

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**Office of Foreign Assets Control****Notice of OFAC Sanctions Action**

AGENCY: Office of Foreign Assets Control, Treasury.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) is publishing the names of one or more persons that have been placed on OFAC's Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons List (SDN List) based on OFAC's determination that one or more

applicable legal criteria were satisfied. All property and interests in property subject to U.S. jurisdiction of these persons are blocked, and U.S. persons are generally prohibited from engaging in transactions with them.

DATES: This action was issued on January 13, 2025. See Supplementary Information for relevant dates.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: OFAC: Associate Director for Global Targeting, 202-622-2420; Assistant Director for Licensing, 202-622-2480; Assistant Director for Sanctions Compliance, 202-622-2490 or <https://ofac.treasury.gov/contact-ofac>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Electronic Availability

The SDN List and additional information concerning OFAC sanctions programs are available on OFAC's website: <https://ofac.treasury.gov>.

Notice of OFAC Action

On January 13, 2025, OFAC determined that the property and interests in property subject to U.S. jurisdiction of the following persons are blocked under the relevant sanctions authority listed below.

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Entities

1. JORDANIAN MUSLIM BROTHERHOOD (a.k.a. MUSLIM BROTHERHOOD GROUP (Arabic: جماعة الإخوان المسلمين); a.k.a. MUSLIM BROTHERHOOD IN JORDAN (Arabic: الإخوان المسلمين في الأردن); a.k.a. MUSLIM BROTHERHOOD SOCIETY), Amman, Jordan; Secondary sanctions risk: section 1(b) of Executive Order 13224, as amended by Executive Order 13886; Organization Established Date 1945; Organization Type: Advocacy organization [SDGT] (Linked To: HAMAS).

Designated pursuant to section 1(a)(iii)(C) of E.O. 13224 of September 23, 2001, "Blocking Property and Prohibiting Transactions With Persons Who Commit, Threaten To Commit, or Support Terrorism," 66 FR 49079, 3 CFR, 2001 Comp., p. 786, as amended by Executive Order 13886 of September 9, 2019, "Modernizing Sanctions To Combat Terrorism," 84 FR 48041, 3 CFR, 2019 Comp., p. 356 (E.O. 13224, as amended), for having materially assisted, sponsored, or provided financial, material, or technological support for, or goods or services to or in support of, HAMAS, a person whose property and interests in property are blocked pursuant to E.O. 13224.

2. EGYPTIAN MUSLIM BROTHERHOOD (Arabic: الإخوان المسلمون), Egypt; Website www.ikhwaonline.com; alt. Website www.ikhwanweb.com; Secondary sanctions risk: section 1(b) of Executive Order 13224, as amended by Executive Order 13886; Organization Established Date 1928; Organization Type: Advocacy organization [SDGT] (Linked To: HAMAS).

Designated pursuant to section 1(a)(iii)(C) of E.O. 13224, as amended, for having materially assisted, sponsored, or provided financial, material, or technological support for, or goods or services to or in support of, HAMAS, a person whose property and interests in property are blocked pursuant to E.O. 13224.

Bradley T. Smith,

Director, Office of Foreign Assets Control.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**Office of Foreign Assets Control****Notice of OFAC Sanctions Actions**

AGENCY: Office of Foreign Assets Control, Treasury.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) is publishing updates to the identifying information of one or more entries currently included on OFAC's Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons List (SDN List) and

Sectoral Sanctions Identifications List (SSI List).

DATES: See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** for relevant dates.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: OFAC: Associate Director for the Office of Sanctions Support and Operations, 202–622–6943; Associate Director for Global Targeting, 202–622–2420; or <https://ofac.treasury.gov/contact-ofac>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Electronic Availability

The SDN List, SSI List, and additional information concerning OFAC sanctions programs are available on OFