ Jmraiya. He has been involved in the proliferation of chemical weapons and the organisation of chemical weapons attacks, including in Ghouta in August 2013. He therefore shares re- sponsibility for the violent repression of the Syrian popula- tion. As manager of the SSRC/CERS branch near Jumraya/ Jmraiya, Ghassan Abbas provides support to the Syrian re- gime. As a result of his senior position in the SSRC, he is also associated with the designated entity SSRC.	7.3.2015
02.	Hassan SAFIYEH (a.k.a. Hassan Safiye)	Date of birth: 1949; Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Internal Trade and Consumer Protection in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
203.	George HASWANI (a.k.a. Heswani; Hasawani; Al Hasawani)		Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and/ or activities in the engineering, construction and oil and gas sectors. He holds interests in and/or has significant influence in a number of companies and entities in Syria, in particular HESCO Engineering and Construction Company, a major en- gineering and construction company.	7.3.2015

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204.	Emad (عدله) HAMSHO (معند) (a.k.a. Imad Hmisho; Hamchu; Hamcho; Hamisho; Hmeisho; Hemasho)	Address: Hamsho Building 31 Baghdad Street, Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Occupies a senior management position in Hamsho Trading. As a result of his senior position in Hamsho Trading, a sub- sidiary of Hamsho International, which has been designated by the Council, he provides support to the Syrian regime. He is also associated with a designated entity, Hamsho Interna- tional. He is also vice-president of the Syrian Council of Iron and Steel alongside designated regime businessmen such as Ayman Jaber. He is also an associate of President Bashar al- Assad.	7.3.2015
206.	Major General Muhamad (هکلا) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad) MAHALLA (هدل) (a.k.a. Mahla, Mualla, Maalla, Muhalla)	Date of birth: 1960; Place of birth: Jableh, Syria; Gender: male	Member of the Syria Armed Forces of the rank of Major General in post after May 2011. Former head of the Syrian Military Intelligence (SMI), Branch 293 (Internal Affairs), since April 2015. Responsible for repression of and violence against the civilian population in Damascus/Damascus Countryside. Former Deputy Head of Political Security (2012), Officer of the Syrian Republican Guard and Vice-Di- rector of the Political Security Directorate. Former head of Military Police, Member of the National Security Bureau.	29.5.2015
207.	Adib SALAMEH (a.k.a. Adib Salamah; Adib Salama; Adib Salame; Mohammed Adib Salameh; Adib Nimr Salameh) (ليب نير سلامة)	Force Intelligence Directorate in Damascus;	Member of the Syrian security and intelligence services in post after May 2011; Deputy Director of the Air Force Intelligence Directorate in Damascus; previously Head of Air Force Intelli- gence in Aleppo. Member of the Syrian Armed Forces of the rank of Colonel and the equivalent or higher in post after May 2011; holds the rank of Major General. Responsible for the violent repression of the civilian popula- tion in Syria, through the planning of and involvement in mili- tary assaults in Aleppo and authority over the arrest and de- tention of civilians.	28.10.2016
208.	Adnan Aboud HILWEH (a.k.a. Adnan Aboud Helweh; Adnan Aboud) (عنان عبود طون	Position: Brigadier General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Brigadier General of 155 Brigade and 157 Brigade in the Syrian Army in post after May 2011. As the Brigadier General of 155 Brigade and 157 Brigade, he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian popula- tion in Syria, including through his responsibility for the de- ployment and use of missile and chemical weapons in civilian areas in 2013 and involvement in large scale detentions.	28.10.2016

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209.	Jawdat Salbi MAWAS (a.k.a. Jawdat Salibi Mawwas; Jawdat Salibi Mawwaz) (جويٽ صلبي مواس	Position: Major General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer in the Syrian Artillery and Missile Directorate of the Syrian Armed Forces, in post after May 2011. As a senior ranking officer of the Syrian Artillery and Missile Directorate, he is responsible for violent repression of the ci- vilian population, including the use of missiles and chemical weapons by Brigades under his command in highly populated civilian areas in Ghouta in 2013.	28.10.2016
210.	Tahir (طاهر) Hamid (حامل) KHALIL (خلیل) (a.k.a. Tahir Hamid Khali; Khalil Tahir Hamid)	Position: Major General; Gender: male	Holds the ranks of Major General, Head of the Syrian Artillery and Missiles Directorate of the Syrian Armed Forces, in post after May 2011. As a senior ranking officer of the Syrian Ar- tillery and Missile Directorate, he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population, including the deploy- ment of missiles and chemical weapons by Brigades under his command in highly populated civilian areas in Ghouta in 2013.	28.10.2016
211.	Hilal HILAL (a.k.a. Hilal al-Hilal) (ملال هلال)	Date of birth: 1966; Gender: male	Member of the regime-affiliated militias known as 'Kataeb al- Baath' (the Baath Party militia). Vice-Chairman of the Baath Party. Supports the Syrian regime through his role in the re- cruitment and organisation of the Baath Party militia.	28.10.2016
212.	Ammar AL-SHARIF (a.k.a. Amar al-Sharif; Amar al-Charif; Ammar Sharif; Ammar Charif; Ammar al Shareef; Ammar Sherif; Ammar Medhat Sherif) (علر التريف)	Date of birth: 26.6.1969; Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Nationality: Syrian; Syrian Passport: - number: 010312413; - issue number: 002-15-L093534; - date of issue: 14.7.2015; - place of issue: Damascus-Centre; - date of expiry: 13.7.2021; National number: 060-10276707; Gender: male	Associated with a member of the Makhlouf family (brother-in- law of Rami Makhlouf).	28.10.2016
213.	Bishr AL-SABBAN (a.k.a. Mohammed Bishr al-Sabban; Bishr Mazin al-Sabban)	Date of birth: 1966; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Governor of Damascus, who was appointed by, and is associated with, President Bashar al-Assad. Supports the Syr- ian regime and is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population in Syria, including engaging in discrimi- natory practices against Sunni communities within the capi- tal.	28.10.2016

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214.	Ahmad Sheik ABDUL-QADER (a.k.a. Ahmad Sheikh Abdul Qadir; Ahmad al-Sheik Abdulquader) (حدد الشيخ عبد القادر)	Gender: male	Former Governor of Quneitra, associated with and appointed by President Bashar al-Assad. Previously Governor of Latakia. Supports and benefits from the Syrian regime, including by public support for the Syrian Armed Forces and pro-regime militia.	28.10.2016	020 EN
215.	Dr. Ghassan Omar KHALAF (غسان عمر خلف)	Gender: male	Former Governor of Hama, who was appointed by, and is as- sociated with, President Bashar al-Assad. He also supports and benefits from the Syrian regime. Ghassan Omar Khalaf is closely associated with members of a regime-affiliated militia in Hama known as the Hama Brigade.	28.10.2016	
216.	Khayr al-Din AL-SAYYED (a.k.a. Khayr al-Din Abdul-Sattar al-Sayyed; Mohamed Khair al-Sayyed; Kheredden al-Sayyed; Khairuddin as-Sayyed; Khaireddin al-Sayyed; Kheir Eddin al-Sayyed; Kheir Eddib Asayed) (خير الدين ،السيد)		Former Governor of Idlib, associated with and appointed by President Bashar al-Assad. Benefits from and supports the Syrian regime, including by providing support for Syrian Armed Forces and pro-regime militia. Associated with the re- gime's Minister of Awqaf, Dr. Mohammad Abdul-Sattar al- Sayyed, who is his brother.	28.10.2016	Official Journal of the Europ
217.	Atef NADDAF (عاطف نداف)	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Damascus Countryside, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Internal Trade and Consumer Protection. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016	European Union
218.	Hussein MAKHLOUF (a.k.a. Makhluf) حسين مخلوف	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	Local Administration Minister. Appointed in July 2016. Former Governor of Damascus Governorate. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population. Cousin of Rami Makhlouf.	14.11.2016	
219.	Ali AL-ZAFIR (على الظافسير)	Date of birth: 1962; Place of birth: Tartus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Communications and Technology. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016	L 168/33

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220.	Ali GHANEM (على غانغ)	Date of birth: 1963; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Minister for Petroleum and Mineral Resources. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016	34 EN
221.		Date of birth: 1966; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Information. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016	Of
222.	Mohammed (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammad) AL-AHMED (a.k.a. al-Ahmad) (محد الأحمل)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	Culture Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016	Official Journal of the Eu
223.	Ali HAMOUD (a.k.a. Hammoud) (على حمود)	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Tartus, Syria; Gender: male	Transport Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016	European Union
224.	Mohammed Zuhair (a.k.a. Zahir) KHARBOUTLI رمحد زهير خــربوطلي)	Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Electricity Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016	
225.	Maamoun (a.k.a. Ma'moun) HAMDAN مأمون حمدان	Date of birth: 1958; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Finance Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016	29.5.2020

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226.	Nabil AL-HASAN (a.k.a. al-Hassan) (نبیسل الحسن)	Date of birth: 1963; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Water Resources. Appointed in July 2016. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	14.11.2016
227.	Ahmad AL-HAMU (a.k.a. al-Hamo) (أحد الحسل)	Date of birth: 1947; Gender: male	Former Minister of Industry. As a former Government Minis- ter, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
228.	Abdullah AL-GHARBI (a.k.a. al-Qirbi) (عبدالله الغسريي)	Date of birth: 1962; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Internal Trade and Consumer Protection. Appointed in July 2016. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	14.11.2016
229.	Abdullah ABDULLAH عبدالله عبدالله)	Date of birth: 1956; Gender: male	State Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
230.	Salwa ABDULLAH رسسلوی عبدالله	Date of birth: 1953; Place of birth: Quneitra, Syria; Gender: female	State Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
231.	Rafe'a Abu SA'AD (a.k.a. Saad) رافسع أبـو سـعد ₎	Date of birth: 1954; Place of birth: Habran village, Sweida province, Syria; Gender: male	State Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016

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232.	Wafiqa HOSNI (وفیق که حسنها)	Date of birth: 1952; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: female	State Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
233.	Rima AL-QADIRI (a.k.a. al-Kadiri) ريما ة القسادري)	Date of birth: 1963; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: female	Minister for Social Affairs (since August 2015). As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
234.	Duraid DURGHAM	Gender: male	Former Governor of the Central Bank of Syria. Was responsible for providing economic and financial sup- port to the Syrian regime through his functions as the Gover- nor of the Central Bank of Syria, which is also listed.	14.11.2016
235.	Ahmad BALLUL (a.k.a. Ahmad Muhammad Ballul; Ahmed Balol) (اهد بلول)	Date of birth: 10.10.1954; Rank: Major General; Commander of the Syrian Arab Air Force and Air Defence Forces; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer and Com- mander of the Syrian Arab Air and Air Defence Forces, in post after May 2011. Operates in the chemical weapons proliferation sector and, as a senior ranking officer of the Syrian Arab Air Force, is re- sponsible for the violent repression of the civilian population, including the use of chemical weapons attacks by the Syrian regime identified in the report of the Joint Investigative Me- chanism.	21.3.2017
236.	Saji' DARWISH (a.k.a. Saji Jamil Darwish; Sajee Darwish; Siaa Darwis) (المعجبي لارويسار)	Date of birth: 11.1.1957; Rank: Major General, Syrian Arab Air Force; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer and former Commander of the 22nd Division of the Syrian Arab Air Force, in post after May 2011. Operates in the chemical weapons proliferation sector and is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian popula- tion. As a senior ranking officer of the Syrian Arab Air Force and Commander of the 22nd Division until April 2017 he holds responsibility for the use of chemical weapons by air- craft operating from airbases under the control of the 22nd Division, including the attack on Talmenes that the Joint In- vestigative Mechanism reported was conducted by Hama air- field-based regime helicopters.	21.3.2017

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237.	Muhammed IBRAHIM (محد اير اهير)	Date of birth: 5.8.1964; Rank: Brigadier General; Deputy Commander of Syrian Arab Air Force 63rd Brigade at Hama air- field; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Brigadier General, a senior officer and Dep- uty Commander of the Syrian Arab Air Force 63rd Brigade, in post after May 2011. Operates in the chemical weapons proliferation sector and, as a senior ranking officer of the Syrian Arab Air Force during the period investigated by the Joint Investigative Mechanism and as Deputy Commander of the 63rd Brigade from March to December 2015, is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population through the use of chemical weapons by the 63rd Brigade in Talmenes (21.4.2014), Qmenas (16.3. 2015) and Sarmin (16.3.2015).	21.3.2017
238.	Badi' MU'ALLA (بنيع للعلا)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Bistuwir, Jablah, Syria; Rank: Brigadier General; Commander of Syrian Arab Air Force 63rd Brigade; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Brigadier General, a senior officer and Com- mander of 63rd Brigade of the Syrian Arab Air Force, in post after May 2011. Operates in the chemical weapons proliferation sector and, as Commander of the 63rd Brigade during the period investi- gated by the Joint Investigative Mechanism, is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population through the use of chemical weapons by the 63rd Brigade in Talmenes (21.4.2014), Qmenas (16.3.2015) and Sarmin (16.3.2015).	21.3.2017
39.	Hisham Mohammad Mamdouh AL-SHA'AR	Date of birth: 1958; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Justice Minister. Appointed in March 2017.	30.5.2017
40.	Mohammad Samer Abdelrahman AL-KHALIL	Gender: male	Economy and Foreign Trade Minister. Appointed in March 2017.	30.5.2017
241.	Salam Mohammad AL-SAFFAF	Date of birth: 1979; Gender: male	Administrative Development Minister. Appointed in March 2017.	30.5.2017
242.	Samir DABUL (a.k.a. Samir Daaboul)	Date of birth: 4.9.1965; Rank: Brigadier General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Brigadier General, in post after May 2011. As a senior military officer he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population and involved in the sto- rage and deployment of chemical weapons. He is also asso- ciated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017

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243.	Ali WANUS (a.k.a. Ali Wannous) (علي وانوس)	Date of birth: 5.2.1964; Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, in post after May 2011. As a senior military officer he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population and involved in the sto- rage and deployment of chemical weapons. He is also associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
244.	Yasin Ahmad DAHI (a.k.a. Yasin Dahi; Yasin Dhahi) (ضاحي ياسين)	Date of birth: 1960; Rank: Brigadier General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Brigadier General in the Syrian Armed Forces, in post after May 2011. Senior officer within the Military Intelligence Directorate of the Syrian Armed Forces. Former head of Military Intelligence Branch 235 in Damascus and Military Intelligence in Homs. As a senior military officer he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian po- pulation.	18.7.2017
245.	Muhammad Yousef HASOURI (a.k.a. Mohammad Yousef Hasouri; Mohammed Yousef Hasouri) رمحد يوسف حاصوري	Rank: Brigadier General; Gender: male	Brigadier General Muhammad Hasouri is a senior officer of the Syrian Air Force, in post after May 2011. He holds the position as Chief of Staff of Air Force Brigade 50 and Deputy Commander of the Shayrat Airbase. Brigadier General Mu- hammad Hasouri operates in the chemical weapons prolif- eration sector. As a senior military officer he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population in Syria.	18.7.2017
246.	Malik HASAN (a.k.a. Malek Hassan) (مالك حسن	Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer and Com- mander of the 22nd Division of the Syrian Air Force, in post after May 2011. As a senior officer of the Syrian Air Force and in the chain of command of the 22nd Division, he is responsible for the vio- lent repression of the civilian population in Syria, including the use of chemical weapons by aircraft operating from air- bases under the control of the 22nd Division, such as the at- tack on Talmenas that the Joint Investigative Mechanism estab- lished by the United Nations reported was conducted by Hama airfield-based regime helicopters.	18.7.2017

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247.	Jayyiz Rayyan AL-MUSA (a.k.a. Jaez Sawada al-Hammoud al-Mousa; Jayez al-Hammoud al-Moussa) (جايز ريان الموسى)	Date of birth: 1954; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Governor of Hasaka, appointed by President Bashar al-Assad; he is associated with President Bashar al-Assad. Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer and former Chief of Staff of the Syrian Air Force. As a senior officer of the Syrian Air Force, he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population in Syria, in- cluding the use of chemical weapons attacks by the Syrian regime during his tenure as Chief of Staff of the Syrian Air Force, as identified in the report of the Joint Investigative Me- chanism established by the United Nations.	18.7.2017
248.	Mayzar 'Abdu SAWAN (a.k.a. Meezar Sawan) ميزار عبد الصوان)	Date of birth: 1954; Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer and Com- mander of the 20th Division of the Syrian Air Force, in post after May 2011. As a senior officer in the Syrian air force he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population including at- tacks against civilian areas by aircraft operating from airbases under the control of the 20th Division.	18.7.2017
250.	Mohammad Safwan KATAN (a.k.a. Mohammad Safwan Qattan) (محمد صفوان قطان)	Gender: male	Mohammad Safwan Katan is an engineer at the Syrian Scien- tific Studies and Research Centre, a listed entity. He is involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. Mohammad Safwan Katan has been involved in the construction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian population in Syria. He is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
251.	Mohammad (أريا ^{لا}) Ziad (أريا ^{لا}) GHRIWATI (غريوائي) (a.k.a. Mohammad Ziad Ghraywati)	Gender: male	Mohammad Ziad Ghriwati is an engineer at the Syrian Scien- tific Studies and Research Centre. He is involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. He has been involved in the construction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian population in Syria. He is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
252.	Mohammad Darar KHALUDI (a.k.a. Mohammad Darar Khloudi) محمد ضرار خلودي)	Gender: male	Mohammad Darar Khaludi is an engineer at the Syrian Scien- tific Studies and Research Centre. He is involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. He has been involved in the construction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian population in Syria.	18.7.2017

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			He is also associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, a listed entity.	
253.	(معوان) SAWAN (خالد)	Gender: male	Dr. Khaled Sawan is an engineer at the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, which is involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. He has been involved in the con- struction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian population in Syria. He has been associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
54.	Raymond (لرلزق) RIZQ (لريبون) (a.k.a. Raymond Rizk)	Gender: male	Raymond Rizq is an engineer at the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, involved in chemical weapons prolifera- tion and delivery. He has been involved in the construction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian popu- lation in Syria. He is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
.55.	Fawwaz EL-ATOU (a.k.a. Fawaz Al Atto) (فواز الأطو)	Gender: male	Fawwaz El-Atou is a lab technician at the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. He has been involved in the con- struction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian population in Syria. He is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
256.	Fayez ASI (a.k.a. Fayez al-Asi) (فايز أسي)	Gender: male	Fayez Asi is a lab technician at the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. He has been involved in the construction of bar- rel bombs which have been used against the civilian popula- tion in Syria. He is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
257.	Hala SIRHAN (a.k.a. Halah Sirhan) (هالهٔ سرحان)	Date of birth: 5.1.1953; Title: Doctor; Gender: female	Dr. Hala Sirhan works with Syrian Military Intelligence at the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre. She operated in Institute 3000, which is involved in chemical weapons prolif- eration. She is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017

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258.	Mohamed Mazen Ali YOUSEF (محدمازن علي يوسف)	Date of birth: 17.5.1969; Place of birth: Damascus Countryside, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Industry. Appointed in January 2018. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	26.2.2018
259.	Imad Abdullah SARA (عىلا عبدالله سارة)	Date of birth: 1968; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Information. Appointed in January 2018.	26.2.2018
260.	Yusuf AJEEB (a.k.a. بوسف عجب); Yousef; Ajib)	Position: Brigadier General; Doctor; Head of Se- curity Office, Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC); Address: Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), Barzeh Street, P.O. Box 4470, Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Syrian Armed Forces, in post after May 2011. Since 2012, he has been Head of Security for the Scientific Studies and Re-	19.3.2018
261.	Maher SULAIMAN (a.k.a. بماهر سليمان; Mahir; Suleiman)	Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Position: Doctor; Director of the Higher Institute for Applied Sciences and Technology; Address: Higher Institute for Applied Sciences and Technology (HIAST), P.O. Box 31983, Da- mascus, Syria; Gender: male	Director of the Higher Institute for Applied Sciences and Technology (HIAST), which provides training and support as part of the Syrian chemical weapons proliferation sector. Due to his senior position at the HIAST, which is an affiliate and subsidiary of the Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), he is associated with the HIAST and SSRC, both of which are designated entities.	19.3.2018
262.	Salam TOHME (a.k.a. ^{سلام طعية} ; Salim; Taame, Ta'mah, Toumah)	Position: Doctor; Deputy Director General, Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC); Address: Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), Barzeh Street, P.O. Box 4470, Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Deputy Director General of the Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), which is responsible for the development and production of non-conventional weapons, including chemical weapons, and the missiles to deliver them. Due to his senior position at SSRC, he is associated with the designated entity SSRC.	19.3.2018
263.	Zuhair FADHLUN (a.k.a. زهير فضلون; Zoher; Fadloun, Fadhloun)	Position: Head of Institute 3000 (a.k.a. Insti- tute 5000), Scientific Studies and Research Cen- tre (SSRC); Address: Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), Barzeh Street, P.O. Box 4470, Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Director of the branch of the Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC) that is known as Institute 3000 (a.k.a. Insti- tute 5000). In this role, he is responsible for chemical weapons projects, including production of chemical agents and muni- tions. Due to his senior position at SSRC, he is associated with designated entity SSRC.	19.3.2018

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264.	Houmam JAZA'IRI (a.k.a. Humam al-Jazaeri, Hammam al-Jazairi)	Date of birth: 1977; Gender: male	Former Minister of Economy and Foreign Trade in power after May 2011, then member of the board of Syriatel (un- til May 2019) which is designated by the Council. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the violent re- pression of the Syrian people.	21.10.2014
265.	Mohamad Amer MARDINI (a.k.a. Mohammad Amer Mardini)	Date of birth: 1959; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Higher Education in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
266.	Mohamad Ghazi JALALI (a.k.a. Mohammad Ghazi al-Jalali)	Date of birth: 1969; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Communications and Technology in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
267.	Issam KHALIL	Date of birth: 1965; Place of birth: Banias, Tartous Governorate, Syr- ia; Gender: male	Former Minister of Culture in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
268.	Ghassan Ahmed GHANNAN (a.k.a. Major General Ghassan Ghannan, Brigadier General Ghassan Ahmad Ghanem)	Rank: Major General; Position: Commander of the 155th Missile Bri- gade; Gender: male	Member of the Syrian Armed Forces of the rank of Colonel and the equivalent or higher in post after May 2011. Major General and Commander of the 155th Missile Brigade. Asso- ciated with Maher al-Assad through his role in the 155th Missile Brigade. As Commander of the 155th Missile Brigade, he is supporting the Syrian regime and he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population. Responsible for firing scud missiles at various civilian sites between Janu- ary and March 2013.	21.10.2014
269.	Abdelhamid Khamis ABDULLAH (a.k.a. Abdulhamid Khamis Abdullah; Hamid Khamis; Abdelhamid Khamis Ahmad Adballa)	Gender: male	Chairman of Overseas Petroleum Trading Company (OPT) which has been listed by the Council for benefiting from and supporting the Syrian regime. He coordinated shipments of oil to the Syrian regime with listed Syrian state oil company Sytrol. Therefore, he is benefitting from and providing sup- port to the Syrian regime. In view of his position as the most senior person in the entity, he is responsible for its activities.	21.10.2014

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270.	Bashar Mohammad ASSI	Aman Damascus (until 2019); founding partner	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy, including his roles as founding partner of Fly Aman airline and, un- til May 2019, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Aman Damascus, a joint venture involved in the development of Marota City, a regime-backed luxury residential and com- mercial development. Assi benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime through his business activities. On 30.1.2020, he founded the Aman Facilities company with and on behalf of Samer Foz.	21.1.2019	U20 EN
271.	Khaled AL-ZUBAIDI (a.k.a. (Mohammed) Khaled/Khalid (Bassam) (al-) Zubaidi/Zubedi (خالا لازييدي)		Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with significant investments in the construction industry, including a 50 % stake in Zubaidi and Qalei LLC, which is constructing the luxury tourist city Grand Town and to which the regime has granted a 45-year agreement in return for 19-21 % of its rev- enue. In this capacity he is linked to Nader Qalei. Khaled al- Zubaidi benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime through his business activities, in particular through this stake in the Grand Town development.	21.1.2019	Official Journal of the European
274.	Nader QALEI (a.k.a. Kalai, Kalei)	Date of birth: 9.7.1965; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Nationality: Syrian; Passport number (including country that issued and date and place of issue): Syrian Arab Repub- lic; N 010170320; issue number: 002-15- L062672; date of issue: 24.5.2015; date of ex- piry: 23.5.2021; ID number: Syrian Arab Republic, 010- 40036453; Position: Majority shareholder of Castle Invest- ment Holding; co-owner of Zubaidi and Qalei LLC; Chairman of Kalai Industries Management; Relatives/business associates or partners/links to listed individuals: Khaled al-Zubaidi; Address: Young Avenue, Halifax, Canada; Gender: male	granted a 45-year agreement in return for 19-21 % of its rev- enue. In this capacity, he is linked to Khaled al-Zubaidi. Nader Qalei benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime through his business activities, in particular through this stake in the Grand Town development.	21.1.2019	an Union L 168/43

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275.	Major General Mohammad Khaled AL-RAHMOUN	Date of birth: 1957; Place of birth: Idleb, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of the Interior. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
276.	Mohammad Rami Radwan MARTINI	Date of birth: 1970; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Tourism. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
277.	Imad Muwaffaq AL-AZAB	Date of birth: 1970; Place of birth: Damascus Countryside, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Education. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
278.	Bassam Bashir IBRAHIM	Date of birth: 1960; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Higher Education. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
279.	Suhail Mohammad ABDULLATIF	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Public Works and Housing. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
280.	Iyad Mohammad AL-KHATIB	Date of birth: 1974; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Communications and Technology. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
281.	Mohammad Maen Zein-al-Abidin JAZBA	Date of birth: 1962; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Industry. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019

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282.	Anas TALAS (a.k.a. طلس أنس, Anas Talous/Tals/Tuls/ Tlass)	Date of birth: 25.3.1971; Nationality: Syrian; Position: Chairman of the Talas Group; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy. Through his business activities and investments, Anas Talas also benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime. In 2018 the Talas Group, chaired by Anas Talas, entered into a SYP 23 billion joint venture with Damascus Cham Holding for the con- struction of Marota City, a regime-backed luxury residential and commercial development.	21.1.2019
283.	Mohammed Nazer JAMAL EDDIN (a.k.a. الدين جمال أحمد نذير محمد, Nazir Ahmad, Mohammed JamalEddine)	Date of birth: 2.1.1962; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Nationality: Syrian; Passport number: N 011612445, issue no. 002- 17-L022286 (place of issue: Syrian Arab Repub- lic); ID Number: 010-30208342 (place of issue: Syr- ian Arab Republic); Position: Co-founder and majority shareholder of Apex Development and Projects LLC and founder of A'ayan Company for Projects and Equipment; Gender: male	dential and commercial development. Through his participa- tion in the Marota City development, Mohammed Nazer Jamal Eddin benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime.	21.1.2019
284.	Mazin AL-TARAZI (a.k.a. ^{الترزي} , بمازن, Mazen al-Tarazi)	Date of birth: September 1962; Nationality: Syrian; Position: Businessperson; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with significant investments in the construction and aviation sectors. Through his investments and activities, Mazin al-Tarazi benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime. In particular, Mazin al- Tarazi has concluded a deal with Damascus Cham Holding for a USD 320 million investment in the construction of Marota City, a regime-backed luxury residential and commercial de- velopment. He has also been granted a licence for a private airline in Syria.	21.1.2019

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285.	Samer FOZ (a.k.a. Samir (^{سامر}) Foz (فوز)/Fawz; Samer Zuhair Foz)	Date of birth: May 1973; Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Nationalities: Syrian, Turkish; Turkish Passport number: U 09471711 (place of issue Turkey; expiry date 21.7.2024); Position: CEO of Aman Group; Gender: male Other information: Executive President of Aman Group. Subsidi- aries: Foz for Trading, Al-Mohaimen for Trans- portation & Contracting. Aman Group is the pri- vate sector partner in joint venture Aman Damascus JSC with Damascus Cham Holding, in which Foz is an individual shareholder. Emmar Industries is a joint venture between Aman Group and the Hamisho Group, in which Foz has the majority stake and is the Chairman.	links to the regime.	21.1.2019
286.	Khaldoun AL-ZOUBI (a.k.a. Khaldoon al-Zu'bi; Khaldoun Zubi)	Date of birth: 1979; Nationality: Syrian; Position: Founder of Fly Aman Limited Liability and founding member of Asas Iron Company; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy, including his roles as Vice President of Aman Holding and majority share- holder of Fly Aman airline (until February 2019). In this ca- pacity, he is linked to Samer Foz. Aman Holding is represented on the board of, and holds a majority stake in, Aman Damas- cus, a joint venture in the construction of Marota City, a re- gime-backed luxury residential and commercial development. Al-Zoubi benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime. Founding member of Asas Iron Company.	21.1.2019
287.	Hussam AL-QATIRJI (a.k.a. Hussam/Hossam Ahmed/ Mohammed/Muhammad al-Katerji حسام القاطرجي	Date of birth: 1982; Place of birth: Raqqa, Syria; Nationality: Syrian; Position: CEO of Katerji Group (a.k.a. Al-Qatirji Company/Qatirji Company/ Khatirji Group/Ka- terji International Group); Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, who is also a Member of Parliament for Aleppo. Al-Qatirji supports and benefits from the Syrian regime through enabling, and prof- iting from, trade deals with the regime in relation to oil and wheat.	21.1.2019

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288.	Yasser Aziz ABBAS (a.k.a. Yasser, Yaser, Yasr; Aziz, Aziz; Abbas, Abas; ياسر عزيز عباس)	Relatives/business associates/entities or partners/ links: Bajaa Trading Services LLC; Qudrah Trad-	Leading businessperson operating in Syria. Supports and/or benefits from the Syrian regime through business dealings, including fuel smuggling and weapons transfers. Yasser Aziz Abbas profits from facilitating oil imports on behalf of the regime and uses his relations with the regime to obtain pre- ferential dealings and treatment.	17.2.2020
289.	Mahir Burhan Eddine AL-IMAM (ماهر بسر مان ال دي ال المام a.k.a.	Telecom; Relatives/business associates/entities or partners/	Leading businessperson operating in Syria with business in- terests in tourism, telecommunications and real estate. As General Manager of the regime-backed Telsa Communication Group as well as of Castro LLC, and through his other business interests, Mahir Burhan Eddine al-Imam benefits from the Syrian regime and supports its financing and lobbying policy as well as its construction policy.	17.2.2020
290.	Waseem AL-KATTAN (a.k.a. Waseem, Wasseem, Wassim, Wasim; Anouar; al-Kattan, al-Katan, al-Qattan, al-Qatan; وسيم ق ان وال الق طان)	(Rural) Province Chamber of Commerce; Relatives/business associates/entities or partners/ links: Larosa Furniture/Furnishing; Jasmine Fields Company Ltd.; Muruj Cham (Murooj al-Cham) Investment and Tourism Group; Adam and In- vestment LLC; Universal Market Company LLC;	Leading businessperson operating in Syria benefitting from and supporting the regime. Owner of multiple businesses and holding companies with interests and activities in various economic sectors such as real estate, luxury hotel industry and commercial centres. Waseem al-Kattan rose rapidly as a lead- ing businessman by imposing taxes on goods smuggled into Eastern Ghouta under siege, and is now involved in aggressive forms of clientelism to the benefit of the regime. Waseem al- Kattan benefits financially from favoured access to public tenders as well as to licences and contracts awarded by gov- ernment agencies as a result of his close ties to the regime.	17.2.2020
291.	Amer FOZ (a.k.a. عامر فوز)	Date of birth: 11.3.1976; Nationality: Syrian; Passport No: 06010274747; Position: General Manager of ASM International General Trading LLC (ASM International Trad- ing);	Leading businessperson with personal and family business in- terests and activities in multiple sectors of the Syrian econo- my, including through Aman Holding (formerly known as the Aman Group). Through Aman Holding, he benefits finan- cially from access to commercial opportunities and supports the Syrian regime, including through involvement in the re- gime-backed development of Marota City. Since 2012, he has also been General Manager of ASM International Trading LLC.	17.2.2020

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		Relatives/business associates/entities or partners/ links: Samer Foz; Aman Holding (Aman Damas- cus Joint Stock Company); ASM International General Trading LLC (ASM International Trad- ing); Gender: male	businessperson operating in Syria and for supporting or ben-	
292.	Saqr RUSTOM (a.k.a. Saqr, Saqer; As'ad, Asaad, Asad; al-Rustom, al-Rostom; صرق ر رستم, صرق أسعد الرستم)	Homs;	Head of the local branch of the National Defence Force in Homs (a regime militia - Shabiha). Responsible for its partici- pation in the brutal repression of the civilian population in Syria. Through his militia, Saqr Rustom is responsible for multiple war profiteering schemes and is therefore benefiting from and supporting the Syrian regime. Associated with de- signated person Bassam Hassan, his uncle, with whom he es- tablished the Damas Real Estate Development and Investment LLC in order to invest in real estate projects.	17.2.2020
293.	Abdelkader SABRA (a.k.a. Abdelkader, Abd el Kader, Abd al Kader, Abdul Kader Abd al Qadr, Abdul Qadr; Sabra, Sabrah; (عبد القادر صبرا; عبد القادر صبره	Date of birth: 14.9.1955; Nationality: Syrian; Lebanese; Position: Owner of Sabra Maritime Agency; head of the Syrian-Turkish Businessmen Council; founding partner of Phoenicia Tourism Com- pany; President of the Chamber of Maritime Na- vigation in Syria; Relatives/business associates/entities or partners/ links: Phoenicia Tourism Company (شركة فعينيقيا للسياح); Sabra Maritime Agency (إكالة صبر م البحرية);	President Bashar al-Assad), Abdelkader Sabra provides finan- cial and economic support for the Syrian regime, including through offshore companies. Abdelkader Sabra also benefits from his ties to the regime, which have allowed him to expand his activities in the real estate sector. He is also involved in money laundering and commercial activities in support of the	17.2.2020
294.	Khodr Ali TAHER (a.k.a. خضر علي طاه)	Date of birth: 1976; Nationality: Syrian; Position: Director and owner of Ella Media Ser- vices; founding partner of Castle Security and Protection and of Jasmine Contracting Company; Chairman and founding partner of the Syrian Hotel Management Company; Manager and owner of Ematel;		17.2.2020

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		links: Citadel for Protection; Guard and Security Ser- vices (Castle Security and protection); Ematel LLC (Ematel Communications); Syrian Hotel Management Company; Jasmine Contracting	Supports and benefits from the Syrian regime through coop- eration in his business activities and his involvement in smug- gling and profiteering activities. Khodr Ali Taher owns a num- ber of companies and has co-founded others. His involvement in business dealings with the regime includes entering into a joint venture with the Syrian Transport and Tourism Com- pany, of which the Ministry of Tourism owns a two-thirds stake.	
295.	Adel Anwar AL-OLABI (a.k.a. Adel Anouar el-Oulabi, Adil Anwar al-Olabi; عادل أن ور ال علبي)	Holding Company (DCHC); Governor of Damas- cus; Gender: male	Leading businessperson benefiting from and supporting the Syrian regime. Vice Chairman of Damascus Cham Holding Company (DCHC), the investment arm of the Governorate of Damascus managing the properties of the Governorate of Damascus and implementing the Marota City project. Adel Anwar al-Olabi is also the Governor of Damascus, ap- pointed by President Bashar al-Assad in November 2018. As Governor of Damascus and Vice Chair of DCHC, he is respon- sible for efforts to implement regime policies of developing expropriated land in Damascus (including Decree No. 66 and Law No. 10), most notably through the Marota City pro- ject.	17.2.2020

B. Entities

	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
1.	Bena Properties		Controlled by Rami Makhlouf. Syria's largest real estate com- pany and the real estate and investment arm of Cham Holding; provides funding to the Syrian regime.	23.6.2011
2.	Al Mashreq Investment Fund (AMIF) (a.k.a. Sunduq Al Mashrek Al Istithmari)	P.O. Box 108, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 112110059 / 963 112110043; Fax: +963 933333149	Controlled by Rami Makhlouf; provides funding to the Syrian regime.	23.6.2011

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3.	Hamcho International (a.k.a. Hamsho International Group)	Baghdad Street, P.O. Box 8254, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 112316675; Fax: +963 112318875; Website: www.hamshointl.com; E-mail: info@hamshointl.com and hamshogrou- p@yahoo.com	Hamcho International is a large Syrian holding company owned by Mohammed Hamcho. Hamcho International benefits from and provides support to the Syrian regime and is associated with a person benefiting from and supporting the Syrian regime.	27.1.2015	50 EN
4.	Military Housing Establishment (a.k.a. MILIHOUSE)		Public works company controlled by Riyad Shalish and Min- istry of Defence; provides funding to the Syrian regime.	23.6.2011	
5.	Political Security Directorate		Syrian government agency directly involved in repression.	23.8.2011	Official Jou
6.	General Intelligence Directorate		Syrian government agency directly involved in repression.	23.8.2011	Official Journal of the European Union
7.	Military Intelligence Directorate		Syrian government agency directly involved in repression.	23.8.2011	European
8.	Air Force Intelligence Agency		Syrian government agency directly involved in repression.	23.8.2011	Jnion
9.	IRGC Qods Force (a.k.a. Quds Force)	Teheran, Iran	The Qods (or Quds) Force is a specialist arm of the Iranian Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps (IRGC). The Qods Force is involved in providing equipment and support to help the Syrian regime suppress protests in Syria. The Qods Force has provided technical assistance, equipment and support to the Syrian security services to repress civilian protest movements.	23.8.2011	
10.	Mada Transport	Subsidiary of Cham Holding (Sehanya Dara'a Highway, P.O. Box 9525); Tel: +963 11 99 62	Economic entity financing the Syrian regime.	2.9.2011	29.5.2020

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11.	Cham Investment Group	Subsidiary of Cham Holding (Sehanya Dara'a Highway, P.O. Box 9525); Tel: +963 11 99 62	Economic entity financing the Syrian regime.	2.9.2011
12.	Real Estate Bank	Insurance Building, Yousef al-Azmeh Square, Da- mascus, P.O. Box: 2337, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2456777 and 2218602; Fax: +963 11 2237938 and 2211186; Email: Publicrelations@reb.sy Website: www.reb.sy	State-owned bank providing financial support for the Syrian regime.	2.9.2011
13.	Addounia TV (a.k.a. Dounia TV)	Tel: +963 11 5667274; +963 11 5667271; Fax: +963 11 5667272; Website: http://www.addounia.tv; Relatives/business associates/entities or partner- s/links: SAMA TV (sister company); website: www.sama-tv.net	Addounia TV has incited violence against the civilian popu- lation in Syria.	23.9.2011
14.	Cham Holding	Cham Holding Building - Daraa Highway - Ash- rafiyat Sahnaya Rif Dimashq – Syria PO Box 9525; Tel: +963 11 9962; +963 11 668 14000; +963 11 673 1044; Fax: +963 11 673 1274; Email: info@chamholding.sy; Website: www.chamholding.sy	Controlled by Rami Makhlouf; second-largest holding com- pany in Syria, benefiting from and supporting the Syrian re- gime.	23.9.2011
15.	El-Tel. Co. (El-Tel. Middle East Company) (a.k.a. Abraj Tech)	Dair Ali Jordan Highway, P.O. Box 13052, Da- mascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2212345; Fax: +963 11 44694450; Email: sales@eltelme.com; Company owner: Maher Dsouki; Websites: www.eltelme.com, www.abrajtec.com	Manufacturing and supplying communication and transmis- sion towers and other equipment for the Syrian army.	23.9.2011
16.	Ramak Constructions Co.	Dara'a Highway, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 6858111; Mobile: +963 933 240231	Construction of military barracks, border post barracks and other buildings for army needs.	23.9.2011

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17.	Souruh Company (a.k.a. SOROH Al Cham Company)	Adra Free Zone Area, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 5327266; Mobile: +963 933 526812; +963 932 878282; Fax: +963 11 5316396; Email: sorohco@gmail.com; Website: http://sites.google.com/site/sorohco	Majority of the shares of the company are owned directly or indirectly by Rami Makhlouf.	23.9.2011
18.	Syriatel	Syriatel Mobile Telecom Building, Amman Road, Daraa Highway, Ashrafiyat Sahnaya Area, Da- mascus, Syria, P.O. Box 2900; Tel: +963 11 61 26 270; Fax: +963 11 23 73 97 19; Email: info@syriatel.com.sy; Website: http://syriatel.sy/	Controlled by Rami Makhlouf; provides financial support to the Syrian regime: through its licensing contract it pays 50 % of its profits to the Government.	23.9.2011
19.	Cham Press TV	Al Qudsi building, 2nd Floor, Baramkeh, Damas- cus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2260805; Fax: +963 11 2260806; Email: mail@champress.com; Website: www.champress.net	Television channel which participates in campaigns to spread disinformation and incite violence against demonstrators.	1.12.2011
20.	Al Watan	Al Watan Newspaper, Damascus, Duty Free Zone; Tel: +963 11 2137400; Fax: +963 11 2139928	Daily newspaper which participates in campaigns to spread disinformation and incite violence against demonstrators.	1.12.2011
21.	Centre d'études et de recherches syrien (CERS) (a.k.a. Centre d'Etude et de Recherche Scientifique (CERS); Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC); Centre de Recherche de Kaboun)	Barzeh Street, P.O. Box 4470, Damascus, Syria	Provides support to the Syrian army for the acquisition of equipment used for the surveillance and repression of demon- strators. Operating in the chemical weapons proliferation sector, it is the government entity responsible for developing and produ- cing non-conventional weapons, including chemical weap- ons, and the missiles to deliver them.	1.12.2011
22.	Business Lab	Maysat Square, Al Rasafi Street Bldg. 9, P.O. Box 7155, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2725499; Fax: +963 11 2725399	Front company for the acquisition of sensitive equipment by the CERS.	1.12.2011

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23.	Industrial Solutions	Baghdad Street 5, P.O. Box 6394, Damascus, Syr- ia; Tel/Fax: +963 11 4471080	Front company for the acquisition of sensitive equipment by the CERS.	1.12.2011	.2020
24.	Mechanical Construction Factory (MCF)	P.O. Box 35202, Industrial Zone, Al-Qadam Road, Damascus, Syria	Front company for the acquisition of sensitive equipment by the CERS.	1.12.2011	EN
25.	Syronics – Syrian Arab Co. for Electronic Industries	Kaboon Street, PO Box 5966, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 5111352; Fax: +963 11 5110117	Front company for the acquisition of sensitive equipment by the CERS.	1.12.2011	
26.	Handasieh – Organization for Engineering Industries	P.O. Box 5966, Abou Bakr Al-Seddeq St., Damas- cus, Syria and P.O. Box 2849, Al-Moutanabi Street, Damascus, Syria and P.O. Box 21120, Baramkeh, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2121816; +963 11 2121834; +963 11 2214650; +963 11 2212743; +963 11 5110117	the CERS.	1.12.2011	Official Journal of the European
27.	Syria Trading Oil Company (Sytrol)	Prime Minister Building, 17 Street Nissan, Da- mascus, Syria	State-owned company responsible for all oil exports from Syria. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	1.12.2011	Union
28.	General Petroleum Corporation (GPC)	New Sham - Building of Syrian Oil Company, P. O. Box 60694, Damascus, Syria Tel: +963 11 3141635; Fax: +963 11 3141634; Email: info@gpc-sy.com	State-owned oil company. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	1.12.2011	
29.	Al Furat Petroleum Company	Dummar - New Sham -Western Dummer 1st. Is- land - Property 2299 - A.FPC Building P.O. Box 7660, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 6183333; +963 11 31913333; Fax: +963 11 6184444; +963 11 31914444; Email: afpc@afpc.net.sy	Joint venture 50 % owned by GPC. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	1.12.2011	L 168/53

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30.	Industrial Bank	Dar Al Muhanisen Building, 7th Floor, Maysa- loun Street, P.O. Box 7572, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 222 8200; +963 11 2227910; Fax: +963 11 222 8412	State-owned bank. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
1.	Popular Credit Bank	Dar Al Muhanisen Building, 6th Floor, Maysa- loun Street, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 222 7604; +963 11 221 8376; Fax: +963 11 2210124	State-owned bank. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
2.	Saving Bank (a.k.a. Savings Bank; formerly known as The General Establishment of Mail Saving Fund; formerly known as The Post Saving Fund)	Syria-Damascus – Merjah – Al-Furat St., P.O. Box 5467; Fax: +963 11 224 4909; +963 11 245 3471; Tel: +963 11 222 8403; Email: s.bank@scs-net.org, post-gm@net.sy	State-owned bank. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
3.	Agricultural Cooperative Bank (a.k.a. Al Masraf Al Zeraei Al Taweni; ACB)	Agricultural Cooperative Bank Building, Damas- cus Tajhez, P.O. Box 4325, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 221 3462; +963 112 22 1393; Fax: +963 11 224 1261; Website: www.agrobank.org	State-owned bank. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
4.	Syrian Lebanese Commercial Bank		Subsidiary of the Commercial Bank of Syria already listed. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
5.	Deir ez-Zur Petroleum Company	Dar Al Saadi Building 1st, 5th, and 6th Floor Zillat Street Mazza Area, P.O. Box 9120, Damas- cus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 662 1175; +963 11 662 1400; Fax: +963 11 662 1848	Joint venture of GPC. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
6.	Ebla Petroleum Company (a.k.a. Ebco)	Head Office Mazzeh Villat Ghabia Dar Es Saa- da 16, P.O. Box 9120, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 6691100	Joint venture of GPC. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012

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3 7.	Dijla Petroleum Company	Building No. 653 – 1st Floor, Daraa Highway, P. O. Box 81, Damascus, Syria	Joint venture of GPC. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
8.	Central Bank of Syria	Sabah Bahrat Square, Damascus, Syria Postal address: Altjreda al Maghrebeh Square, Da- mascus, Syria, P.O. Box: 2254	Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	27.2.2012
39.	Syrian Petroleum Company	Dummar Province, Expansion Square, Island 19- Building 32, Syria P.O. Box: 2849 or 3378; Tel: +963 11 3137935 or 3137913; Fax: +963 11 3137979 or 3137977; Email: spccom2@scs-net.org or spccom1@scs- net.org; Websites: www.spc.com.sy or www.spc-sy.com	State-owned oil company. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.3.2012
0.	Mahrukat Company (The Syrian Company for the Storage and Distribution of Petroleum Products)		State-owned oil company. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.3.2012
1.	General Organisation of Tobacco	Salhieh Street 616, Damascus, Syria	Provides financial support to the Syrian regime. The General Organisation of Tobacco is wholly owned by the Syrian state. The profits that the organisation makes, including through the sale of licences to market foreign brands of tobacco and taxes levied on imports of foreign brands of tobacco, are transferred to the Syrian state.	15.5.2012
2.	Ministry of Defence	Umayyad Square, Damascus, Syria Tel: +963 11 7770700	Syrian government branch directly involved in repression.	26.6.2012
13.	Ministry of Interior	Merjeh Square, Damascus, Syria Tel: +963 11 2219400; +963 11 2219401; +963 11 2220220; +963 11 2210404	Syrian government branch directly involved in repression.	26.6.2012

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44.	Syrian National Security Bureau		Syrian government branch and element of the Syrian Ba'ath Party. Directly involved in repression. It directed Syrian se- curity forces to use extreme force against demonstrators.	26.6.2012
46.	General Organisation of Radio and TV (a.k.a. Syrian Directorate General of Radio & Television Est; General Radio and Television Corporation; Radio and Television Corporation; GORT)	Syria;	State-run agency subordinate to Syria's Ministry of Informa- tion and as such supports and promotes its information pol- icy. It is responsible for operating Syria's state-owned televi- sion channels, two terrestrial and one satellite, as well as government radio stations. The GORT has incited violence against the civilian population in Syria, serving as a propa- ganda instrument for the Syrian regime and spreading disin- formation.	26.6.2012
17.	Syrian Company for Oil Transport (a.k.a. Syrian Crude Oil Transportation Company; SCOT; a.k.a. SCOTRACO)	Banias Industrial Area, Latakia Entrance Way, P. O. Box 13, Banias, Syria; Website: www.scot-syria.com; Email: scot50@scn-net.org	Syrian state-owned oil company. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	26.6.2012
8.	Drex Technologies S.A.	Incorporation date: 4.7.2000; Incorporation number: 394678; Director: Rami Makhlouf; Registered agent: Mossack Fonseca & Co (BVI) Ltd	Drex Technologies is wholly owned by Rami Makhlouf, who is listed under EU sanctions for providing financial support to the Syrian regime. Rami Makhlouf uses Drex Technologies to facilitate and manage his international financial holdings, in- cluding a majority share in SyriaTel, which the EU has pre- viously listed on the grounds that it also provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	24.7.2012
9.	Cotton Marketing Organisation	Bab Al-Faraj, P.O. Box 729, Aleppo, Syria Tel.: +963 21 2239495/6/7/8; Email: Cmo-aleppo@mail.sy; Website: www.cmo.gov.sy	State-owned company. Provides financial support to the Syr- ian regime.	24.7.2012
50.	Syrian Arab Airlines (a.k.a. SAA; Syrian Air)	Al-Mohafazeh Square, P.O. Box 417, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2240774	Public company controlled by the Syrian regime. Provides fi- nancial support for the regime.	24.7.2012

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52.	Megatrade	Aleppo Street, P.O. Box 5966, Damascus, Syria; Fax: +963 11 4471081	Acts as a proxy for the Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), which is listed. Involved in trade in dual use goods prohibited by EU sanctions for the Syrian government.	16.10.2012
53.	Expert Partners	Rukn Addin, Saladin Street, Building 5, P.O. Box 7006, Damascus, Syria	Acts as a proxy for the Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), which is listed. Involved in trade in dual use goods prohibited by EU sanctions for the Syrian government.	16.10.2012
54.	Overseas Petroleum Trading (a.k.a. Overseas Petroleum Trading SAL (Off-Shore); Overseas Petroleum Company)	Dunant Street, Snoubra Sector, Beirut, Lebanon	Providing support to the Syrian regime and benefitting from the regime by organising covert shipments of oil to the Syrian regime. Controlled by Abdelhamid Khamis Abdullah (Chair- man) who has been designated by the Council, and therefore associated with him.	23.7.2014
56.	The Baniyas Refinery Company (a.k.a. Banias; Banyas)	Banias Refinery Building, 26 Latkia Main Road, Tartous, P.O. Box 26, Syria	Subsidiary of the General Corporation for Refining and Dis- tribution of Petroleum Products (GCRDPP), a section of the Ministry of Petroleum and Mineral Resources. As such it pro- vides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.7.2014
57.	The Homs Refinery Company (a.k.a Hims, General Company for Homs Refinery)	General Company for Homs Refinery Building, 352 Tripoli Street, Homs, P.O. Box 352, Syria	Subsidiary of the General Corporation for Refining and Dis- tribution of Petroleum Products (GCRDPP), a section of the Ministry of Petroleum and Mineral Resources. As such it pro- vides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.7.2014
58.	Army Supply Bureau	P.O. Box 3361, Damascus, Syria	Involved in the procurement of military equipment for the Syrian regime, and therefore responsible for the violent re- pression of the civilian population in Syria. Branch of the Syrian Ministry of Defence.	23.7.2014
59.	Industrial Establishment of Defence (a.k.a. Industrial Establishment of Defense (IED); Industrial Establishment for Defence; Defence Factories Establishment; Establissements Industriels de la Defense (EID); Establissement Industrial de la Defence (ETINDE), Coefficient Defense Foundation)	Or Al-Hameh, Damascus Countryside, P.O.	Syrian regime, and therefore responsible for the violent re- pression of the civilian population in Syria. Branch of the	23.7.2014

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60.	Higher Institute for Applied Sciences and Technology (HIAST) (والتكنولوجيا المعدد العالي للعلوم التلبيتية) (a.k.a. Institut Supérieur des Sciences Appliquées et de Technologie (ISSAT))		Affiliated to and a subsidiary of the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC) which is already designated by the Council. It provides training and support to the SSRC and is therefore responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population.	23.7.2014
51.	National Standards & Calibration Laboratory (NSCL)	P.O. Box 4470, Damascus, Syria	Affiliated to and a subsidiary of the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC) which is already designated by the Council. It provides training and support to the SSRC and is therefore responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population.	23.7.2014
2.	El Jazireh (a.k.a. Al Jazerra)	Shaheen Building, 2nd floor, Sami el Solh, Beirut, Lebanon; Sector of hydrocarbons	Owned or controlled by Ayman Jaber, therefore associated with a designated person.	23.7.2014
3.	Pangates International Corp Ltd (a.k.a. Pangates)	P.O. Box 8177, Sharjah Airport International Free Zone, United Arab Emirates	Acts as an intermediary in the supply of oil to the Syrian re- gime. Therefore, it is providing support to and benefiting from the Syrian regime. It is also associated with listed Syrian oil company Sytrol.	21.10.2014
5.	Organisation for Technological Industries (OTI) (a.k.a. Technical Industries Corporation (TIC))	P.O. Box 11037, Damascus, Syria	Subsidiary of the Syrian Ministry of Defence, which has been designated by the Council. OTI is involved in the production of chemical weapons for the Syrian regime. It is therefore responsible for the violent repression of the Syr- ian population. As a subsidiary of the Ministry of Defence, it is also associated with a designated entity.	7.3.2015
6.	Syrian Company for Information Technology (SCIT)	P.O. Box 11037, Damascus, Syria	Subsidiary of the Organisation for Technological Industries (OTI) and therefore the Syrian Ministry of Defence, which have been designated by the Council. It also works with the Central Bank of Syria which has been designated by the Coun- cil. As a subsidiary of OTI and the Ministry of Defence, SCIT is associated with these designated entities.	7.3.2015

	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
67.	Hamsho Trading (a.k.a. Hamsho Group; Hmisho Trading Group; Hmisho Economic Group)		Subsidiary of Hamsho International, which has been desig- nated by the Council. As such, Hamsho Trading is associated with a designated en- tity, Hamsho International. Supports the Syrian regime through its subsidiaries, including Syria Steel. Through its subsidiaries it is associated with groups such as the pro-regime Shabiha militias.	7.3.2015
72.	Rawafed Damascus Private Joint Stock Company (a.k.a. Rawafed/Rawafid/Rawafed (Tributary) الله الله الم Stock Company)	Damascus, Syria	A USD 48,3 million joint venture between Damascus Cham Holding, Ramak Development and Humanitarian Projects, Al- Ammar LLC, Timeet Trading LLC (a.k.a. Ultimate Trading Co. Ltd.) and Wings Private JSC. Rawafed supports and/or benefits from the Syrian regime, including through its participation in the regime-backed luxury development Marota City.	21.1.2019
73.	Aman Damascus Joint Stock Company (a.k.a. Aman Damascus JSC)	Damascus, Syria	A USD 18,9 million joint venture between Damascus Cham Holding and Aman Group. Through its participation in the regime-backed luxury development Marota City, Aman Da- mascus supports and/or benefits from the Syrian regime.	21.1.2019
74.	Bunyan Damascus Private Joint Stock Company (a.k.a. Bunyan Damascus Private JSC)	Damascus, Syria	A USD 34,8 million joint venture between Damascus Cham Holding and Apex Development and Projects LLC and Ta- mayoz LLC. Through its participation in the regime-backed luxury development Marota City, Bunyan Damascus Private Joint Stock Company supports and/or benefits from the Syr- ian regime.	21.1.2019
75.	Mirza	Damascus, Syria	A USD 52,7 million joint venture between Damascus Cham Holding and Talas Group. Through its participation in the re- gime-backed luxury development Marota City, Mirza supports and/or benefits from the Syrian regime.	21.1.2019

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	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
77.	Al Qatarji Company (a.k.a. Qatarji International Group; Al-Sham and Al-Darwish Company; Khatirji/Katarji/Katerji Group; (مجموعة/شركة قاطر خي		trade between the regime and various actors including ISIS	17.2.2020
78.	Damascus Cham Holding Company (a.k.a. Damascus Cham Private Joint Stock Company; (القابضة الشام دمشق)	Business sector: real estate development; Name of Director/Management: Adel Anwar al-	regime as the investment arm of the Governorate of Damascus in order to manage the properties of the Governorate of Da- mascus and implement the Marota City project, a luxurious real estate project based on expropriated land under Decree No. 66 and Law No. 10 in particular. By managing the implementation of Marota City, Damascus Cham Holding (whose Vice-Chair is the Governor of Damas- cus) supports and benefits from the Syrian regime and pro- vides benefits to businesspeople with close ties to the regime who have struck lucrative deals with this entity through pub- lic-private partnerships.	17.2.2020'

COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2020/717

of 28 May 2020

implementing Article 17(3) of Regulation (EU) No 224/2014 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in the Central African Republic

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EU) No 224/2014 of 10 March 2014 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in the Central African Republic (¹), and in particular Article 17(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy,

Whereas:

(1) On 10 March 2014, the Council adopted Regulation (EU) No 224/2014.

- (2) On 5 May 2020, the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) Committee established pursuant to UNSC Resolution 2127 (2013) updated the information relating to one person subject to restrictive measures.
- (3) Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 224/2014 should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 224/2014 is hereby amended as set out in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the date of its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 28 May 2020.

For the Council The President G. GRLIĆ RADMAN

^{(&}lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 70, 11.3.2014, p. 1.

ANNEX

In the list set out in Part A (Persons) of Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 224/2014, the entry for Martin KOUMTAMADJI is replaced by the following:

'13. Martin KOUMTAMADJI (alias: a) Abdoulaye Miskine b) Abdoullaye Miskine c) Martin Nadingar Koumtamadji d) Martin Nkoumtamadji e) Martin Koumta Madji f) Omar Mahamat)

Designation: President and commander-in-chief of the Front Démocratique du Peuple Centrafricain (FDPC)

Date of birth: a) 5 October 1965 b) 3 March 1965

Place of birth: a) Ndïnaba, Chad b) Kobo, Central African Republic (c) Kabo, Central African Republic

Nationality: a) Chad b) Central African Republic c) Congo

Passport no: a) 06FBO2262 (CAR diplomatic passport) issued on 22 February 2007, expired on 21 February 2012 b) Congo service passport number SA0020249, issued on 22 January 2019, expires on 21 January 2022;

Address: Am Dafock, Vakaga prefecture, Central African Republic (last known location)

Date of UN designation: 20 April 2020

Other information: Martin Koumtamadji founded the FDPC in 2005. He joined the Séléka coalition in December 2012 before leaving it in April 2013 after the rebels took power in Bangui. After being arrested in Cameroon, he was then transferred to Brazzaville in the Republic of Congo. He always remained in command of his troops on the ground in the CAR even when he was in Brazzaville before returning to the CAR (between November 2014 and 2019). The FDPC signed the Political Agreement for Peace and Reconciliation in the CAR on 6 February 2019 but Martin Koumtamadji remains a threat to the peace, stability and security of the CAR. 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.

Information from the narrative summary of reasons for listing provided by the Sanctions Committee:

President and commander-in-chief of the Front Démocratique du Peuple Centrafricain (FDPC, an armed group engaged in violent activities), Martin Koumatamadji has engaged in acts threatening the peace, stability and security of the CAR and, in particular, the implementation of the Political Agreement for Peace and Reconciliation in CAR signed on 6 February 2019 in Bangui.

He refused the disarmament of FDPC combatants, as per his commitments as a signatory of the Political Agreement for Peace and Reconciliation in the CAR, and threatened to overthrow President Touadéra in July 2019.

He began cooperating with sanctioned individual Nourredine Adam (CFi.002) in June 2019 and engaged in arms trafficking with a close associate of Nourredine Adam, in order to build up the military capabilities of the FDPC.

He also made an offer to the Front Populaire pour la Renaissance de la Centrafrique (FPRC) to carry out a military operation with his armed group during the fighting in Vakaga prefecture in 2019.

He continued to impede the restoration of state authority in the areas of operation of the FPDC by maintaining illegal roadblocks to extort cattle herders, economic actors (including gold mining companies operating in the Nana-Mambéré prefecture), and travellers.

Under his leadership, the FDPC committed acts that constituted human rights abuses or violations in the Nana-Mambéré prefecture, including attacks directed against civilians in April 2019, abductions of civilians in March 2019 (near Zoukombo) and acts of sexual and gender-based violence in May 2019 (in Bagary). In 2017, the FDPC also committed 14 acts of sexual violence in conflict.

Between 2016 and 2019, the FDPC recruited children to serve as soldiers in armed conflict and forced eleven girls into marriage with FDPC members.

In March 2019, he was involved in obstructing the delivery of humanitarian assistance when the FDPC, under Miskine's leadership, conducted a series of attacks on the main road into Bangui from Cameroon.

Finally, FDPC elements skirmished with MINUSCA in April 2019 near Zoukombo (Nana-Mambéré prefecture) and on the Bouar-Beleko axis.'

DECISIONS

COUNCIL DECISION (CFSP) 2020/718

of 28 May 2020

appointing the EU Force Commander of the European Union military operation in the Mediterranean (EUNAVFOR MED IRINI)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on European Union and in particular Articles 42(4) and 43(2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy,

Whereas:

- (1) On 31 March 2020, the Council adopted Decision (CFSP) 2020/472 (¹) establishing and launching a European Union military operation in the Mediterranean (EUNAVFOR MED IRINI), under the command of Rear Admiral Fabio AGOSTINI as EU Operation Commander.
- (2) On 30 April 2020, the EU Operation Commander recommended that Rear Admiral Ettore SOCCI be appointed EU Force Commander of EUNAVFOR MED IRINI for the first half of the remaining term of EUNAVFOR MED IRINI's mandate, and that Commodore Theodoros MIKROPOULOS be appointed EU Force Commander of EUNAVFOR MED IRINI for the second half of the remaining term.
- (3) On 4 May 2020, the EU Military Committee supported that recommendation.
- (4) On 6 May 2020, the Political and Security Committee agreed to that recommendation.
- (5) For operational reasons, it is necessary for the appointment of the EU Force Commander of EUNAVFOR MED IRINI to apply from 6 May 2020.
- (6) Rear Admiral Ettore SOCCI should therefore be appointed EU Force Commander of EUNAVFOR MED IRINI from 6 May 2020 until 18 October 2020, and Commodore Theodoros MIKROPOULOS from 19 October 2020 until 31 March 2021.
- (7) In accordance with Article 5 of Protocol No 22 on the position of Denmark, annexed to the Treaty on European Union and to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, Denmark does not participate in the elaboration and implementation of decisions and actions of the Union which have defence implications. Consequently, Denmark is not participating in the adoption of this Decision,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Rear Admiral Ettore SOCCI is hereby appointed EU Force Commander of the European Union military operation in the Mediterranean (EUNAVFOR MED IRINI) from 6 May 2020 until 18 October 2020. Commodore Theodoros MIKROPOULOS is hereby appointed EU Force Commander of EUNAVFOR MED IRINI from 19 October 2020 until 31 March 2021.

^{(&}lt;sup>1</sup>) Council Decision (CFSP) 2020/472 of 31 March 2020 on a European Union military operation in the Mediterranean (EUNAVFOR MED IRINI) (OJ L 101, 1.4.2020, p. 4).

Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its adoption.

It shall apply from 6 May 2020.

Done at Brussels, 28 May 2020.

For the Council The President G. GRLIĆ RADMAN

COUNCIL DECISION (CFSP) 2020/719

of 28 May 2020

amending Decision 2013/255/CFSP concerning restrictive measures against Syria

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on European Union, and in particular Article 29 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy,

Whereas:

- (1) On 31 May 2013 the Council adopted Decision 2013/255/CFSP (1).
- (2) On 17 May 2019 the Council adopted Decision (CFSP) 2019/806 (²), extending the restrictive measures set out in Decision 2013/255/CFSP until 1 June 2020.
- (3) On the basis of a review of the restrictive measures set out in Decision 2013/255/CFSP, the Council has decided that those measures should be extended until 1 June 2021.
- (4) The entries in the list of natural and legal persons, entities or bodies set out in Annex I to Decision 2013/255/CFSP should be updated and amended.
- (5) Five entries should be deleted from the list of natural and legal persons, entities or bodies set out in Annex I to Decision 2013/255/CFSP.
- (6) Decision 2013/255/CFSP should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Decision 2013/255/CFSP is amended as follows:

(1) Article 34 is replaced by the following:

'Article 34

This Decision shall apply until 1 June 2021. It shall be kept under constant review. It may be renewed, or amended as appropriate, if the Council deems that its objectives have not been met.';

(2) Annex I is amended as set out in the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.

Done at Brussels, 28 May 2020.

For the Council The President G. GRLIĆ RADMAN

⁽¹⁾ Council Decision 2013/255/CFSP of 31 May 2013 concerning restrictive measures against Syria (OJ L 147, 1.6.2013, p. 14).

⁽²⁾ Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/806 of 17 May 2019 amending Decision 2013/255/CFSP concerning restrictive measures against Syria (OJ L 132, 20.5.2019, p. 36).

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ANNEX

Annex I to Decision 2013/255/CFSP is amended as follows:

(1) in Section A (Persons), the following entries are deleted:

- 26. Major General Qasem Soleimani;
- 38. Brigadier-General Jamea Jamea;
- 272. Hayan Kaddour;
- 273. Maen Rizk Allah Haykal;
- (2) in Section B (Entities), the following entry is deleted:
 - 76. Developers Private Joint Stock Company;
- (3) Annex I to Decision 2013/255/CFSP is replaced by the following:

'ANNEX I

List of natural and legal persons, entities or bodies referred to in Articles 27 and 28

A.	Persons	ons		
		Name		

	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
1.	Bashar (الأسد) AL-ASSAD (الأسدار)	Date of birth: 11.9.1965; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Diplomatic passport No D1903; Gender: male	President of the Republic; person authorising and supervising the crackdown on demonstrators.	23.5.2011
2.	Maher (ماهر) (a.k.a. Mahir) AL-ASSAD (الأسا)	Date of birth: 8.12.1967; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Diplomatic passport No 4138; Position: Major General of the 42nd Brigade and former Brigadier Commander of the Army's 4th Armoured Division Gender: male	Member of the Syria Armed Forces of the rank of Colonel and the equivalent or higher in post after May 2011; Major General of the 42nd Brigade and former Brigadier Commander of the Army's 4th Armoured Division. Member of the Assad family; brother of President Bashar al-Assad.	9.5.2011
3.	Ali (علي) MAMLUK (معلوك) (a.k.a. Mamlouk)	Date of birth: 19.2.1946; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Diplomatic passport No 983; Gender: male	Director of the National Security Bureau. Former Head of Syrian Intelligence Directorate involved in violence against demonstrators.	9.5.2011
ŀ.	Atej (مالكن) (a.k.a. Atef, Atif) NAJIB (نجيب) (a.k.a. Najeeb)	Place of birth: Jablah, Syria; Gender: male	Former Head of the Political Security Directorate in Dara'a. Involved in violence against demonstrators. Member of the Assad family; cousin of President Bashar al-Assad.	9.5.2011
	Hafiz (حلظ MAKHLOUF (منظوف) (a.k.a. Hafez Makhlouf)	Date of birth: 2.4.1971; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Diplomatic passport No 2246; Gender: male	Former Colonel and Head of Unit in General Intelligence Di- rectorate, Damascus Branch in post after May 2011. Member of the Makhlouf family; cousin of President Bashar al-Assad.	9.5.2011
•	Muhammad (هحمد) Dib (ليب) ZAYTUN (زيتون) (a.k.a. Mohammed Dib Zeitoun; a.k.a. Mohamed Dib Zeitun)	Date of birth: 20.5.1951; Place of birth: Jubba, Damascus province, Syria; Diplomatic passport No D000001300; Gender: male	Director of the National Security Bureau since July 2019. Former Head of the General Security Directorate; involved in violence against demonstrators.	9.5.2011
	Amjad (أمجد) (a.k.a. al-Abbas)	Gender: male	Former head of Political Security in Banyas, involved in vio- lence against demonstrators in Baida. Promoted to the rank of Colonel in 2018.	9.5.2011

	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
	Rami (لراهي) MAKHLOUF (لراهي)	Date of birth: 10.7.1969; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Passport No 000098044; Issue No 002-03-0015187; Gender: male	Leading businessman operating in Syria with interests in the telecommunications, financial services, transport and prop- erty sectors. He has financial interests in and/or holds senior and executive positions in Syriatel (the leading mobile tele- phone operator in Syria) and in the investment funds Al Mash- req, Bena Properties and Cham Holding. He furnishes financing and support to the Syrian regime, through his business interests. He is an influential member of the Makhlouf family and clo- sely connected to the Assad family; cousin of President Bashar Al-Assad.	9.5.2011
	Abd al-Fatah (ل ^{التقاريب}) QUDSIYAH (للمعاد)	Date of birth: 1953; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Diplomatic passport No D0005788; Gender: male	Officer of the rank of Major General in the Syrian Armed Forces in post after May 2011. Deputy Director of the National Security Bureau of the Ba'ath Party. Former Head of the Syrian Military Intelligence Direc- torate. Involved in violent repression of the civilian population in Syria.	9.5.2011
0.	Jamil (جميل) (a.k.a. Jameel) HASSAN (حسن) (a.k.a. al-Hassan)	Date of birth: 7.7.1953; Place of birth: Qusayr, Homs province, Syria; Former Head of Syrian Air Force Intelligence; Gender: male	Officer of the rank of Major-General in the Syrian Air Force in post after May 2011. Former head of the Syrian Air Force In- telligence in post after May 2011 and until July 2019. Re- sponsible for violent repression of the civilian population in Syria.	9.5.2011
1.	Mohammad Mouti' MOUAYYAD (a.k.a. Mohammad Muti'a Moayyad)	Date of birth: 1968; Place of birth: Ariha (Idlib), Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
2.	Ghazwan Kheir BEK (a.k.a. Ghazqan Kheir Bek)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Transport in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). He was previously General Director of the Port of Tartous. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
3.	Munzir (منذر) (a.k.a. Mundhir, Monzer) Jamil (الأسدر) AL-ASSAD (الأسدر)	Date of birth: 1.3.1961; Place of birth: Kerdaha, Latakia Province, Syria; Passports No 86449 and No 842781; Gender: male	Involved in violence against the civilian population as part of the Shabiha militia.	9.5.2011

	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
14.	Brigadier General Mohammed BILAL (a.k.a. Lieutenant Colonel Muhammad Bilal)	Gender: male	As a senior officer in the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service, he supports the Syrian regime and is responsible for the vio- lent repression of the civilian population. He is also associated with the listed Scientific Studies Research Centre (SSRC). Head of the Tartus police since December 2018.	21.10.2014
15.	Kamal CHEIKHA (a.k.a. Kamal al-Sheikha)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Water Resources in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
16.	Faruq (فسطروف) (a.k.a. Farouq, Farouk) AL SHAR' (التسوح) (a.k.a. Al Char', Al Shara', Al Shara)	Date of birth: 10.12.1938; Gender: male	Former Vice-President of Syria; involved in violence against the civilian population.	23.5.2011
17.	Hassan NOURI (a.k.a. Hassan al-Nouri)	Date of birth: 9.2.1960; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Administrative Development in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Govern- ment Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
18.	Mohammed (محلا) HAMCHO (معلا)	Date of birth: 20.5.1966; Passport No 002954347; Gender: male	Leading businessman operating in Syria, with interests in the engineering and construction, media, hospitality and health sector. He has financial interests in and/or holds senior and executive positions within a number of companies in Syria, in particular Hamsho International, Hamsho Communica- tion, Mhg International, Jupiter for Investment and Tourism project and Syria Metal Industries. He plays an important role in the business community in Syria as general secretary of the Damascus Chamber of Commerce (appointed by the then Minister for economy Khodr Orfali in December 2014), chairman of the China-Syria Bilateral Business Councils (since March 2014) and chairman of the Syrian Metal and Steel Council (since December 2015). He has close business relationships with key figures of the Syrian regime, including Maher al-Assad. He benefits from and provides support to the Syrian regime through his business interests, and is associated with persons benefiting from and providing support to that regime.	27.1.2015

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	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
19.	Iyad (إيساد) (a.k.a. Eyad) MAKHLOUF (مغلوف)	Date of birth: 21.1.1973; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Passport No N001820740; Gender: male	Member of the Makhlouf family; son of Mohammed Makh- louf, brother of Hafez Makhlouf and Rami Makhlouf and brother of Ihab Makhlouf; cousin of President Bashar al-Assad. Member of the Syrian security and intelligence services in post after May 2011. As an officer in the General Intelligence Directorate, involved in violence against the civilian population in Syria.	23.5.2011
20.	Bassam (الحسن) AL HASSAN (الحسن) (a.k.a. Al Hasan)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Sheen, Homs, Syria; Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Presidential Advisor for Strategic Affairs; head of the General Secretariat of the National Defence. Involved in violence against the civilian population.	23.5.2011
22.	Ihab (بلول) (a.k.a. Ehab, Iehab) MAKHLOUF (مظرف)	Date of birth: 21.1.1973; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Passport No N002848852; Gender: male	Leading businessman operating in Syria. Vice President of, and shareholder in, Syriatel, the leading mobile telephone opera- tor in Syria. He also has business interests in several other Syrian companies and entities, including Ramak Construction Co and Syrian International Private University for Science and Technology (SIUST). As Vice President of Syriatel, which transfers a significant part of its profits to the Syrian government by way of its licensing contract, Ihab Makhlouf is also directly supporting the Syrian regime. He is an influential member of the Makhlouf family and clo- sely connected to the Assad family; cousin of President Bashar al-Assad.	23.5.2011
23.	Zoulhima (نوالیمة) (a.k.a. Zu al-Himma) CHALICHE (شكرانش) (a.k.a. Shalish, Shaleesh) (a.k.a. Dhu al-Himma Shalish)	Date of birth: 1946 or 1951 or 1956; Place of birth: Kerdaha, Syria; Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Officer of the Syrian security and intelligence services in post after May 2011; former Head of Presidential Security. Member of the Syrian Armed Forces of the rank of Major Gen- eral in post after May 2011. Involved in violence against demonstrators. Member of the Assad family; cousin of President Bashar al- Assad.	23.6.2011
24.	Riyad (ليـاض) CHALICHE (شـــاليش) (a.k.a. Shalish, Shaleesh) (a.k.a. Riyad Shalish)	Function: chairman of Riyad Isa Development Corporation; Gender: male	Former Director of Military Housing Establishment; provides funding to the Syrian regime; first cousin of President Bashar al-Assad.	23.6.2011

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	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
25.	Brigadier Commander Mohammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mo- hammed) Ali (عنع) JAFARI (جنع (عنع)) (a.k.a. Jaafari, Ja'fari, Aziz; a.k.a. Jafari, Ali; a.k.a. Jafari, Mohammad Ali; a.k.a. Ja'fari, Mohammad Ali; a.k.a. Jafari-Naja-fabadi, Mohammad Ali)	Date of birth: 1.9.1957; Place of birth: Yazd, Iran; Gender: male	Head of 'Baqiayt Allah', cultural organisation of the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps. General Commander of the Isla- mic Revolutionary Guard Corps until 21.4.2019, involved in providing equipment and support to help the Syrian regime suppress protests in Syria.	23.6.2011
27.	Hossein (حطائب) TAEB (طائب) (a.k.a. Taeb, Hassan; a.k.a. Taeb, Hosein; a. k.a. Taeb, Hossein; a.k.a. Taeb, Hussayn; a. k.a. Hojjatoleslam Hossein Ta'eb)	Date of birth: 1963; Place of birth: Tehran, Iran; Gender: male	Director of the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps Intelli- gence Service. Former Deputy Commander for Intelligence of the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps, involved in providing equipment and support to help the Syrian regime suppress protests in Syria.	23.6.2011
28.	Khalid (الحالة) (a.k.a. Khaled) QADDUR (الملوز) (a.k.a. Qadour, Qaddour, Kaddour)	Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and/ or activities in the telecommunications, oil and plastic indus- try sectors and close business relations with Maher al-Assad. He benefits from and provides support to the Syrian regime, through his business activities. Associate of Maher al-Assad, including through his business activities.	27.1.2015
9.	Ra'if (山) AL-QUWATLY (교회) (a.k.a. Ri'af al-Quwatli a.k.a. Raeef al-Kouatly)	Date of birth: 3.2.1967; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Business associate of Maher al-Assad and responsible for managing some of his business interests; provides funding to the Syrian regime.	23.6.2011
0.	Mohammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Muhammad Mohamed, Mohammed) MUFLEH (منارعة) (a.k.a. Muflih)	Gender: male	Head of Syrian Military Intelligence in the town of Hama; in- volved in the crackdown on demonstrators.	1.8.2011
51.	Major General Tawfiq (ثُو ^{فِيْ} فَلَ) (a.k.a. Tawfik) YOUNES (جونس) (a.k.a. Yunes)	Gender: male	Former head of the Department for Internal Security of the General Intelligence Directorate; involved in violence against the civilian population.	1.8.2011

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	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
32.	Mohammed (مخلوف) MAKHLOUF (مخلوف) (a.k.a. Abu Rami)	Date of birth: 19.10.1932; Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Gender: male	Influential member of the Makhlouf family; business associate and father of Rami, Ihab and Iyad Makhlouf. Closely asso- ciated with the Assad family and maternal uncle of Bashar and Maher al-Assad. Also referred to as Abu Rami. Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and/ or activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy, including interests in and/or significant influence in the General Orga- nisation of Tobacco and the oil and gas, arms and banking sectors. Involved in business dealings for the Syrian regime in arms procurement and banking. Given the extent of his business and political ties to the Syrian regime, he provides support to and benefits from the regime.	1.8.2011
33.	Ayman (لمبن) JABIR (بلبن) (a.k.a. Aiman Jaber)	Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Gender: male	Leading businessman operating in Syria, involved in the steel, media, consumable goods and oil sectors, including in trading these goods. He has financial interests and/or holds senior ex- ecutive positions in a number of companies and entities in Syria, in particular Al Jazira (a.k.a. Al Jazerra, El Jazireh), Dunia TV and Sama Satellite Channel. Through his company Al Jazira, Ayman Jaber has facilitated the importation of oil from Overseas Petroleum Trading to Syria. Ayman Jaber benefits from and provides support to the Syrian regime, through his business interests. Provides direct support for and plays a leading role in activities of regime-affiliated militias known as Shabiha and/or Suqur as-Sahraa. Associate of Rami Makhlouf through his business activities, and an associate of Maher al-Assad through his role in re- gime-affiliated militias.	27.1.2015
34.	Hayel (الأسد) AL-ASSAD (الأسد) (a.k.a. Hael al-Asad (داىل ال أس))	Gender: male	Assistant to Maher al-Assad; Head of the military police unit of the army's 4th Division, involved in repression.	23.8.2011
5.	Ali (^{علو}) AL-SALIM (^{السيسليم}) (a.k.a. al-Saleem)	Gender: male	Director of the supplies office of the Syrian Ministry of De- fence, entry point for all arms acquisitions by the Syrian army.	23.8.2011

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36.	Nizar (الأسد) AL-ASSAD (الأليد) (a.k.a. al-Asad; Assad; Asad)	Gender: male	Leading Syrian businessperson with close ties to the regime. Cousin of Bashar al-Assad, and associated with the Assad and Makhlouf families. As such, has been participating in, benefitting from or other- wise supporting the Syrian regime. Leading oil investor and previously head of the 'Nizar Oilfield Supplies' company.	23.8.2011
37.	Major General Rafiq (للعنون) (a.k.a. Rafeeq) SHAHADAH (إليكون) (a.k.a. Shahada, Shahade, Shahadeh, Chahada, Chahade, Chahadeh, Chahada)	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Jablah, Latakia Province, Syria; Gender: male	Member of the Syrian Armed Forces of the rank of Major General in post after May 2011. Former Head of Syrian Mili- tary Intelligence (SMI) Branch 293 (Internal Affairs) in Da- mascus. Directly involved in repression and violence against the civilian population in Damascus. Advisor to President Bashar al-Assad for strategic questions and military intelli- gence.	23.8.2011
10.	Muhammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) Said (<u>سمر)</u> (a.k. a. Sa'id, Sa'eed, Saeed) BUKHAYTAN (بخبّ ان	Gender: male	Assistant Regional Secretary of the Ba'ath Arab Socialist Party since 2005; from 2000 to 2005 Director for the national se- curity of the regional Ba'ath party. Former Governor of Hama (1998-2000). Close associate of President Bashar al-Assad and Maher al-Assad. Senior decision-maker in the regime on re- pression of civilian population.	23.8.2011
1.	Ali (على DOUBA (على)	Date of birth: 1933; Place of birth: Karfis, Syria; Gender: male	Special Advisor to President Bashar al-Assad. As Special Advisor, participates in, benefits from and supports the Syrian regime. Has been involved in violently repressing the civilian population in Syria.	23.8.2011
-2.	Brigadier-General Nawful (نوفسل) (a.k.a. Nawfal, Nofal, Nawfel) AL-HUSAYN (المسسين) (a.k.a. al-Hussain, al-Hussein)	Gender: male	Idlib Syrian Military Intelligence (SMI) Branch Chief. Directly involved in repression of and violence against the civilian po- pulation in Idlib province.	23.8.2011
13.	Brigadier Husam (حسام) SUKKAR (سیکر)	Gender: male	Presidential Adviser on Security Affairs. Presidential Adviser for security agencies' repression of and violence against the civilian population in Syria.	23.8.2011

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44.	Brigadier-General Muhammed (محد) (a.k. a. Muhamad) ZAMRINI (ر الريسيي) (a.k.a. Zamreni)	Gender: male	Branch Chief for Syrian Military Intelligence (SMI) in Homs. Directly involved in repression of and violence against the ci- vilian population in Homs.	23.8.2011
45.	Munir (هنو) (a.k.a. Mounir, Mouneer, Monir, Moneer, Muneer) ADANOV (لنوف) (a.k.a. Adnuf, Adanof)	Date of birth: 1951; Place of birth: Homs, Syria; Passport No 0000092405; Position: Deputy Chief of General Staff, Opera- tions and Training, Syrian Army; Rank: Lieutenant-General, Syrian Arab Army; Gender: male	Officer of the rank of Lieutenant General and Deputy Chief of General Staff, Operations and Training for the Syrian Army in post after May 2011. In his position as Deputy Chief of Gen- eral Staff he was directly involved in repression of and violence against the civilian population in Syria.	23.8.2011
46.	Brigadier-General Ghassan (غسان) KHALIL (خليسان) (a.k.a. Khaleel)	Gender: male	Head of General Intelligence Directorate's Information Branch. Directly involved in repression of and violence against the civilian population in Syria.	23.8.2011
47.	Mohammed (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohamed) JABIR (الحطر) (a.k. a. Jaber)	Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Gender: male	Shabiha militia. Associate of Maher al-Assad for the Shabiha militia. Directly involved in repression of and violence against the civilian population, and in coordination of Shabiha militia groups.	23.8.2011
48.	Samir (تسمير) HASSAN (تسمير)	Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and/ or activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy. He holds interests in and/or has significant influence in the Amir Group and Cham Holding, two conglomerates with interests in the real estate, tourism, transport and finance sectors. From March 2014 until September 2018, he held the position of Chairman for Russia of the Bilateral Business Councils fol- lowing his appointment by Minister of Economy, Khodr Orfa- li. Samir Hassan supports the Syrian regime's war effort with cash donations. Samir Hassan is associated with persons benefitting from or supporting the regime. In particular, he is associated with Rami Makhlouf and Issam Anbouba, who have been desig- nated by the Council and benefit from the Syrian regime.	27.9.2014

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49.	Fares (الحرس) CHEHABI (الحرس) (a.k.a. Fares Shihabi; Fares Chihabi)	Son of Ahmad Chehabi; Date of birth: 7.5.1972; Gender: male	President of Aleppo Chamber of Industry; Chairman of the Federation of Chambers of Industry since 16.12.2018. Vice- Chairman of Cham Holding. Provides economic support to the Syrian regime. Member of Syrian Parliament since 2016.	2.9.2011
50.	Tarif (المرابل) AKHRAS (مطربل) (a.k.a. Al Akhras (الأخرس))	Date of birth: 2.6.1951; Place of birth: Homs, Syria; Syrian passport No 0000092405; Gender: male	Prominent businessman benefiting from and supporting the Syrian regime. Founder of the Akhras Group (commodities, trading, processing and logistics) and former Chairman of the Homs Chamber of Commerce. Close business relations with President Bashar al-Assad's family. Member of the Board of the Federation of Syrian Chambers of Commerce. Provided lo- gistical support for the regime (buses and tank loaders).	2.9.2011
51.	Issam (عسام) ANBOUBA (عسام)	President of Anbouba for Agricultural Industries Co.; Date of birth: 1952; Place of birth: Homs, Syria; Gender: male	Providing financial support for the repressive apparatus and the paramilitary groups exerting violence against the civil population in Syria. Providing property (premises, ware- houses) for improvised detention centres. Financial relations with high-ranking Syrian officials. Co-founder and member of the board of Cham Holding.	2.9.2011
53.	Adib (أللك) MAYALEH ((a.k.a. André Mayard)	Date of birth: 15.5.1955; Place of birth: Bassir, Syria; Gender: male	Former Governor and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Central Bank of Syria. Adib Mayaleh controlled the Syrian banking sector and man- aged the Syrian money supply through the issue and withdra- wal of bank notes and control of the foreign exchange rate value of the Syrian Pound. Through his role at the Central Bank of Syria, Adib Mayaleh provided economic and financial support to the Syrian regime. Former Minister of Economy and Foreign Trade in power after May 2011.	15.5.2012
54.	Major General Jumah (جمعةُ) AL-AHMAD (الأحد) (a.k.a. al-Ahmed)	Gender: male	Commander Special Forces. Responsible for the use of vio- lence against protestors across Syria.	14.11.2011
55.	Colonel Lu'ai (^{لطوي}) (a.k.a. Louay, Loai) AL-ALI (العلسي)	Place of birth: Jablah, Latakia Province, Syria; Gender: male	Head of Syrian Military Intelligence, Dara'a Branch. Respon- sible for violence against protesters in Dara'a.	14.11.2011

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56.	Ali (علي) Abdullah (علي) (a.k.a. Abdallah) AYYUB (ليو) (a.k.a. Ayyoub, Ayub, Ayoub, Ayob)	Date of birth: 1952 Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Defence. Appointed in January 2018. Officer of the rank of General in the Syrian Army, in post after May 2011. Former Chief of General Staff of the Syrian Armed Forces. Person supporting the Syrian regime and re- sponsible for repression of and violence against the civilian population in Syria.	14.11.2011	
57.	Fahd (بطلع) (a.k.a. Fahid, Fahed) Jasim (بالملع) (a.k.a. Jasem, Jassim, Jassem) AL-FURAYJ (اللوج) (a.k.a. al-Freij)	Date of birth: 1.1.1950; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Defence. As a former Government Minis- ter, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population in Syria.	14.11.2011	
58.	Major General Aous (أوسل (a.k.a. Aws, Aus) 'Ali' ASLAN (أصلان)	Date of birth: 1958; Gender: male	High-ranking officer. Close to Maher al-Assad and President Bashar al-Assad. Former positions: Commander of the 40th Brigade (4th Division) between 2011 and 2014; deputy Commander of the 4th Division in 2015; Commander of the 2nd Corps in 2016. Involved in the crackdown on the civilian population across Syria, including arbitrary arrests, mass killings and forced displacements of civilian population.	14.11.2011	-
59.	General Ghassan (غسان) BELAL (بـــلال) (a.k.a. Bilal)	Gender: male	Head of the 4th Division security bureau, head of the 555th paratrooper regiment. Adviser to Maher al-Assad and coor- dinator of security operations. Responsible for the crackdown on the civilian population across Syria and involved in several breaches of cessation of hostilities in the Ghouta.	14.11.2011	
60.	Abdullah (عبيدالله) (a.k.a. Abdallah) BERRI (جري)	Gender: male	Head of the Berri family militia. In charge of pro-government militia involved in the crackdown on the civilian population in Aleppo.	14.11.2011	
61.	George (بحوری) CHAOUI (شساوي)	Gender: male	Member of the Syrian electronic army (territorial army intel- ligence service) Involved in the violent crackdown and call for violence against the civilian population across Syria.	14.11.2011	

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62.	Zuhair (هر) (a.k.a. Zouheir, Zuheir, Zouhair) HAMAD (هر)	Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Rank: Major General; Position: Deputy Head of General Intelligence Di- rectorate (a.k.a. General Security Directorate) since July 2012; Gender: male	Officer of the rank of Major General in the Syrian Armed Forces in post after May 2011. Deputy Head of General Intel- ligence Directorate. Responsible for repression, human rights abuses and violence against the civilian population in Syria.	14.11.2011
63.	Amar (عمار) (a.k.a. Ammar) ISMAEL (اسساعیل) (a.k.a. Ismail)	Date of birth on or around 3.4.1973; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Civilian - Head of Syrian electronic army (territorial army in- telligence service). Involved in the violent crackdown and call for violence against the civilian population across Syria.	14.11.2011
54.	Mujahed (مجاهد) ISMAIL (استماعيل) (a.k.a. Ismael)	Gender: male	Member of Syrian electronic army (territorial army intelli- gence service). Involved in the violent crackdown and call for violence against the civilian population across Syria.	14.11.2011
5.	Major General Nazih (نزب)	Gender: male	Deputy Director of General Intelligence Directorate. Respon- sible for the use of violence across Syria and intimidation and torture of protestors.	14.11.2011
56.	Major General Kifah (^{کفا}) MOULHEM (ملحم) (a.k.a. Moulhim, Mulhem, Mulhim, Milhem)	Place of birth: Junaynat Ruslan, Tartous province, Syria; Gender: male	Head of the Military Intelligence Directorate since March 2019. Former Head of the Security Committee in the Southern region and former deputy head of the Military Intelligence directorate, leading the regime's operation in Homs and Aleppo regions. Responsible for the crackdown on the civilian population in Deir ez-Zor and the main individual responsible for the violent repression committed by the Mili- tary Intelligence Directorate (Branch 248) throughout 2011 and 2012 as well as torture and severe violations on detainees.	14.11.2011
67.	Major General Wajih (وبيب) (a.k.a. Wajeeh) MAHMUD (محتود)	Gender: male	Commander 18th Armoured Division. Responsible for the violence against protestors in Homs.	14.11.2011

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69.	Lt. General Talal (طلال) Mustafa (مصطفى) TLASS (طلامن)	Gender: male	Deputy Chief of General Staff (Logistics and supplies). Re- sponsible for the use of violence against protestors across Syria.	14.11.2011
70.	Major General Fu'ad (فسؤاك) TAWIL (طويسل)	Gender: male	Deputy head of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence. Responsible for the use of violence across Syria and intimidation and tor- ture of protestors.	14.11.2011
71.	Bushra (شرى) AL-ASSAD (الأسرى) (a.k.a. Bushra Shawkat, Bouchra Al Assad)	Date of birth: 24.10.1960; Gender: female	Member of the Assad family; sister of President Bashar al-As- sad. Given the close personal relationship and intrinsic finan- cial relationship to President Bashar al-Assad, she benefits from and is associated with the Syrian regime.	23.3.2012
72.	Asma (الأسد) AL-ASSAD (الساء) (a.k.a. Asma Fawaz Al Akhras)	Date of birth: 11.8.1975; Place of birth: London, UK; Passport No 707512830, expires 22.9.2020; Maiden name: Al Akhras; Gender: female	Member of the Assad family and closely connected to key re- gime figures; wife of President Bashar al-Assad. Given the close personal relationship and intrinsic financial relationship to President Bashar al-Assad, she benefits from and is asso- ciated with the Syrian regime.	23.3.2012
73.	Manal (مندل) AL-ASSAD (الأسد) (a.k.a. Manal Al Ahmad)	Date of birth: 2.2.1970; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Passport No (Syrian) 0000000914; Maiden name: Al Jadaan; Gender: female	Wife of Maher al-Assad, and as such benefits from and is clo- sely associated with the Syrian regime.	23.3.2012
74.	Mohammad Walid GHAZAL	Date of birth: 1951; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Housing and Urban Development (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
76.	Major General Ibrahim (ببراهیم) AL-HASSAN (الاسسن) (a.k.a. al-Hasan)	Gender: male	Deputy Chief of Staff. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011

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77.	Brigadier Khalil ((غلب ل) (a.k.a. Khaleel) ZGHRAYBIH ((غریب بر غریب) (a.k.a. Zghraybeh, Zghraybe, Zghrayba, Zghraybah, Zaghraybeh, Zaghraybah, Zaghraybah, Zaghraybah, Zeghraybeh, Zeghrayba, Zeghraybah, Zeghraybeh, Zeghraybe, Zeghrayba, Zeghraybah, Zughraybeh, Zughraybe, Zughrayba, Zughraybah, Zighraybeh, Zighraybe, Zighrayba, Zighraybah)	Gender: male	14th Division. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011
78.	Major General Ali (على) BARAKAT (بركسات)	Gender: male	103rd Brigade of the Republican Guard Division. Military of- ficial involved in the violence in Homs. Promoted to Major General in 2017.	1.12.2011
79.	Major General Talal (طلال) MAKHLUF (نظون) (a.k.a. Makhlouf)	Gender: male	Former commander of the 105th Brigade of the Republican Guards. Former Commander General of the Republican Guards. Current Commander of the 2nd Corps. Member of the Syrian Armed Forces of the rank of Major General in post after May 2011. Military official involved in the violence in Damascus.	1.12.2011
80.	Major General Nazih (山) (a.k.a. Nazeeh) HASSUN (小) (a.k.a. Hassoun)	Gender: male	Officer of the rank of Major General in the Syrian Armed Forces in post after May 2011. Head of the Political Security Directorate of the Syrian security services in post after May 2011. Responsible for violent repression of the ci- vilian population in Syria.	1.12.2011
81.	Captain Maan (معنّ) (a.k.a. Ma'an) JDIID (جنب) (a.k.a. Jdid, Jedid, Jedeed, Jadeed, Jdeed)	Gender: male	Presidential Guard. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011
82.	Mohammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Mu- hammad, Mohammed) AL-SHAAR (الشـــار) (a.k.a. al-Chaar, al-Sha'ar, al-Cha'ar)	Gender: male	Political Security Division. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011
83.	Khald (خالد) (a.k.a. Khaled) AL-TAWEEL (الطويــل) (a.k.a. al-Tawil)	Gender: male	Political Security Division. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011

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34.	Ghiath (نبسطن) FAYAD (نبسطن) (a.k.a. Fayyad)	Gender: male	Political Security Division. Military official involved in the violence in Homs.	1.12.2011
5.	Brigadier General Jawdat (بونٽ) Ibrahim (مــــــةي) SAFI	Position: Commander of the 154th Regiment; Gender: male	Ordered troops to shoot at protestors in and around Damas- cus, including Mo'adamiyeh, Douma, Abasiyeh, Duma.	23.1.2012
6.	Major General Muhammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) Ali (علي) DURGHAM	Position: Commander of the 4th Division; Gender: male	Ordered troops to shoot at protestors in and around Damas- cus, including Mo'adamiyeh, Douma, Abasiyeh, Duma.	23.1.2012
7.	Major General Ramadan (رمضان) Mahmoud (محمو ^د) RAMADAN (محمو ^د)	Position: Commander of the 35th Special Forces Regiment; Gender: male	Ordered troops to shoot protestors in Baniyas and Deraa.	23.1.2012
9.	Major General Naim (^{غیر}) (a.k.a. Naaeem, Naeem, Na'eem, Naaim, Na'im) Jasem (^{سليمان}) SULEIMAN (^{جاسم})	Position: Commander of the 3rd Division; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot protestors in Douma.	23.1.2012
0.	Brigadier General Jihad (جهلا) Mohamed (محد) (a.k.a Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) SULTAN (سلطان)	Position: Commander of the 65th Brigade; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot protestors in Douma.	23.1.2012
ι.	Major General Fo'ad (فَـوَاكَ) (a.k.a. Fouad, Fu'ad) HAMOUDEH (معونهُ) (a.k.a. Hammoudeh, Hammoude, Hammouda, Hammoudah)	Position: Commander of the military operations in Idlib; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot protestors in Idlib at the be- ginning of September 2011.	23.1.2012
2.	(عاقل) AQEL (بندر) AQEL	Position: Special Forces Commander; Gender: male	Gave soldiers orders to pick up the bodies and hand them over to the mukhabarat and responsible for the violence in Buka- mal.	23.1.2012
3.	Brigadier General Ghassan (غسان) AFIF (غب ف) (a.k.a. Afeef)	Position: Commander of the 45th Regiment; Gender: male	Commander of military operations in Homs, Baniyas and Idlib.	23.1.2012
4.	Brigadier General Mohamed (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) MAARUF (معروف) (a.k.a. Maarouf, Ma'ruf)	Position: Commander of the 45th Regiment; Gender: male	Commander of military operations in Homs. Gave orders to shoot protestors in Homs.	23.1.2012

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95.	Brigadier General Yousef (بوسف) ISMAIL (سماعل) (a.k.a. Ismael)	Position: Commander of the 134th Brigade; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot at houses and people on roofs during a funeral in Talbiseh for protesters killed the previous day.	23.1.2012
6.	Brigadier General Jamal (جمال) YUNES (جونس) (a.k.a. Younes)	Position: Commander of the 555th Regiment; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot at protestors in Mo'adamiyeh.	23.1.2012
8.	Brigadier General Ali (^{عل} ع) DAWWA	Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to shoot protestors in Al-Herak.	23.1.2012
9.	Major General Mohamed (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) KHADDOR (خفتور) (a.k.a. Khaddour, Khaddur, Khadour, Khudour)	Position: Commander of the 106th Brigade, Pre- sidential Guard; Gender: male	Gave orders to troops to beat protesters with sticks and then arrest them. Responsible for repression of peaceful protestors in Douma.	23.1.2012
01.	Wafiq (لونيسق) (a.k.a. Wafeeq) NASSER (باصرر)	Position: Head of Suwayda Regional Branch (De- partment of Military Intelligence); Gender: male	As Head of the Suwayda Regional Branch of the Department for Military Intelligence, responsible for arbitrary detention and torture of detainees in Suwayda.	23.1.2012
)2.	Ahmed (أحد) (a.k.a. Ahmad) DIBE (^{(برب}) (a.k.a. Dib, Deeb)	Head of Deraa Regional Branch (General Security Directorate); Gender: male	As Head of the Deraa Regional Branch of the General Security Directorate, responsible for arbitrary detention and torture of detainees in Deraa.	23.1.2012
)3.	Makhmoud (^{محمود)}) (a.k.a. Mahmoud) AL-KHATTIB (النطب) (a.k.a. al-Khatib, al-Khateeb)	Position: Head of Investigative Branch (Political Security Directorate); Gender: male	As Head of the Investigative Branch of the Political Security Directorate, responsible for detention and torture of detainees.	23.1.2012
)4.	Mohamed (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohammad, Muhammad, Mohammed) Heikmat (حکت) (a.k.a. Hikmat, Hekmat) IBRAHIM (بسراهب)	Position: Major General. Head of the police of Al- Hassaka; Gender: male	Head of the police of Al-Hassaka. Major General. As former Head of the Operations Branch of the Political Security Di- rectorate, was responsible for detention and torture of detai- nees.	23.1.2012
05.	Nasser (^{المسر)} (a.k.a. Naser) AL-ALI (^{المسر)} (a.k.a. Brigadier General Nasr al-Ali)	Position: Head of the Political Security Directo- rate; Gender: male	Head of the Political Security Directorate since July 2019. Responsible for detention and torture of detainees.	23.1.2012

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106.	Dr. Wael (و ائسل) Nader (نسالا) AL–HALQI (الحاقسي) (a.k.a. al-Halki)	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Dara'a Province, Syria; Gender: male	Former Prime Minister, in office until 3.7.2016, and former Minister of Health. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population. Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Qa- syoun Private University.	27.2.2012
07.	Mohammad Ibrahim AL-SHA'AR	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of the Interior. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population. Vice Chair of the Na- tional Progressive Front of Syria.	1.12.2011
.08.	Mohammad (محمل) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammed) AL-JLEILATI (الجليلاتي, جليلاتي)	Date of birth: 1945; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Finance, in office until 9.2.2013. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	1.12.2011
09.	Imad (علا) Mohammad (معلا) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammed) Deeb (بلبله) KHAMIS (a.k.a. Imad Mohammad Dib Khamees)	Date of birth: 1.8.1961; Place of birth: near Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Prime Minister and former Minister of Electricity. As a Gov- ernment Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012
10.	Omar (بسراهیم) Ibrahim (بسراهیم) GHALA- (غلاوندسی)	Date of birth: 1954; Place of birth: Tartous, Syria; Gender: male	Former Vice Prime Minister for Services Affairs, former Min- ister of Local Administration, in office until 3.7.2016. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012
11.	Joseph (جوزيف) SUWAID (سولا)	Date of birth: 1958; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State, in office until at least 21.1.2014. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population. Chair of the Amana wing of the Syrian Social Nationalist Party.	23.3.2012
12.	Hussein (مصلف) (a.k.a. Hussain) Mahmoud (محصول) FARZAT (فرزان) (a.k.a.: Hussein Mahmud Farzat)	Date of birth: 1957; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State, in office until at least 2014. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012

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113.	Mansour (منصور) Fadlallah (منصور) AZZAM (عزام) (a.k.a.: Mansur Fadl Allah Azzam)	Date of birth: 1960; Place of birth: Sweida Province, Syria; Gender: male	Minister for Presidency Affairs. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	27.2.2012
14.	Emad (عدالغنی) Abdul-Ghani (عدالغنی) SABOUNI (مسلولی) (a.k.a. Imad Abdul Ghani Al Sabuni)	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Telecommunications and Technology, in office until at least April 2014. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population. Appointed in July 2016 as the Head of Planning and International Cooperation Agency (government agency).	27.2.2012
15.	General Ali (هنب ب) Habib (هنب ب) (a.k.a. Habeeb) MAHMOUD (معمود)	Date of birth: 1939; Place of birth: Tartous, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Defence. Associated with the Syrian re- gime and the Syrian military, and its violent repression of the civilian population.	1.8.2011
16.	Tayseer (بسبله) Qala (نسبله) AWWAD (بالسبله)	Date of birth: 1943; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Justice. Associated with the Syrian regime and its violent repression of the civilian population. Former Head of Military Court. Member of the High Judicial Council.	23.9.2011
17.	Adnan (عدنان) Hassan (معنان) MAHMOUD (محمود)	Date of birth: 1966; Place of birth: Tartous, Syria; Gender: male	Syrian Ambassador to Iran. Former Minister of Information in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	23.9.2011
18.	Khalaf Souleymane ABDALLAH (a.k.a. Khalaf Sleiman al-Abdullah)	Date of birth: 1960; Place of birth: Deir ez-Zor, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Labour in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
119.	(علاو) ALLAW (سسفيان)	Date of birth: 1944; Place of birth: al-Bukamal, Deir Ezzor, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Oil and Mineral Resources. Associated with the Syrian regime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	27.2.2012
120.	Dr. Adnan (^{عدنا} ن) SLAKHO (سلاخو)	Date of birth: 1955; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Industry. Associated with the Syrian re- gime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	27.2.2012

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121.	Dr. Saleh (مسلق) AL-RASHED (الرائن	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Aleppo Province, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Education. Associated with the Syrian re- gime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	27.2.2012
.22.	Dr. Fayssal (قیمسسال) (a.k.a. Faysal) ABBAS (عباس)	Date of birth: 1955; Place of birth: Hama Province, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Transport. Associated with the Syrian re- gime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	27.2.2012
.23.	Ghiath (نجسرعتلي) JERAATLI (جسرعتلي) (a.k.a. Jer'atli, Jir'atli, Jiraatli)	Date of birth: 1950; Place of birth: Salamiya, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State. Associated with the Syrian regime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012
24.	Yousef (یوسف) Suleiman (سطيمان) AL-AHMAD (الأحد) (المحد) (a.k.a. al-Ahmed)	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Hasaka, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State. Associated with the Syrian regime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012
125.	Hassan (حسن,حسان) AL-SARI (حسن	Date of birth: 1953; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of State. Associated with the Syrian regime and its violent repression of the civilian population.	23.3.2012
26.	Bouthaina (شَــعَبْـكَ) SHAABAN (شَــعَبْـكَ) (a.k.a. Buthaina Shaaban)	Date of birth: 1953; Place of birth: Homs, Syria; Gender: female	Political and Media Advisor to the President since July 2008 and as such associated with the violent crackdown on the ci- vilian population.	26.6.2012
27.	Brigadier General Sha'afiq (شَـــــنْيَةُ) (a.k.a. Shafiq, Shafik) MASA (لماليا) (a.k.a. Massa)	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Al-Zara (Hama), Syria; Gender: male	Head of Branch 215 (Damascus) of the army's intelligence service. Responsible for the torture of detained opponents. Involved in repressive actions against civilians.	24.7.2012
28.	Brigadier General Burhan (برهان) QADOUR (آمنور) (a.k.a. Qaddour, Qaddur)	Gender: male	Former Head of Branch 291 (Damascus) of the army's intelli- gence service. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
129.	Brigadier General Salah (صلاح) HAMAD (حد)	Gender: male	Deputy Head of Branch 291 of the army's intelligence service. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012

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30.	Brigadier General Muhammad (محن) (a.k.a. Mohammed) KHALLOUF (خلوف) (a.k.a. Abou Ezzat)	Gender: male	Former (2009-2014) Head of Branch 235 a.k.a. 'Palestine' (Damascus) of the army's intelligence service, which is at the centre of the army's apparatus of repression. Directly involved in repression of opponents. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
31.	Major General Riad (لربياض) (a.k.a. Riyad) AL-AHMED (الأحمد) (الأحما) (a.k.a. al-Ahmad)	Gender: male	Deputy Head of Latakia Branch of the army's intelligence service. Responsible for the torture and murder of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
132.	Brigadier General Abdul-Salam (^{بالسلام}) Fajr (جر) MAHMOUD (مجر)	Gender: male	Head of the Bab Tuma (Damascus) Branch of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service. Former Head of the Mezze Airport Air Force intelligence investigation branch. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody. Under international ar- rest warrant for 'complicity in acts of torture', 'complicity in crimes against humanity' and 'complicity in war crimes'.	24.7.2012
33.	Brigadier General Jawdat (هونتُ) AL- AHMED (الأحد) (a.k.a. al-Ahmad)	Place of birth: Qardaha, Lattakia province, Syria; Gender: male	Head of the Homs Branch of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody as well as killings of peaceful protesters.	24.7.2012
34.	Colonel Qusay (ميہوب) MIHOUB (ميہوب)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Derghamo, Jableh, Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	High-ranking officer at the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Ser- vice. Former Head of the Deraa branch of the air force's intel- ligence service (sent from Damascus to Deraa at the start of demonstrations there). Responsible for the torture of oppo- nents in custody as well as the violent repression of peaceful protests in the southern region.	24.7.2012
35.	Brigadier General Suhail (السبيل) (a.k.a. Suheil) AL-ABDULLAH (العبيدالله) (a.k.a. al-Abdallah)	Gender: male	Head of the Latakia Branch of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
36.	Brigadier General Khudr (خضر) KHUDR (خضر)	Gender: male	Head of the Latakia branch of the General Intelligence Direc- torate. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012

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137.	Brigadier General Ibrahim (بيسراهيم) MA'ALA (معلى) (a.k.a. Maala, Maale, Ma'la)	Gender: male	Head of Branch 285 (Damascus) of the General Intelligence Directorate (replaced Brigadier General Hussam Fendi at the end of 2011). Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
138.	Brigadier General Firas (أسراس) AL-HAMED (الحامد) (a.k.a. al-Hamid)	Gender: male	Head of Branch 318 (Homs) of the General Intelligence Di- rectorate. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
139.	Major General Hussam (معنام) (a.k.a. Husam, Housam, Houssam) LUQA (موتسار) (a.k.a. Louqa, Louca, Louka, Luka)	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Head of the General Security Directorate. Major General. From April 2012 to 2.12.2018, was head of the Homs branch of the Political Security Directorate (succeeded Brigadier General Nasr al-Ali). Since 3.12.2018, head of the Political Security Directorate. Responsible for the torture of opponents in custody.	24.7.2012
140.	Brigadier General Taha (طه) TAHA (طه)	Gender: male	Site manager of the Latakia branch of the Political Security Directorate. Responsible for the torture of opponents in cus- tody.	24.7.2012
41.	Bassel (بلسسل) (a.k.a. Basel) BILAL (بلسسل)	Gender: male	Police officer at Idlib central prison; has taken part directly in acts of torture of opponents held in Idlib central prison.	24.7.2012
42.	Ahmad (أحد) (a.k.a. Ahmed) KAFAN (أحد)	Gender: male	Police officer at Idlib central prison; has taken part directly in acts of torture of opponents held in Idlib central prison.	24.7.2012
143.	Bassam (بسسام) AL-MISRI (المصري)	Gender: male	Police officer at Idlib central prison; has taken part directly in acts of torture of opponents held in Idlib central prison.	24.7.2012
144.	Ahmed (أحمد) (a.k.a. Ahmad) AL-JARROUCHEH (^{(أجل} اؤشة) (a.k.a. al-Jarousha, al-Jarousheh, al-Jaroucha, al-Jarouchah, al-Jaroucheh)	Date of birth: 1957; Gender: male	Former head of the foreign branch of General Intelligence (Branch 279). As such, responsible for General Intelligence arrangements in Syrian embassies.	24.7.2012

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145.	Michel (ک ^{اسوحة}) KASSOUHA (ميشـــلّ) (a.k.a. Kasouha) (a.k.a. Ahmed Salem; Ahmed Salem Hassan)	Date of birth: 1.2.1948; Gender: male	Member of the Syrian security services since the early 1970s, he is involved in combating opposition in France and Ger- many. Since March 2006, has been responsible for public re- lations of Branch 273 of the Syrian General Intelligence Di- rectorate. A longstanding member of the managerial staff, he is close to General Intelligence Directorate head Ali Mamlouk, one of the top security officials of the regime who has been subject to EU restrictive measures since 9.5.2011. He directly supports the Syrian regime's repression of opponents and is responsible inter alia for repression of the Syrian opposition abroad.	24.7.2012	[
146.	General Ghassan (خبونت) Jaoudat (جونت) ISMAIL (اسماعل) (a.k.a. Ismael)	Date of birth: 1960; Place of birth: Drekish, Tartous region, Syria; Gender: male	Head of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service since 2019. Former deputy director of the Air Force Intelligence Service and previously in charge of the missions branch of the Air Force Intelligence Service which, in cooperation with the special operations branch, manages the elite troops of the Air Force Intelligence Service, who play an important role in the repression conducted by the Syrian regime. As such, Ghassan Jaoudat Ismail is one of the top military leaders directly im- plementing the violent repression of opponents conducted by the Syrian regime as well as practices of disappearance of ci- vilians.	24.7.2012	Chicked Journal of the Entropean Chick
147.	Major General Amer AL-ACHI (a.k.a. Amer Ibrahim al-Achi; Amis al Ashi; Ammar Aachi; Amer Ashi) (علر ليراهير العشي)	Gender: male	Appointed Governor of the Sweida Governorate by President Bashar al-Assad on July 2016. Former Head of the intelligence branch of the Syrian Air Force Intelligence Service (2012- 2016). Through his role in the Air Force Intelligence Service, Amer al-Achi is implicated in the repression of the Syrian opposition.	24.7.2012	
148.	General Mohammed (محمد) (a.k.a. Mu- hammad, Mohamed, Mohammad) Ali (عليه) NASR (خصر) (a.k.a. Mohammed Ali Naser)	Date of birth: around 1960; Gender: male	Close to Maher al-Assad, younger brother of President Bashar al-Assad. Most of his career has been spent in the Republican Guard. In 2010 he joined the internal branch (Branch 251) of the General Intelligence Directorate which is responsible for combating the political opposition. As one of its senior offi- cers, General Mohammed Ali Nasr is directly involved in the repression of opponents.	24.7.2012	

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149.	General Issam (حلاق) HALLAQ (حلاق)	Gender: male	Air Force Chief of Staff since 2010. Commands air operations against opponents.	24.7.2012	
.50.	Ezzedine (السماعيل) ISMAEL (السماعيل) (a.k.a. Ismail)	Date of birth: middle of the 1940s (prob- ably 1947); Place of birth: Bastir, Jableh region, Syria; Gender: male	Retired general, longstanding member of the managerial staff of the Air Force Intelligence Service, of which he became the head in the early 2000s. Was appointed political and security adviser to the President in 2006. As political and security ad- viser to President Bashar al-Assad, Ezzedine Ismael is impli- cated in the political repression conducted by the Syrian re- gime against the opposition.	24.7.2012	
51.	Samir (سمير) (a.k.a. Sameer) JOUMAA (جعة) (a.k.a. Jumaa, Jum'a, Joum'a) (a.k.a. Abou Sami)	Date of birth: around 1962; Gender: male	For almost 20 years he has been head of the office of Mo- hammad Nassif Kheir Bek, one of the main security advisers of President Bashar al-Assad (and officially deputy to the Vice President, Farouk al-Sharaa). Samir Joumaa's closeness to President Bashar al-Assad and Mohammed Nassif Kheir Bek means that he is implicated in the policy of repression con- ducted by the Syrian regime against its opponents.	24.7.2012	
52.	Dr. Qadri (هوا) (a.k.a. Kadri) JAMIL (هول) (a.k. a. Jameel)	Date of birth: 1952; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Vice Prime Minister for Economic Affairs, former Minister of Domestic Trade and Consumer Protection. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012	
53.	Waleed (المعلم) (a.k.a. Walid) AL MO'AL EM (معلم) (a.k.a. Al Moallem, Muallem (معلم))	Date of birth: 17.7.1941; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Vice Prime Minister, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Expatri- ates. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012	
55.	Dr. Mohammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammed) Abdul-Sattar (بعد السيار) (a.k.a. Abd al-Sattar) AL SAYED (السينة) (a.k.a. Al Sayyed)	Date of birth: 1958; Place of birth: Tartous, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Religious Endowments. As a Government Minis- ter, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012	
56.	Hala (مللة) Mohammad (مدله) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammed) AL NASSER (الناصر)	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Raqqa, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Tourism. As a former Government Minis- ter, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012	

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157.	Bassam (بسلم) HANNA (لمله)	Date of birth: 1954; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Water Resources in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	16.10.2012
58.	Subhi (مسبحي) Ahmad (احمد) AL ABDALLAH (العبدالله) (a.k.a. al-Abdullah)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Agriculture and Agrarian Reform. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
159.	Dr. Mohammad (محمد) (a.k.a. Muhammad, Mohamed, Mohamed) Yahiya (الال ى) (a.k. a. Yehya, Yahya, Yihya, Yihia, Yahia) MOALLA (محلا (مدلا) (a.k.a. Mu'la, Ma'la, Muala, Maala, Mala)	Date of birth: 1951; Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Higher Education. As a former Govern- ment Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
60.	Dr. Hazwan (هزوان) AL WEZ (الوز) (a.k.a. Al Wazz)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Education, appointed in July 2016. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	16.10.2012
161.	Dr. Mohamad (سعد (a.k.a. Muhammad, Mohamed, Mohammed, Mohammad) Zafer (^{ظافر}) (a.k.a. Dhafer) MOHABAK (سطالار) (a.k.a. Mohabbak, Muhabak, Muhabbak)	Date of birth: 1945 Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Economy and Foreign Trade. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
62.	Dr. Mahmoud (^{محمود}) Ibraheem (المحمود) (a. k.a. Ibrahim) SA'IID (^{سطور}) (a.k.a. Said, Sa'eed, Saeed)	Date of birth: 1953; Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Transport in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
163.	Dr. Safwan (سفوان) AL ASSAF (العساف)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Housing and Urban Development. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
64.	Yasser (پلسر) (a.k.a. Yaser) AL SIBA'II (پلسر) (a.k.a. al-Sibai, al-Siba'i, al Sibaei)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Public Works. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012

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165.	Sa'iid (سعنز) (a.k.a. Sa'id, Sa'eed, Saeed) MA'THI (معسنو) (a.k.a. Mu'zi, Mu'dhi, Ma'dhi, Ma'zi, Maazi) Hneidi (المنزع)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Oil and Mineral Resources. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
66.	Dr. Lubana (^{(البائسة}) (a.k.a. Lubanah) MUSHAWEH (مَسُوعَ) (a.k.a. Mshaweh, Mshawweh, Mushawweh)	Date of birth: 1955; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: female	Former Minister of Culture in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
67.	Dr. Jassem (جلس) (a.k.a. Jasem) Mohammad (محد) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammed) ZAKARIA (لاكريا)	Date of birth: 1968; Gender: male	Former Minister of Labour and Social Affairs. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
69.	Dr. Adnan (عنان) Abdo (ثبلو) (a.k.a. Abdou) AL SIKHNY (السنني) (a.k.a. al-Sikhni, al- Sekhny, al-Sekhni)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Industry. As a former Government Minis- ter shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
70.	Najm (نجم) (a.k.a. Nejm) Hamad (کلا) AL AHMAD (الأحمد) (الأحمر) (a.k.a. al-Ahmed)	Gender: male	Former Minister of Justice in power after May 2011. As a for- mer Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
71.	Dr. Abdul-Salam (ﷺ) AL NAYEF (الشياني)	Date of birth: 1959 Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Health in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
72.	Ali HADAR	Date of birth: 1962; Gender: male	Head of the National Reconciliation Agency and former State Minister for National Reconciliation Affairs. Chair of the Inti- fada wing of the Syrian Social Nationalist Party. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
173.	Dr. Nazeera (نظ يرة) (a.k.a. Nazira, Nadheera, Nadhira) Farah (^{فرر}) SARKEES (سركيس) (a.k.a. Sarkis)	Date of birth: 1962; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: female	Former State Minister for Environmental Affairs, in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares re- sponsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012

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175.	Najm-eddin (نجم الدين) (a.k.a. Nejm-eddin, Nejm-eddeen, Najm-eddeen, Nejm-addin, Nejm-addeen, Najm-add- een, Najm-addin) KHREIT (فريط) (a.k.a. Khrait)	Gender: male	Former State Minister. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
76.	Abdullah (مسل) (a.k.a. Abdallah) Khaleel (مسل) (a.k.a. Khalil) HUSSEIN (مسل) a.k.a. Hussain)	Gender: male	Former State Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
77.	Jamal (جمال) Sha'ban (شــــعبان) (a.k.a. Shaaban) SHAHEEN (شـــاهين)	Gender: male	Former State Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	16.10.2012
78.	Nizar Wahbeh YAZAJI (a.k.a. Nizar Wehbe Yazigi)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Health since 27.8.2014. As a Government Minis- ter, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014
.79.	Razan (کرلن) OTHMAN (کرلن)	Wife of Rami Makhlouf, daughter of Waleed (alias Walid) Othman; Date of birth: 31.1.1977; Place of birth: Governorate of Latakia, Syria; ID No: 06090034007 Gender: female	Razan Othman has close personal and financial relations with Rami Makhlouf, cousin of President Bashar al-Assad and principal financer of the regime, who has been designated by the Council. As such, associated with the Syrian regime, and benefiting from it, notably through investments in the real estate sector.	16.10.2012
80.	Ahmad AL-QADRI	Date of birth: 1956; Gender: male	Agriculture and Agrarian Reform Minister. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
81.	Suleiman AL ABBAS	Gender: male	Former Oil and Mineral Resources Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares re- sponsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
82.	Kamal Eddin TU'MA	Date of birth: 1959; Gender: male	Former Industry Minister in power after May 2011. As a for- mer Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014

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183.	Kinda AL-SHAMMAT (a.k.a. Shmat)	Date of birth: 1973; Gender: female	Former Social Affairs Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
84.	Hassan HIJAZI	Date of birth: 1964; Gender: male	Former Minister for Labour in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
85.	Ismael ISMAEL (a.k.a. Ismail Ismail; or Isma'Il Isma'il)	Date of birth: 1955; Gender: male	Former Finance Minister in power after May 2011. As a for- mer Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
186.	Dr. Khodr ORFALI (a.k.a. Khud/Khudr; Urfali/Orphaly)	Date of birth: 1956; Gender: male	Former Economy and Foreign Trade Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares re- sponsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
187.	Samir Izzat Qadi AMIN	Date of birth: 1966; Gender: male	Former Internal Trade and Consumer Protection Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
188.	Bishr Riyad YAZIGI	Date of birth: 1972; Gender: male	Advisor to President Bashar al-Assad. Former Minister of Tourism. As a former Government Minister, shares responsi- bility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
189.	Dr. Malek (ملك) ALI (علي) (a.k.a. Malik Ali)	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Tartous, Syria; Gender: male	Former Higher Education Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	24.6.2014
190.	Hussein ARNOUS (a.k.a. Arnus)	Date of birth: 1953; Gender: male	Water Resources Minister. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014

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191.	Dr. Hassib Elias SHAMMAS (a.k.a. Hasib)	Date of birth: 1957; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former State Minister in power after May 2011. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	24.6.2014
92.	Hashim Anwar AL-AQQAD (a.k.a. Hashem Aqqad, Hashem Akkad, Hashim Akkad)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Mohagirine, Syria; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and/ or activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy. He holds interests in and/or has significant influence in Anwar Akkad Sons Group (AASG) and its subsidiary United Oil. AASG is a conglomerate with interests in sectors such as oil, gas, chemi- cals, insurance, industrial machinery, real estate, tourism, ex- hibitions, contracting, insurance and medical equipment. Hashim Anwar al-Aqqad also worked as a member of the Syr- ian Parliament as recently as 2012. Hashim Anwar Al-Aqqad could not have remained successful without assistance from the regime. Given the extent of his business and political ties to the regime, he provides support to and benefits from the Syrian regime.	23.7.2014
93.	Suhayl (a.k.a. Sohail, Suhail, Suheil) HASSAN (a.k.a. Hasan, al-Hasan, al-Hassan) known as 'The Tiger' (a.k.a. al-Nimr)	Date of birth: 1970; Place of birth: Jableh, Latakia Province, Syria; Rank: Major-General; Position: Commander of Qawat al-Nimr (Divi- sion 25 Special Mission Forces, formerly known as Tiger Forces); Gender: male	Officer of the rank of Major-General in the Syrian Army after May 2011. Commander of army division known as 'Tiger Forces'. Since August 2019, 'Tiger Forces' has been renamed 'Division 25 Special Mission Forces' and placed under the ar- my's central command. Responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population in Syria.	23.7.2014
.94.	Amr ARMANAZI (a.k.a. Amr Muhammad Najib al-Armanazi, Amr Najib Armanazi, Amrou al-Armanazy)	Date of birth: 7.2.1944; Gender: male	Director-General of the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), responsible for providing support to the Syrian army for the acquisition of equipment used for the surveil- lance and repression of demonstrators. Also responsible for the development and production of non-conventional weap- ons, including chemical weapons, and the missiles to deliver them. Responsible for the violent repression of the civilian popula- tion; supports the Syrian regime.	23.7.2014

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199.	Bayan BITAR (a.k.a. Dr. Bayan al-Bitar)	Date of birth: 8.3.1947; Address: P.O. Box 11037, Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Managing Director of the Organisation for Technological In- dustries (OTI), and the Syrian Company for Information Technology (SCIT), which are both subsidiaries of the Syrian Ministry of Defence, which has been designated by the Coun- cil. OTI assists in the production of chemical weapons for the Syrian regime. As Managing Director of OTI and the SCIT, Bayan Bitar provides support to the Syrian regime. Due to his role in the production of chemical weapons, he also shares responsibility for the violent repression of the Syrian popula- tion. In view of his senior position in these entities, he is also associated with the designated entities OTI and SCIT.	7.3.2015	
200.	Brigadier General Ghassan ABBAS	Date of birth: 10.3.1960; Place of birth: Homs, Syria; Address: CERS, Centre d'Etude et de Recherche Scientifique (a.k.a. SSRC, Scientific Studies and Research Centre; Centre de Recherche de Kaboun Barzeh Street, P.O. Box 4470, Damascus, Syria) Gender: male	Manager of the branch of the designated Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC/CERS) near Jumraya/ Jmraiya. He has been involved in the proliferation of chemical weapons and the organisation of chemical weapons attacks, including in Ghouta in August 2013. He therefore shares re- sponsibility for the violent repression of the Syrian popula- tion. As manager of the SSRC/CERS branch near Jumraya/ Jmraiya, Ghassan Abbas provides support to the Syrian re- gime. As a result of his senior position in the SSRC, he is also associated with the designated entity SSRC.	7.3.2015	
202.	Hassan SAFIYEH (a.k.a. Hassan Safiye)	Date of birth: 1949; Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Internal Trade and Consumer Protection in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014	Ē
203.	George HASWANI (a.k.a. Heswani; Hasawani; Al Hasawani)	Address: Damascus Province, Yabroud, Al Jalaa St, Syria; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and/ or activities in the engineering, construction and oil and gas sectors. He holds interests in and/or has significant influence in a number of companies and entities in Syria, in particular HESCO Engineering and Construction Company, a major en- gineering and construction company.	7.3.2015	

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204.	Emad (عملز) HAMSHO (مملئر) (a.k.a. Imad Hmisho; Hamchu; Hamcho; Hamisho; Hmeisho; Hemasho)		Occupies a senior management position in Hamsho Trading. As a result of his senior position in Hamsho Trading, a sub- sidiary of Hamsho International, which has been designated by the Council, he provides support to the Syrian regime. He is also associated with a designated entity, Hamsho Interna- tional. He is also vice-president of the Syrian Council of Iron and Steel alongside designated regime businessmen such as Ayman Jaber. He is also an associate of President Bashar al- Assad.	7.3.2015
206.	Major General Muhamad (الملكل) (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad) MAHALLA (الملا) (a.k.a. Mahla, Mualla, Maalla, Muhalla)	Date of birth: 1960; Place of birth: Jableh, Syria; Gender: male	Member of the Syria Armed Forces of the rank of Major General in post after May 2011. Former head of the Syrian Military Intelligence (SMI), Branch 293 (Internal Affairs), since April 2015. Responsible for repression of and violence against the civilian population in Damascus/Damascus Countryside. Former Deputy Head of Political Security (2012), Officer of the Syrian Republican Guard and Vice-Di- rector of the Political Security Directorate. Former head of Military Police, Member of the National Security Bureau.	29.5.2015
207.	Adib SALAMEH (a.k.a. Adib Salamah; Adib Salama; Adib Salame; Mohammed Adib Salameh; Adib Nimr Salameh) (أليب نير سلامة)	Position: Major General, Deputy Director of Air Force Intelligence Directorate in Damascus; Gender: male	Member of the Syrian security and intelligence services in post after May 2011; Deputy Director of the Air Force Intelligence Directorate in Damascus; previously Head of Air Force Intelli- gence in Aleppo. Member of the Syrian Armed Forces of the rank of Colonel and the equivalent or higher in post after May 2011; holds the rank of Major General. Responsible for the violent repression of the civilian popula- tion in Syria, through the planning of and involvement in mili- tary assaults in Aleppo and authority over the arrest and de- tention of civilians.	28.10.2016
208.	Adnan Aboud HILWEH (a.k.a. Adnan Aboud Helweh; Adnan Aboud) (عنان عبود طوئ	Position: Brigadier General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Brigadier General of 155 Brigade and 157 Brigade in the Syrian Army in post after May 2011. As the Brigadier General of 155 Brigade and 157 Brigade, he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian popula- tion in Syria, including through his responsibility for the de- ployment and use of missile and chemical weapons in civilian areas in 2013 and involvement in large scale detentions.	28.10.2016

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209.	Jawdat Salbi MAWAS (a.k.a. Jawdat Salibi Mawwas; Jawdat Salibi Mawwaz) (جوت صلبي مواس	Position: Major General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer in the Syrian Artillery and Missile Directorate of the Syrian Armed Forces, in post after May 2011. As a senior ranking officer of the Syrian Artillery and Missile Directorate, he is responsible for violent repression of the ci- vilian population, including the use of missiles and chemical weapons by Brigades under his command in highly populated civilian areas in Ghouta in 2013.	28.10.2016
210.	Tahir (خليل) Hamid (حامد) KHALIL (خليل) (a.k.a. Tahir Hamid Khali; Khalil Tahir Hamid)	Position: Major General; Gender: male	Holds the ranks of Major General, Head of the Syrian Artillery and Missiles Directorate of the Syrian Armed Forces, in post after May 2011. As a senior ranking officer of the Syrian Ar- tillery and Missile Directorate, he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population, including the deploy- ment of missiles and chemical weapons by Brigades under his command in highly populated civilian areas in Ghouta in 2013.	28.10.2016
211.	Hilal HILAL (a.k.a. Hilal al-Hilal) (هلال هلال)	Date of birth: 1966; Gender: male	Member of the regime-affiliated militias known as 'Kataeb al- Baath' (the Baath Party militia). Vice-Chairman of the Baath Party. Supports the Syrian regime through his role in the re- cruitment and organisation of the Baath Party militia.	28.10.2016
212.	Ammar AL-SHARIF (a.k.a. Amar al-Sharif; Amar al-Charif; Ammar Sharif; Ammar Charif; Ammar al Shareef; Ammar Sherif; Ammar Medhat Sherif) (عمار التريف)	Date of birth: 26.6.1969; Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Nationality: Syrian; Syrian Passport: - number: 010312413; - issue number: 002-15-L093534; - date of issue: 14.7.2015; - place of issue: Damascus-Centre; - date of expiry: 13.7.2021; National number: 060-10276707; Gender: male	Associated with a member of the Makhlouf family (brother-in- law of Rami Makhlouf).	28.10.2016
213.	Bishr AL-SABBAN (a.k.a. Mohammed Bishr al-Sabban; Bishr Mazin al-Sabban)	Date of birth: 1966; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Governor of Damascus, who was appointed by, and is associated with, President Bashar al-Assad. Supports the Syr- ian regime and is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population in Syria, including engaging in discrimi- natory practices against Sunni communities within the capi- tal.	28.10.2016

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214.	Ahmad Sheik ABDUL-QADER (a.k.a. Ahmad Sheikh Abdul Qadir; Ahmad al-Sheik Abdulquader) (حد الشيخ عبد القادر)	Gender: male	Former Governor of Quneitra, associated with and appointed by President Bashar al-Assad. Previously Governor of Latakia. Supports and benefits from the Syrian regime, including by public support for the Syrian Armed Forces and pro-regime militia.	28.10.2016
215.	Dr. Ghassan Omar KHALAF (غسان عمر خلف)	Gender: male	Former Governor of Hama, who was appointed by, and is as- sociated with, President Bashar al-Assad. He also supports and benefits from the Syrian regime. Ghassan Omar Khalaf is closely associated with members of a regime-affiliated militia in Hama known as the Hama Brigade.	28.10.2016
216.	Khayr al-Din AL-SAYYED (a.k.a. Khayr al-Din Abdul-Sattar al-Sayyed; Mohamed Khair al-Sayyed; Kheredden al-Sayyed; Khairuddin as-Sayyed; Khaireddin al-Sayyed; Kheir Eddin al-Sayyed; Kheir Eddib Asayed) (خير الدين ،السين	Gender: male	Former Governor of Idlib, associated with and appointed by President Bashar al-Assad. Benefits from and supports the Syrian regime, including by providing support for Syrian Armed Forces and pro-regime militia. Associated with the re- gime's Minister of Awqaf, Dr. Mohammad Abdul-Sattar al- Sayyed, who is his brother.	28.10.2016
217.	Atef NADDAF (عاطف نداف)	Date of birth: 1956; Place of birth: Damascus Countryside, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Internal Trade and Consumer Protection. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
218.	Hussein MAKHLOUF (a.k.a. Makhluf) (حسين مظوف	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	Local Administration Minister. Appointed in July 2016. Former Governor of Damascus Governorate. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population. Cousin of Rami Makhlouf.	14.11.2016
219.	Ali AL-ZAFIR (على الظفسيز)	Date of birth: 1962; Place of birth: Tartus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Communications and Technology. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016

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220.	Ali GHANEM (على غانم)	Date of birth: 1963; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Minister for Petroleum and Mineral Resources. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
221.	Mohammed (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muhammad, Mohammad) Ramez TOURJMAN (a.k.a. Tourjuman) (محد رامز ترجمان)	Date of birth: 1966; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Information. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
222.	Mohammed (a.k.a. Mohamed, Muham- mad, Mohammad) AL-AHMED (a.k.a. al-Ahmad)		Culture Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
223.	Ali HAMOUD (a.k.a. Hammoud) (على حمود)	Date of birth: 1964; Place of birth: Tartus, Syria; Gender: male	Transport Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
224.	Mohammed Zuhair (a.k.a. Zahir) KHARBOUTLI (محد زهير خسربرطلي)	Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Electricity Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
225.	Maamoun (a.k.a. Ma'moun) HAMDAN (مأمون حمدان	Date of birth: 1958; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Finance Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016

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226.	Nabil AL-HASAN (a.k.a. al-Hassan) (نبیسل الحسن)	Date of birth: 1963; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Water Resources. Appointed in July 2016. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	14.11.2016
227.	Ahmad AL-HAMU (a.k.a. al-Hamo) (أهد الصور)	Date of birth: 1947; Gender: male	Former Minister of Industry. As a former Government Minis- ter, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent re- pression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
228.	Abdullah AL-GHARBI (a.k.a. al-Qirbi) (عبدالله الغسريى)	Date of birth: 1962; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Internal Trade and Consumer Protection. Appointed in July 2016. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	14.11.2016
229.	Abdullah ABDULLAH عبدالله عبدالله)	Date of birth: 1956; Gender: male	State Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
230.	Salwa ABDULLAH رسسلوی عبدالله	Date of birth: 1953; Place of birth: Quneitra, Syria; Gender: female	State Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
231.	Rafe'a Abu SA'AD (a.k.a. Saad) رافسع أبسو مسعل	Date of birth: 1954; Place of birth: Habran village, Sweida province, Syria; Gender: male	State Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016

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232.	Wafiqa HOSNI (وفق مستي)	Date of birth: 1952; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: female	State Minister. Appointed in July 2016. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
233.	Rima AL-QADIRI (a.k.a. al-Kadiri) ريما ة القسادري)	Date of birth: 1963; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: female	Minister for Social Affairs (since August 2015). As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	14.11.2016
234.	Duraid DURGHAM	Gender: male	Former Governor of the Central Bank of Syria. Was responsible for providing economic and financial sup- port to the Syrian regime through his functions as the Gover- nor of the Central Bank of Syria, which is also listed.	14.11.2016
235.	Ahmad BALLUL (a.k.a. Ahmad Muhammad Ballul; Ahmed Balol) (اهدبلول)	Date of birth: 10.10.1954; Rank: Major General; Commander of the Syrian Arab Air Force and Air Defence Forces; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer and Com- mander of the Syrian Arab Air and Air Defence Forces, in post after May 2011. Operates in the chemical weapons proliferation sector and, as a senior ranking officer of the Syrian Arab Air Force, is re- sponsible for the violent repression of the civilian population, including the use of chemical weapons attacks by the Syrian regime identified in the report of the Joint Investigative Me- chanism.	21.3.2017
236.	Saji' DARWISH (a.k.a. Saji Jamil Darwish; Sajee Darwish; Sjaa Darwis) (مجي لروش)	Date of birth: 11.1.1957; Rank: Major General, Syrian Arab Air Force; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer and former Commander of the 22nd Division of the Syrian Arab Air Force, in post after May 2011. Operates in the chemical weapons proliferation sector and is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian popula- tion. As a senior ranking officer of the Syrian Arab Air Force and Commander of the 22nd Division until April 2017 he holds responsibility for the use of chemical weapons by air- craft operating from airbases under the control of the 22nd Division, including the attack on Talmenes that the Joint In- vestigative Mechanism reported was conducted by Hama air- field-based regime helicopters.	21.3.2017

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237.	Muhammed IBRAHIM (محد ایر افور)	Date of birth: 5.8.1964; Rank: Brigadier General; Deputy Commander of Syrian Arab Air Force 63rd Brigade at Hama air- field; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Brigadier General, a senior officer and Dep- uty Commander of the Syrian Arab Air Force 63rd Brigade, in post after May 2011. Operates in the chemical weapons proliferation sector and, as a senior ranking officer of the Syrian Arab Air Force during the period investigated by the Joint Investigative Mechanism and as Deputy Commander of the 63rd Brigade from March to December 2015, is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population through the use of chemical weapons by the 63rd Brigade in Talmenes (21.4.2014), Qmenas (16.3. 2015) and Sarmin (16.3.2015).	21.3.2017
238.	Badi' MU'ALLA (بني العلا)	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Bistuwir, Jablah, Syria; Rank: Brigadier General; Commander of Syrian Arab Air Force 63rd Brigade; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Brigadier General, a senior officer and Com- mander of 63rd Brigade of the Syrian Arab Air Force, in post after May 2011. Operates in the chemical weapons proliferation sector and, as Commander of the 63rd Brigade during the period investi- gated by the Joint Investigative Mechanism, is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population through the use of chemical weapons by the 63rd Brigade in Talmenes (21.4.2014), Qmenas (16.3.2015) and Sarmin (16.3.2015).	21.3.2017
239.	Hisham Mohammad Mamdouh AL-SHA'AR	Date of birth: 1958; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Justice Minister. Appointed in March 2017.	30.5.2017
240.	Mohammad Samer Abdelrahman AL-KHALIL	Gender: male	Economy and Foreign Trade Minister. Appointed in March 2017.	30.5.2017
241.	Salam Mohammad AL-SAFFAF	Date of birth: 1979; Gender: male	Administrative Development Minister. Appointed in March 2017.	30.5.2017
242.	Samir DABUL (a.k.a. Samir Daaboul)	Date of birth: 4.9.1965; Rank: Brigadier General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Brigadier General, in post after May 2011. As a senior military officer he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population and involved in the sto- rage and deployment of chemical weapons. He is also asso- ciated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017

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243.	Ali WANUS (a.k.a. Ali Wannous) (علي والوس)	Date of birth: 5.2.1964; Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, in post after May 2011. As a senior military officer he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population and involved in the sto- rage and deployment of chemical weapons. He is also associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
244.	Yasin Ahmad DAHI (a.k.a. Yasin Dahi; Yasin Dhahi) (ضاحي ياسين)	Date of birth: 1960; Rank: Brigadier General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Brigadier General in the Syrian Armed Forces, in post after May 2011. Senior officer within the Military Intelligence Directorate of the Syrian Armed Forces. Former head of Military Intelligence Branch 235 in Damascus and Military Intelligence in Homs. As a senior military officer he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian po- pulation.	18.7.2017
245.	Muhammad Yousef HASOURI (a.k.a. Mohammad Yousef Hasouri; Mohammed Yousef Hasouri) (محمد يوسف حاصوري)	Rank: Brigadier General; Gender: male	Brigadier General Muhammad Hasouri is a senior officer of the Syrian Air Force, in post after May 2011. He holds the position as Chief of Staff of Air Force Brigade 50 and Deputy Commander of the Shayrat Airbase. Brigadier General Mu- hammad Hasouri operates in the chemical weapons prolif- eration sector. As a senior military officer he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population in Syria.	18.7.2017
246.	Malik HASAN (a.k.a. Malek Hassan) (مالك حسن)	Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer and Com- mander of the 22nd Division of the Syrian Air Force, in post after May 2011. As a senior officer of the Syrian Air Force and in the chain of command of the 22nd Division, he is responsible for the vio- lent repression of the civilian population in Syria, including the use of chemical weapons by aircraft operating from air- bases under the control of the 22nd Division, such as the at- tack on Talmenas that the Joint Investigative Mechanism estab- lished by the United Nations reported was conducted by Hama airfield-based regime helicopters.	18.7.2017

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247.	Jayyiz Rayyan AL-MUSA (a.k.a. Jaez Sawada al-Hammoud al-Mousa; Jayez al-Hammoud al-Moussa) (جايز ريان المؤسسي)	Date of birth: 1954; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Governor of Hasaka, appointed by President Bashar al-Assad; he is associated with President Bashar al-Assad. Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer and former Chief of Staff of the Syrian Air Force. As a senior officer of the Syrian Air Force, he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population in Syria, in- cluding the use of chemical weapons attacks by the Syrian regime during his tenure as Chief of Staff of the Syrian Air Force, as identified in the report of the Joint Investigative Me- chanism established by the United Nations.	18.7.2017
248.	Mayzar 'Abdu SAWAN (a.k.a. Meezar Sawan) ميزار عد الصوان)	Date of birth: 1954; Rank: Major General; Gender: male	Holds the rank of Major General, a senior officer and Com- mander of the 20th Division of the Syrian Air Force, in post after May 2011. As a senior officer in the Syrian air force he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population including at- tacks against civilian areas by aircraft operating from airbases under the control of the 20th Division.	18.7.2017
250.	Mohammad Safwan KATAN (a.k.a. Mohammad Safwan Qattan) (محمد صفوان قطان)	Gender: male	Mohammad Safwan Katan is an engineer at the Syrian Scien- tific Studies and Research Centre, a listed entity. He is involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. Mohammad Safwan Katan has been involved in the construction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian population in Syria. He is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
251.	Mohammad (محمد) Ziad (رَبِلَا) GHRIWATI (غربوالتي) (a.k.a. Mohammad Ziad Ghraywati)	Gender: male	Mohammad Ziad Ghriwati is an engineer at the Syrian Scien- tific Studies and Research Centre. He is involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. He has been involved in the construction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian population in Syria. He is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
252.	Mohammad Darar KHALUDI (a.k.a. Mohammad Darar Khloudi) (محمد ضرار خلودي	Gender: male	Mohammad Darar Khaludi is an engineer at the Syrian Scien- tific Studies and Research Centre. He is involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. He has been involved in the construction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian population in Syria.	18.7.2017

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			He is also associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, a listed entity.	
253.	Khaled (خالد) SAWAN (حوال)	Gender: male	Dr. Khaled Sawan is an engineer at the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, which is involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. He has been involved in the con- struction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian population in Syria. He has been associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
254.	Raymond (لريبون) RIZQ (لريبون) (a.k.a. Raymond Rizk)	Gender: male	Raymond Rizq is an engineer at the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, involved in chemical weapons prolifera- tion and delivery. He has been involved in the construction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian popu- lation in Syria. He is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
255.	Fawwaz EL-ATOU (a.k.a. Fawaz Al Atto) (فواز الأطو)	Gender: male	Fawwaz El-Atou is a lab technician at the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. He has been involved in the con- struction of barrel bombs which have been used against the civilian population in Syria. He is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
256.	Fayez ASI (a.k.a. Fayez al-Asi) (فايز أسي)	Gender: male	Fayez Asi is a lab technician at the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre, involved in chemical weapons proliferation and delivery. He has been involved in the construction of bar- rel bombs which have been used against the civilian popula- tion in Syria. He is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017
257.	Hala SIRHAN (a.k.a. Halah Sirhan) (هلة سرحان)	Date of birth: 5.1.1953; Title: Doctor; Gender: female	Dr. Hala Sirhan works with Syrian Military Intelligence at the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre. She operated in Institute 3000, which is involved in chemical weapons prolif- eration. She is associated with the Syrian Scientific Studies and Re- search Centre, a listed entity.	18.7.2017

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258.	Mohamed Mazen Ali YOUSEF (محد مازن علي يومغ	Date of birth: 17.5.1969; Place of birth: Damascus Countryside, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Industry. Appointed in January 2018. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian popula- tion.	26.2.2018
.59.	Imad Abdullah SARA (عماد عبدالله سارة)	Date of birth: 1968; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Information. Appointed in January 2018.	26.2.2018
260.	Yusuf AJEEB (a.k.a. يوسف عجيب; Yousef; Ajib)	Position: Brigadier General; Doctor; Head of Se- curity Office, Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC); Address: Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), Barzeh Street, P.O. Box 4470, Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Syrian Armed Forces, in post after May 2011. Since 2012, he has been Head of Security for the Scientific Studies and Re-	19.3.2018
261.	Maher SULAIMAN (a.k.a. بماهر سليمان, Mahir; Suleiman)	Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Position: Doctor; Director of the Higher Institute for Applied Sciences and Technology; Address: Higher Institute for Applied Sciences and Technology (HIAST), P.O. Box 31983, Da- mascus, Syria; Gender: male	Director of the Higher Institute for Applied Sciences and Technology (HIAST), which provides training and support as part of the Syrian chemical weapons proliferation sector. Due to his senior position at the HIAST, which is an affiliate and subsidiary of the Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), he is associated with the HIAST and SSRC, both of which are designated entities.	19.3.2018
262.	Salam TOHME (a.k.a. ^{سلام طعية} ; Salim; Taame, Ta'mah, Toumah)	Position: Doctor; Deputy Director General, Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC); Address: Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), Barzeh Street, P.O. Box 4470, Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Deputy Director General of the Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), which is responsible for the development and production of non-conventional weapons, including chemical weapons, and the missiles to deliver them. Due to his senior position at SSRC, he is associated with the designated entity SSRC.	19.3.2018
263.	Zuhair FADHLUN (a.k.a. زهير فضلون; Zoher; Fadloun, Fadhloun)	Position: Head of Institute 3000 (a.k.a. Insti- tute 5000), Scientific Studies and Research Cen- tre (SSRC); Address: Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), Barzeh Street, P.O. Box 4470, Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Director of the branch of the Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC) that is known as Institute 3000 (a.k.a. Insti- tute 5000). In this role, he is responsible for chemical weapons projects, including production of chemical agents and muni- tions. Due to his senior position at SSRC, he is associated with designated entity SSRC.	19.3.2018

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264.	Houmam JAZA'IRI (a.k.a. Humam al-Jazaeri, Hammam al-Jazairi)	Date of birth: 1977; Gender: male	Former Minister of Economy and Foreign Trade in power after May 2011, then member of the board of Syriatel (un- til May 2019) which is designated by the Council. As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the violent re- pression of the Syrian people.	21.10.2014	.020
265.	Mohamad Amer MARDINI (a.k.a. Mohammad Amer Mardini)	Date of birth: 1959; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Higher Education in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014	
266.	Mohamad Ghazi JALALI (a.k.a. Mohammad Ghazi al-Jalali)	Date of birth: 1969; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Former Minister of Communications and Technology in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian re- gime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014	
267.	Issam KHALIL	Date of birth: 1965; Place of birth: Banias, Tartous Governorate, Syr- ia; Gender: male	Former Minister of Culture in power after May 2011 (appointed 27.8.2014). As a former Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	21.10.2014	
268.	Ghassan Ahmed GHANNAN (a.k.a. Major General Ghassan Ghannan, Brigadier General Ghassan Ahmad Ghanem)	Rank: Major General; Position: Commander of the 155th Missile Bri- gade; Gender: male	Member of the Syrian Armed Forces of the rank of Colonel and the equivalent or higher in post after May 2011. Major General and Commander of the 155th Missile Brigade. Asso- ciated with Maher al-Assad through his role in the 155th Missile Brigade. As Commander of the 155th Missile Brigade, he is supporting the Syrian regime and he is responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population. Responsible for firing scud missiles at various civilian sites between Janu- ary and March 2013.	21.10.2014	гиторуат отпол
269.	Abdelhamid Khamis ABDULLAH (a.k.a. Abdulhamid Khamis Abdullah; Hamid Khamis; Abdelhamid Khamis Ahmad Adballa)		Chairman of Overseas Petroleum Trading Company (OPT) which has been listed by the Council for benefiting from and supporting the Syrian regime. He coordinated shipments of oil to the Syrian regime with listed Syrian state oil company Sytrol. Therefore, he is benefitting from and providing sup- port to the Syrian regime. In view of his position as the most senior person in the entity, he is responsible for its activities.	21.10.2014	101 1001 T

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270.	Bashar Mohammad ASSI	Date of birth: 1977; Nationality: Syrian; Position: Chairman of the Board of Directors of Aman Damascus (until 2019); founding partner of Fly Aman Limited Liability airline; founder of the Aman Facilities company; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy, including his roles as founding partner of Fly Aman airline and, un- til May 2019, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Aman Damascus, a joint venture involved in the development of Marota City, a regime-backed luxury residential and com- mercial development. Assi benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime through his business activities. On 30.1.2020, he founded the Aman Facilities company with and on behalf of Samer Foz.	21.1.2019
271.	Khaled AL-ZUBAIDI (a.k.a. (Mohammed) Khaled/Khalid (Bassam) (al-) Zubaidi/Zubedi نالايلاي)	Nationality: Syrian; Position: Co-owner of Zubaidi and Qalei LLC; Director of Agar Investment Company; General Manager of Al Zubaidi company and Al Zubaidi & Al Taweet Contracting Company; Director and Owner of Zubaidi Development Company; co- owner of Enjaz Investment Company; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with significant investments in the construction industry, including a 50 % stake in Zubaidi and Qalei LLC, which is constructing the luxury tourist city Grand Town and to which the regime has granted a 45-year agreement in return for 19-21 % of its rev- enue. In this capacity he is linked to Nader Qalei. Khaled al- Zubaidi benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime through his business activities, in particular through this stake in the Grand Town development.	21.1.2019
274.	Nader QALEI (a.k.a. Kalai, Kalei)	Date of birth: 9.7.1965; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Nationality: Syrian; Passport number (including country that issued and date and place of issue): Syrian Arab Repub- lic; N 010170320; issue number: 002-15- L062672; date of issue: 24.5.2015; date of ex- piry: 23.5.2021; ID number: Syrian Arab Republic, 010- 40036453; Position: Majority shareholder of Castle Invest- ment Holding; co-owner of Zubaidi and Qalei LLC; Chairman of Kalai Industries Management; Relatives/business associates or partners/links to listed individuals: Khaled al-Zubaidi; Address: Young Avenue, Halifax, Canada; Gender: male	Qalei benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime through his business activities, in particular through this stake	21.1.2019

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275.	Major General Mohammad Khaled AL-RAHMOUN	Date of birth: 1957; Place of birth: Idleb, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of the Interior. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
276.	Mohammad Rami Radwan MARTINI	Date of birth: 1970; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Tourism. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
277.	Imad Muwaffaq AL-AZAB	Date of birth: 1970; Place of birth: Damascus Countryside, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Education. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
.78.	Bassam Bashir IBRAHIM	Date of birth: 1960; Place of birth: Hama, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Higher Education. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
79.	Suhail Mohammad ABDULLATIF	Date of birth: 1961; Place of birth: Lattakia, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Public Works and Housing. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
80.	Iyad Mohammad AL-KHATIB	Date of birth: 1974; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Communications and Technology. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019
281.	Mohammad Maen Zein-al-Abidin JAZBA	Date of birth: 1962; Place of birth: Aleppo, Syria; Gender: male	Minister of Industry. Appointed in November 2018. As a Government Minister, shares responsibility for the Syrian regime's violent repression of the civilian population.	4.3.2019

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282.	Anas TALAS (a.k.a. ^{طلس أنس} ; Anas Talous/Tals/Tuls/ Tlass)	Date of birth: 25.3.1971; Nationality: Syrian; Position: Chairman of the Talas Group; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy. Through his business activities and investments, Anas Talas also benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime. In 2018 the Talas Group, chaired by Anas Talas, entered into a SYP 23 billion joint venture with Damascus Cham Holding for the con- struction of Marota City, a regime-backed luxury residential and commercial development.	21.1.2019
283.	Mohammed Nazer JAMAL EDDIN (a.k.a. الدين جمال أحد نذير محمد, Nazir Ahmad, Mohammed JamalEddine)	Date of birth: 2.1.1962; Place of birth: Damascus, Syria; Nationality: Syrian; Passport number: N 011612445, issue no. 002- 17-L022286 (place of issue: Syrian Arab Repub- lic); ID Number: 010-30208342 (place of issue: Syr- ian Arab Republic); Position: Co-founder and majority shareholder of Apex Development and Projects LLC and founder of A'ayan Company for Projects and Equipment; Gender: male	Eddin benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime.	21.1.2019
284.	Mazin AL-TARAZI (a.k.a. ^{الترزي} ب ^{مازن} , Mazen al-Tarazi)	Date of birth: September 1962; Nationality: Syrian; Position: Businessperson; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with significant investments in the construction and aviation sectors. Through his investments and activities, Mazin al-Tarazi benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime. In particular, Mazin al- Tarazi has concluded a deal with Damascus Cham Holding for a USD 320 million investment in the construction of Marota City, a regime-backed luxury residential and commercial de- velopment. He has also been granted a licence for a private airline in Syria.	21.1.2019

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285.	Samer FOZ (a.k.a. Samir (سلمر) Foz (فوز)/Fawz; Samer Zuhair Foz)	Date of birth: May 1973; Place of birth: Latakia, Syria; Nationalities: Syrian, Turkish; Turkish Passport number: U 09471711 (place of issue Turkey; expiry date 21.7.2024); Position: CEO of Aman Group; Gender: male Other information: Executive President of Aman Group. Subsidi- aries: Foz for Trading, Al-Mohaimen for Trans- portation & Contracting. Aman Group is the pri- vate sector partner in joint venture Aman Damascus JSC with Damascus Cham Holding, in which Foz is an individual shareholder. Emmar Industries is a joint venture between Aman Group and the Hamisho Group, in which Foz has the majority stake and is the Chairman.		21.1.2019	
286.	Khaldoun AL-ZOUBI (a.k.a. Khaldoon al-Zu'bi; Khaldoun Zubi)	Date of birth: 1979; Nationality: Syrian; Position: Founder of Fly Aman Limited Liability and founding member of Asas Iron Company; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, with interests and activities in multiple sectors of Syria's economy, including his roles as Vice President of Aman Holding and majority share- holder of Fly Aman airline (until February 2019). In this ca- pacity, he is linked to Samer Foz. Aman Holding is represented on the board of, and holds a majority stake in, Aman Damas- cus, a joint venture in the construction of Marota City, a re- gime-backed luxury residential and commercial development. Al-Zoubi benefits from and/or supports the Syrian regime. Founding member of Asas Iron Company.	21.1.2019	
287.	Hussam AL-QATIRJI (a.k.a. Hussam/Hossam Ahmed/ Mohammed/Muhammad al-Katerji (حسام القاطر جي	Date of birth: 1982; Place of birth: Raqqa, Syria; Nationality: Syrian; Position: CEO of Katerji Group (a.k.a. Al-Qatirji Company/Qatirji Company/ Khatirji Group/Ka- terji International Group); Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria, who is also a Member of Parliament for Aleppo. Al-Qatirji supports and benefits from the Syrian regime through enabling, and prof- iting from, trade deals with the regime in relation to oil and wheat.	21.1.2019	

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288.	Yasser Aziz ABBAS (a.k.a. Yasser, Yaser, Yasr; Aziz, Aziz; Abbas, Abas; ياس عزيز عباس)	Date of birth: 22.8.1978; Nationality: Syrian; Relatives/business associates/entities or partners/ links: Bajaa Trading Services LLC; Qudrah Trad- ing; Tafawoq Tourism Projects Company; Top Business Yang King; Al-Aziz Group; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria. Supports and/or benefits from the Syrian regime through business dealings, including fuel smuggling and weapons transfers. Yasser Aziz Abbas profits from facilitating oil imports on behalf of the regime and uses his relations with the regime to obtain pre- ferential dealings and treatment.	17.2.2020
289.	Mahir Burhan Eddine AL-IMAM (ماهر بر مان الدي ال المام)	Date of birth: 22.8.1978; Nationality: Syrian; Position: General Manager of Telsa Group/Telsa Telecom; Relatives/business associates/entities or partners/ links: Telsa Group/Telsa Telecom; Tazamon Con- tracting LLC; Castro LLC; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria with business in- terests in tourism, telecommunications and real estate. As General Manager of the regime-backed Telsa Communication Group as well as of Castro LLC, and through his other business interests, Mahir Burhan Eddine al-Imam benefits from the Syrian regime and supports its financing and lobbying policy as well as its construction policy.	17.2.2020
290.	Anouar; al-Kattan, al-Katan, al-Qattan,	Date of birth: 4.3.1976; Nationality: Syrian; Position: President of Damascus Countryside (Rural) Province Chamber of Commerce; Relatives/business associates/entities or partners/ links: Larosa Furniture/Furnishing; Jasmine Fields Company Ltd.; Muruj Cham (Murooj al-Cham) Investment and Tourism Group; Adam and In- vestment LLC; Universal Market Company LLC; Treasurer of the Federation of Syrian Chambers of Commerce; Gender: male	Leading businessperson operating in Syria benefitting from and supporting the regime. Owner of multiple businesses and holding companies with interests and activities in various economic sectors such as real estate, luxury hotel industry and commercial centres. Waseem al-Kattan rose rapidly as a lead- ing businessman by imposing taxes on goods smuggled into Eastern Ghouta under siege, and is now involved in aggressive forms of clientelism to the benefit of the regime. Waseem al- Kattan benefits financially from favoured access to public tenders as well as to licences and contracts awarded by gov- ernment agencies as a result of his close ties to the regime.	17.2.2020
291.	Amer FOZ (a.k.a. عامر فوز)	Date of birth: 11.3.1976; Nationality: Syrian; Passport No: 06010274747; Position: General Manager of ASM International General Trading LLC (ASM International Trad- ing);	Leading businessperson with personal and family business in- terests and activities in multiple sectors of the Syrian econo- my, including through Aman Holding (formerly known as the Aman Group). Through Aman Holding, he benefits finan- cially from access to commercial opportunities and supports the Syrian regime, including through involvement in the re- gime-backed development of Marota City. Since 2012, he has also been General Manager of ASM International Trading LLC.	17.2.2020

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		links: Samer Foz; Aman Holding (Aman Damas-	He is also associated with his brother Samer Foz, who has been designated by the Council since January 2019 as a leading businessperson operating in Syria and for supporting or ben- efiting from the regime.	
292.	Saqr RUSTOM (a.k.a. Saqr, Saqer; As'ad, Asaad, Asad; al-Rustom, al-Rostom; صرقر رستم, صرقر أسعد الرستم)	Homs;	Head of the local branch of the National Defence Force in Homs (a regime militia - Shabiha). Responsible for its partici- pation in the brutal repression of the civilian population in Syria. Through his militia, Saqr Rustom is responsible for multiple war profiteering schemes and is therefore benefiting from and supporting the Syrian regime. Associated with de- signated person Bassam Hassan, his uncle, with whom he es- tablished the Damas Real Estate Development and Investment LLC in order to invest in real estate projects.	17.2.2020
293.	Abdelkader SABRA (a.k.a. Abdelkader, Abd el Kader, Abd al Kader, Abdul Kader Abd al Qadr, Abdul Qadr; Sabra, Sabrah; (عبد القادر صبر ا; عبد القادر صبر)	Position: Owner of Sabra Maritime Agency; head of the Syrian-Turkish Businessmen Council; founding partner of Phoenicia Tourism Com- pany; President of the Chamber of Maritime Na- vigation in Syria;	sociate of Rami Makhlouf (regime supporter and cousin of President Bashar al-Assad), Abdelkader Sabra provides finan- cial and economic support for the Syrian regime, including through offshore companies. Abdelkader Sabra also benefits from his ties to the regime, which have allowed him to expand his activities in the real estate sector. He is also involved in money laundering and commercial activities in support of the	17.2.2020
294.	Khodr Ali TAHER (a.k.a. خض رعلي طاه)	Date of birth: 1976; Nationality: Syrian; Position: Director and owner of Ella Media Ser- vices; founding partner of Castle Security and Protection and of Jasmine Contracting Company; Chairman and founding partner of the Syrian Hotel Management Company; Manager and owner of Ematel;		17.2.2020

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		links: Citadel for Protection; Guard and Security Ser- vices (Castle Security and protection); Ematel LLC (Ematel Communications); Syrian Hotel	Supports and benefits from the Syrian regime through coop- eration in his business activities and his involvement in smug- gling and profiteering activities. Khodr Ali Taher owns a num- ber of companies and has co-founded others. His involvement in business dealings with the regime includes entering into a joint venture with the Syrian Transport and Tourism Com- pany, of which the Ministry of Tourism owns a two-thirds stake.	
295.	Adel Anwar AL-OLABI (a.k.a. Adel Anouar el-Oulabi, Adil Anwar al-Olabi; عادل أن ور ال علبي)	Date of birth: 1976; Nationality: Syrian; Position: Vice Chairman of Damascus Cham Holding Company (DCHC); Governor of Damas- cus; Gender: male	Leading businessperson benefiting from and supporting the Syrian regime. Vice Chairman of Damascus Cham Holding Company (DCHC), the investment arm of the Governorate of Damascus managing the properties of the Governorate of Damascus and implementing the Marota City project. Adel Anwar al-Olabi is also the Governor of Damascus, ap- pointed by President Bashar al-Assad in November 2018. As Governor of Damascus and Vice Chair of DCHC, he is respon- sible for efforts to implement regime policies of developing expropriated land in Damascus (including Decree No. 66 and Law No. 10), most notably through the Marota City pro- ject.	17.2.2020

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	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
1.	Bena Properties		Controlled by Rami Makhlouf. Syria's largest real estate com- pany and the real estate and investment arm of Cham Holding: provides funding to the Syrian regime.	23.6.2011
2.	(a.k.a. Sunduq Al Mashrek Al Istithmari)	P.O. Box 108, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 112110059 / 963 112110043; Fax: +963 933333149	Controlled by Rami Makhlouf; provides funding to the Syrian regime.	23.6.2011

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3.	Hamcho International (a.k.a. Hamsho International Group)	Tel: +963 112316675; Fax: +963 112318875; Website: www.hamshointl.com;	Hamcho International is a large Syrian holding company owned by Mohammed Hamcho. Hamcho International benefits from and provides support to the Syrian regime and is associated with a person benefiting from and supporting the Syrian regime.	27.1.2015	020 EN
4.	Military Housing Establishment (a.k.a. MILIHOUSE)		Public works company controlled by Riyad Shalish and Min- istry of Defence; provides funding to the Syrian regime.	23.6.2011	
5.	Political Security Directorate		Syrian government agency directly involved in repression.	23.8.2011	Official Jou
6.	General Intelligence Directorate		Syrian government agency directly involved in repression.	23.8.2011	Official Journal of the European Union
7.	Military Intelligence Directorate		Syrian government agency directly involved in repression.	23.8.2011	European L
8.	Air Force Intelligence Agency		Syrian government agency directly involved in repression.	23.8.2011	Jnion
9.	IRGC Qods Force (a.k.a. Quds Force)	Teheran, Iran	The Qods (or Quds) Force is a specialist arm of the Iranian Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps (IRGC). The Qods Force is involved in providing equipment and support to help the Syrian regime suppress protests in Syria. The Qods Force has provided technical assistance, equipment and support to the Syrian security services to repress civilian protest movements.	23.8.2011	
10.	Mada Transport	Subsidiary of Cham Holding (Sehanya Dara'a Highway, P.O. Box 9525); Tel: +963 11 99 62	Economic entity financing the Syrian regime.	2.9.2011	L 168/115

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11.	Cham Investment Group	Subsidiary of Cham Holding (Sehanya Dara'a Highway, P.O. Box 9525); Tel: +963 11 99 62	Economic entity financing the Syrian regime.	2.9.2011
12.	Real Estate Bank	Insurance Building, Yousef al-Azmeh Square, Da- mascus, P.O. Box: 2337, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2456777 and 2218602; Fax: +963 11 2237938 and 2211186; Email: Publicrelations@reb.sy Website: www.reb.sy	State-owned bank providing financial support for the Syrian regime.	2.9.2011
13.	Addounia TV (a.k.a. Dounia TV)	Tel: +963 11 5667274; +963 11 5667271; Fax: +963 11 5667272; Website: http://www.addounia.tv; Relatives/business associates/entities or partner- s/links: SAMA TV (sister company); website: www.sama-tv.net	Addounia TV has incited violence against the civilian popu- lation in Syria.	23.9.2011
14.	Cham Holding	Cham Holding Building - Daraa Highway - Ash- rafiyat Sahnaya Rif Dimashq – Syria PO Box 9525; Tel: +963 11 9962; +963 11 668 14000; +963 11 673 1044; Fax: +963 11 673 1274; Email: info@chamholding.sy; Website: www.chamholding.sy	Controlled by Rami Makhlouf; second-largest holding com- pany in Syria, benefiting from and supporting the Syrian re- gime.	23.9.2011
15.	El-Tel. Co. (El-Tel. Middle East Company) (a.k.a. Abraj Tech)	Dair Ali Jordan Highway, P.O. Box 13052, Da- mascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2212345; Fax: +963 11 44694450; Email: sales@eltelme.com; Company owner: Maher Dsouki; Websites: www.eltelme.com, www.abrajtec.com	Manufacturing and supplying communication and transmis- sion towers and other equipment for the Syrian army.	23.9.2011
16.	Ramak Constructions Co.	Dara'a Highway, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 6858111; Mobile: +963 933 240231	Construction of military barracks, border post barracks and other buildings for army needs.	23.9.2011

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17.	Souruh Company (a.k.a. SOROH Al Cham Company)	Adra Free Zone Area, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 5327266; Mobile: +963 933 526812; +963 932 878282; Fax: +963 11 5316396; Email: sorohco@gmail.com; Website: http://sites.google.com/site/sorohco	Majority of the shares of the company are owned directly or indirectly by Rami Makhlouf.	23.9.2011	[
18.	Syriatel	Syriatel Mobile Telecom Building, Amman Road, Daraa Highway, Ashrafiyat Sahnaya Area, Da- mascus, Syria, P.O. Box 2900; Tel: +963 11 61 26 270; Fax: +963 11 23 73 97 19; Email: info@syriatel.com.sy; Website: http://syriatel.sy/	Controlled by Rami Makhlouf; provides financial support to the Syrian regime: through its licensing contract it pays 50 % of its profits to the Government.	23.9.2011	
19.	Cham Press TV	Al Qudsi building, 2nd Floor, Baramkeh, Damas- cus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2260805; Fax: +963 11 2260806; Email: mail@champress.com; Website: www.champress.net	Television channel which participates in campaigns to spread disinformation and incite violence against demonstrators.	1.12.2011	CITICAN LONDING OF THE PHOLOGINI
20.	Al Watan	Al Watan Newspaper, Damascus, Duty Free Zone; Tel: +963 11 2137400; Fax: +963 11 2139928	Daily newspaper which participates in campaigns to spread disinformation and incite violence against demonstrators.	1.12.2011	
21.	Centre d'études et de recherches syrien (CERS) (a.k.a. Centre d'Etude et de Recherche Scientifique (CERS); Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC); Centre de Recherche de Kaboun)	Barzeh Street, P.O. Box 4470, Damascus, Syria	Provides support to the Syrian army for the acquisition of equipment used for the surveillance and repression of demon- strators. Operating in the chemical weapons proliferation sector, it is the government entity responsible for developing and produ- cing non-conventional weapons, including chemical weap- ons, and the missiles to deliver them.	1.12.2011	
22.	Business Lab	Maysat Square, Al Rasafi Street Bldg. 9, P.O. Box 7155, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2725499; Fax: +963 11 2725399	Front company for the acquisition of sensitive equipment by the CERS.	1.12.2011	

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23.	Industrial Solutions	Baghdad Street 5, P.O. Box 6394, Damascus, Syria; Tel/Fax: +963 11 4471080	Front company for the acquisition of sensitive equipment by the CERS.	1.12.2011
24.	Mechanical Construction Factory (MCF)	P.O. Box 35202, Industrial Zone, Al-Qadam Road, Damascus, Syria	Front company for the acquisition of sensitive equipment by the CERS.	1.12.2011
25.	Syronics – Syrian Arab Co. for Electronic Industries	Kaboon Street, PO Box 5966, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 5111352; Fax: +963 11 5110117	Front company for the acquisition of sensitive equipment by the CERS.	1.12.2011
26.	Handasieh – Organization for Engineering Industries	P.O. Box 5966, Abou Bakr Al-Seddeq St., Damas- cus, Syria and P.O. Box 2849, Al-Moutanabi Street, Damascus, Syria and P.O. Box 21120, Baramkeh, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2121816; +963 11 2121834; +963 11 2214650; +963 11 2212743; +963 11 5110117		1.12.2011
7.	Syria Trading Oil Company (Sytrol)	Prime Minister Building, 17 Street Nissan, Da- mascus, Syria	State-owned company responsible for all oil exports from Syria. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	1.12.2011
8.	General Petroleum Corporation (GPC)	New Sham - Building of Syrian Oil Company, P. O. Box 60694, Damascus, Syria Tel: +963 11 3141635; Fax: +963 11 3141634; Email: info@gpc-sy.com	State-owned oil company. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	1.12.2011
.9.	Al Furat Petroleum Company	Dummar - New Sham -Western Dummer 1st. Is- land - Property 2299 - A.FPC Building P.O. Box 7660, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 6183333; +963 11 31913333; Fax: +963 11 6184444; +963 11 31914444; Email: afpc@afpc.net.sy	Joint venture 50 % owned by GPC. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	1.12.2011

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30.	Industrial Bank	Dar Al Muhanisen Building, 7th Floor, Maysaloun Street, P.O. Box 7572, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 222 8200; +963 11 2227910; Fax: +963 11 222 8412	State-owned bank. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
31.	Popular Credit Bank	Dar Al Muhanisen Building, 6th Floor, Maysaloun Street, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 222 7604; +963 11 221 8376; Fax: +963 11 2210124	State-owned bank. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
32.	Saving Bank (a.k.a. Savings Bank; formerly known as The General Establishment of Mail Saving Fund; formerly known as The Post Saving Fund)	Fax: +963 11 224 4909; +963 11 245 3471;	State-owned bank. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
33.	Agricultural Cooperative Bank (a.k.a. Al Masraf Al Zeraei Al Taweni; ACB)	Agricultural Cooperative Bank Building, Damascus Tajhez, P.O. Box 4325, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 221 3462; +963 112 22 1393; Fax: +963 11 224 1261; Website: www.agrobank.org		23.1.2012
34.	Syrian Lebanese Commercial Bank	Syrian Lebanese Commercial Bank Building, 6th Floor, Makdessi Street, Hamra, P.O. Box 11-8701 , Beirut, Lebanon; Tel: +961 1 741666; Fax: +961 1 738228; +961 1 753215; +961 1 736629; Website: www.slcb.com.lb		23.1.2012
35.	Deir ez-Zur Petroleum Company	Dar Al Saadi Building 1st, 5th, and 6th Floor Zillat Street Mazza Area, P.O. Box 9120, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 662 1175; +963 11 662 1400; Fax: +963 11 662 1848	Joint venture of GPC. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
36.	Ebla Petroleum Company (a.k.a. Ebco)	Head Office Mazzeh Villat Ghabia Dar Es Saada 16, P.O. Box 9120, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 6691100	Joint venture of GPC. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012

	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
37.	Dijla Petroleum Company	Building No. 653 – 1st Floor, Daraa Highway, P. O. Box 81, Damascus, Syria	Joint venture of GPC. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.1.2012
38.	Central Bank of Syria	Sabah Bahrat Square, Damascus, Syria Postal address: Altjreda al Maghrebeh Square, Da- mascus, Syria, P.O. Box: 2254	Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	27.2.2012
39.	Syrian Petroleum Company	Dummar Province, Expansion Square, Island 19- Building 32, Syria P.O. Box: 2849 or 3378; Tel: +963 11 3137935 or 3137913; Fax: +963 11 3137979 or 3137977; Email: spccom2@scs-net.org or spccom1@scs-net.org; Websites: www.spc.com.sy or www.spc-sy.com	State-owned oil company. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.3.2012
40.	Mahrukat Company (The Syrian Company for the Storage and Distribution of Petroleum Products)	Headquarters: Al Adawi St., Petroleum building, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 44451348 – 4451349; Fax: +963 11 4445796; Email: mahrukat@net.sy; Website: http://www.mahrukat.gov.sy/indexeng.php	State-owned oil company. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.3.2012
41.	General Organisation of Tobacco	Salhieh Street 616, Damascus, Syria	Provides financial support to the Syrian regime. The General Organisation of Tobacco is wholly owned by the Syrian state. The profits that the organisation makes, including through the sale of licences to market foreign brands of tobacco and taxes levied on imports of foreign brands of tobacco, are transferred to the Syrian state.	15.5.2012
42.	Ministry of Defence	Umayyad Square, Damascus, Syria Tel: +963 11 7770700	Syrian government branch directly involved in repression.	26.6.2012
43.	Ministry of Interior	Merjeh Square, Damascus, Syria Tel: +963 11 2219400; +963 11 2219401; +963 11 2220220; +963 11 2210404	Syrian government branch directly involved in repression.	26.6.2012

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44.	Syrian National Security Bureau		Syrian government branch and element of the Syrian Ba'ath Party. Directly involved in repression. It directed Syrian se- curity forces to use extreme force against demonstrators.	26.6.2012
16.	General Organisation of Radio and TV (a.k.a. Syrian Directorate General of Radio & Television Est; General Radio and Television Corporation; Radio and Television Corporation; GORT)	Syria; Tel: +963 11 223 4930	State-run agency subordinate to Syria's Ministry of Informa- tion and as such supports and promotes its information pol- icy. It is responsible for operating Syria's state-owned televi- sion channels, two terrestrial and one satellite, as well as government radio stations. The GORT has incited violence against the civilian population in Syria, serving as a propa- ganda instrument for the Syrian regime and spreading disin- formation.	26.6.2012
47.	Syrian Company for Oil Transport (a.k.a. Syrian Crude Oil Transportation Company; SCOT; a.k.a. SCOTRACO)	Banias Industrial Area, Latakia Entrance Way, P. O. Box 1 3, Banias, Syria; Website: www.scot-syria.com; Email: scot50@scn-net.org	Syrian state-owned oil company. Provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	26.6.2012
48.	Drex Technologies S.A.	Incorporation date: 4.7.2000; Incorporation number: 394678; Director: Rami Makhlouf; Registered agent: Mossack Fonseca & Co (BVI) Ltd	Drex Technologies is wholly owned by Rami Makhlouf, who is listed under EU sanctions for providing financial support to the Syrian regime. Rami Makhlouf uses Drex Technologies to facilitate and manage his international financial holdings, in- cluding a majority share in SyriaTel, which the EU has pre- viously listed on the grounds that it also provides financial support to the Syrian regime.	24.7.2012
49.	Cotton Marketing Organisation	Bab Al-Faraj, P.O. Box 729, Aleppo, Syria Tel.: +963 21 2239495/6/7/8; Email: Cmo-aleppo@mail.sy; Website: www.cmo.gov.sy	State-owned company. Provides financial support to the Syr- ian regime.	24.7.2012
50.	Syrian Arab Airlines (a.k.a. SAA; Syrian Air)	Al-Mohafazeh Square, P.O. Box 417, Damascus, Syria; Tel: +963 11 2240774	Public company controlled by the Syrian regime. Provides fi- nancial support for the regime.	24.7.2012

	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
52.	Megatrade	Aleppo Street, P.O. Box 5966, Damascus, Syria; Fax: +963 11 4471081	Acts as a proxy for the Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), which is listed. Involved in trade in dual use goods prohibited by EU sanctions for the Syrian government.	16.10.2012
3.	Expert Partners	Rukn Addin, Saladin Street, Building 5, P.O. Box 7006, Damascus, Syria	Acts as a proxy for the Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC), which is listed. Involved in trade in dual use goods prohibited by EU sanctions for the Syrian government.	16.10.2012
4.	Overseas Petroleum Trading (a.k.a. Overseas Petroleum Trading SAL (Off-Shore); Overseas Petroleum Company)		Providing support to the Syrian regime and benefitting from the regime by organising covert shipments of oil to the Syrian regime. Controlled by Abdelhamid Khamis Abdullah (Chair- man) who has been designated by the Council, and therefore associated with him.	23.7.2014
6.	The Baniyas Refinery Company (a.k.a. Banias; Banyas)	Banias Refinery Building, 26 Latkia Main Road, Tartous, P.O. Box 26, Syria	Subsidiary of the General Corporation for Refining and Dis- tribution of Petroleum Products (GCRDPP), a section of the Ministry of Petroleum and Mineral Resources. As such it pro- vides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.7.2014
7.	The Homs Refinery Company (a.k.a Hims, General Company for Homs Refinery)	General Company for Homs Refinery Building, 352 Tripoli Street, Homs, P.O. Box 352, Syria	Subsidiary of the General Corporation for Refining and Dis- tribution of Petroleum Products (GCRDPP), a section of the Ministry of Petroleum and Mineral Resources. As such it pro- vides financial support to the Syrian regime.	23.7.2014
8.	Army Supply Bureau	P.O. Box 3361, Damascus, Syria	Involved in the procurement of military equipment for the Syrian regime, and therefore responsible for the violent re- pression of the civilian population in Syria. Branch of the Syrian Ministry of Defence.	23.7.2014
59.		Or Al-Hameh, Damascus Countryside, P.O. Box 2230, Syria	Involved in the procurement of military equipment for the Syrian regime, and therefore responsible for the violent re- pression of the civilian population in Syria. Branch of the Syrian Ministry of Defence.	23.7.2014

	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing	27.7.2020
60.	Higher Institute for Applied Sciences and Technology (HIAST) (والتكثولوجيا المعد العالي الطوم التطبيقية) (a.k.a. Institut Supérieur des Sciences Appliquées et de Technologie (ISSAT))		Affiliated to and a subsidiary of the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC) which is already designated by the Council. It provides training and support to the SSRC and is therefore responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population.	23.7.2014	
61.	National Standards & Calibration La- boratory (NSCL)	P.O. Box 4470, Damascus, Syria	Affiliated to and a subsidiary of the Syrian Scientific Studies and Research Centre (SSRC) which is already designated by the Council. It provides training and support to the SSRC and is therefore responsible for the violent repression of the civilian population.	23.7.2014	c
62.	El Jazireh (a.k.a. Al Jazerra)	Shaheen Building, 2nd floor, Sami el Solh, Beirut, Lebanon; Sector of hydrocarbons	Owned or controlled by Ayman Jaber, therefore associated with a designated person.	23.7.2014	ภาาตา) การการก
63.	Pangates International Corp Ltd (a.k.a. Pangates)	P.O. Box 8177, Sharjah Airport International Free Zone, United Arab Emirates	Acts as an intermediary in the supply of oil to the Syrian re- gime. Therefore, it is providing support to and benefiting from the Syrian regime. It is also associated with listed Syrian oil company Sytrol.	21.10.2014	опистат јонглат от пле вигореан отпол
65.	Organisation for Technological Industries (OTI) (a.k.a. Technical Industries Corporation (TIC))	P.O. Box 11037, Damascus, Syria	Subsidiary of the Syrian Ministry of Defence, which has been designated by the Council. OTI is involved in the production of chemical weapons for the Syrian regime. It is therefore responsible for the violent repression of the Syr- ian population. As a subsidiary of the Ministry of Defence, it is also associated with a designated entity.	7.3.2015	CHIOH
66.	Syrian Company for Information Technology (SCIT)	P.O. Box 11037, Damascus, Syria	Subsidiary of the Organisation for Technological Industries (OTI) and therefore the Syrian Ministry of Defence, which have been designated by the Council. It also works with the Central Bank of Syria which has been designated by the Coun- cil. As a subsidiary of OTI and the Ministry of Defence, SCIT is associated with these designated entities.	7.3.2015	L 100/123

	Name	Identifying information	Reasons	Date of listing
67.	Hamsho Trading (a.k.a. Hamsho Group; Hmisho Trading Group; Hmisho Economic Group)		Subsidiary of Hamsho International, which has been desig- nated by the Council. As such, Hamsho Trading is associated with a designated en- tity, Hamsho International. Supports the Syrian regime through its subsidiaries, including Syria Steel. Through its subsidiaries it is associated with groups such as the pro-regime Shabiha militias.	7.3.2015
72.	Rawafed Damascus Private Joint Stock Company (a.k.a. Rawafed/Rawafid/Rawafed (Tributary) اللالغ Damascus Private Joint Stock Company)	Damascus, Syria	A USD 48,3 million joint venture between Damascus Cham Holding, Ramak Development and Humanitarian Projects, Al- Ammar LLC, Timeet Trading LLC (a.k.a. Ultimate Trading Co. Ltd.) and Wings Private JSC. Rawafed supports and/or benefits from the Syrian regime, including through its participation in the regime-backed luxury development Marota City.	21.1.2019
73.	Aman Damascus Joint Stock Company (a.k.a. Aman Damascus JSC)	Damascus, Syria	A USD 18,9 million joint venture between Damascus Cham Holding and Aman Group. Through its participation in the regime-backed luxury development Marota City, Aman Da- mascus supports and/or benefits from the Syrian regime.	21.1.2019
74.	Bunyan Damascus Private Joint Stock Company (a.k.a. Bunyan Damascus Private JSC)	Damascus, Syria	A USD 34,8 million joint venture between Damascus Cham Holding and Apex Development and Projects LLC and Ta- mayoz LLC. Through its participation in the regime-backed luxury development Marota City, Bunyan Damascus Private Joint Stock Company supports and/or benefits from the Syr- ian regime.	21.1.2019
75.	Mirza	Damascus, Syria	A USD 52,7 million joint venture between Damascus Cham Holding and Talas Group. Through its participation in the re- gime-backed luxury development Marota City, Mirza supports and/or benefits from the Syrian regime.	21.1.2019

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77.	Al Qatarji Company (a.k.a. Qatarji International Group; Al-Sham and Al-Darwish Company; Khatirji/Katarji/Katerji Group; (مجموعة/شركة قاطر خي	Type of entity: private company; Business sector: import/export; trucking; supply of oil and commodities; Name of Director/Management: Hussam al-Qa- tirji, CEO (designated by the Council); Ultimate beneficial owner: Hussam al-Qatirji (de- signated by the Council); Registered address: Mazzah, Damascus, Syria; Relatives/business associates/entities or partner- s/links: Arvada/Arfada Petroleum Company JSC	Prominent company operating across multiple sectors of the Syrian economy. By facilitating fuel, arms and ammunition trade between the regime and various actors including ISIS (Daesh) under the pretext of importing and exporting food items, supporting militias fighting alongside the regime and taking advantage of its ties with the regime to expand its commercial activity, Al Qatarji Company – whose board is headed by designated person Hussam al-Qatarji, a member of the Syrian People's Assembly – supports and benefits from the Syrian regime.	17.2.2020
78.	Damascus Cham Holding Company (a.k.a. Damascus Cham Private Joint Stock Company; الىقابىضة الىشام دمشق)	Business sector: real estate development; Name of Director/Management: Adel Anwar al- Olabi, Vice-Chair of the Board of Directors and Governor of Damascus (designated by the Coun- cil); Ultimate beneficial owner: Governorate of Da- mascus; Relatives/business associates/entities or partner-	real estate project based on expropriated land under Decree No. 66 and Law No. 10 in particular. By managing the implementation of Marota City, Damascus Cham Holding (whose Vice-Chair is the Governor of Damas- cus) supports and benefits from the Syrian regime and pro- vides benefits to businesspeople with close ties to the regime who have struck lucrative deals with this entity through pub-	17.2.2020'

29.5.2020

COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING DECISION (CFSP) 2020/720

of 28 May 2020

implementing Decision 2013/798/CFSP concerning restrictive measures against the Central African Republic

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on European Union, and in particular Article 31(2) thereof,

Having regard to Council Decision 2013/798/CFSP of 23 December 2013 concerning restrictive measures against the Central African Republic (¹), and in particular Article 2c thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy,

Whereas:

(1) On 23 December 2013, the Council adopted Decision 2013/798/CFSP.

- (2) On 5 May 2020, the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) Committee established pursuant to UNSC Resolution 2127 (2013) updated the information relating to one person subject to restrictive measures.
- (3) The Annex to Decision 2013/798/CFSP should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Annex to Decision 2013/798/CFSP is hereby amended as set out in the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.

Done at Brussels, 28 May 2020.

For the Council The President G. GRLIĆ RADMAN

^{(&}lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 352, 24.12.2013, p. 51.

ANNEX

In the list set out in Part A (Persons) of the Annex to Decision 2013/798/CFSP, the entry for Martin KOUMTAMADJI is replaced by the following:

'13. Martin KOUMTAMADJI (alias: a) Abdoulaye Miskine b) Abdoullaye Miskine c) Martin Nadingar Koumtamadji d) Martin Nkoumtamadji e) Martin Koumta Madji f) Omar Mahamat)

Designation: President and commander-in-chief of the Front Démocratique du Peuple Centrafricain (FDPC)

Date of birth: a) 5 October 1965 b) 3 March 1965

Place of birth: a) Ndïnaba, Chad b) Kobo, Central African Republic (c) Kabo, Central African Republic

Nationality: a) Chad b) Central African Republic c) Congo

Passport no: a) 06FBO2262 (CAR diplomatic passport) issued on 22 February 2007, expired on 21 February 2012 b) Congo service passport number SA0020249, issued on 22 January 2019, expires on 21 January 2022

Address: Am Dafock, Vakaga prefecture, Central African Republic (last known location)

Date of UN designation: 20 April 2020

Other information: Martin Koumtamadji founded the FDPC in 2005. He joined the Séléka coalition in December 2012 before leaving it in April 2013 after the rebels took power in Bangui. After being arrested in Cameroon, he was then transferred to Brazzaville in the Republic of Congo. He always remained in command of his troops on the ground in the CAR even when he was in Brazzaville before returning to the CAR (between November 2014 and 2019). The FDPC signed the Political Agreement for Peace and Reconciliation in the CAR on 6 February 2019 but Martin Koumtamadji remains a threat to the peace, stability and security of the CAR. 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.

Information from the narrative summary of reasons for listing provided by the Sanctions Committee:

President and commander-in-chief of the Front Démocratique du Peuple Centrafricain (FDPC, an armed group engaged in violent activities), Martin Koumatamadji has engaged in acts threatening the peace, stability and security of the CAR and, in particular, the implementation of the Political Agreement for Peace and Reconciliation in CAR signed on 6 February 2019 in Bangui.

He refused the disarmament of FDPC combatants, as per his commitments as a signatory of the Political Agreement for Peace and Reconciliation in the CAR, and threatened to overthrow President Touadéra in July 2019.

He began cooperating with sanctioned individual Nourredine Adam (CFi.002) in June 2019 and engaged in arms trafficking with a close associate of Nourredine Adam, in order to build up the military capabilities of the FDPC.

He also made an offer to the Front Populaire pour la Renaissance de la Centrafrique (FPRC) to carry out a military operation with his armed group during the fighting in Vakaga prefecture in 2019.

He continued to impede the restoration of state authority in the areas of operation of the FPDC by maintaining illegal roadblocks to extort cattle herders, economic actors (including gold mining companies operating in the Nana-Mambéré prefecture), and travellers.

Under his leadership, the FDPC committed acts that constituted human rights abuses or violations in the Nana-Mambéré prefecture, including attacks directed against civilians in April 2019, abductions of civilians in March 2019 (near Zoukombo) and acts of sexual and gender-based violence in May 2019 (in Bagary). In 2017, the FDPC also committed 14 acts of sexual violence in conflict.

Between 2016 and 2019, the FDPC recruited children to serve as soldiers in armed conflict and forced eleven girls into marriage with FDPC members.

In March 2019, he was involved in obstructing the delivery of humanitarian assistance when the FDPC, under Miskine's leadership, conducted a series of attacks on the main road into Bangui from Cameroon.

Finally, FDPC elements skirmished with MINUSCA in April 2019 near Zoukombo (Nana-Mambéré prefecture) and on the Bouar-Beleko axis.'

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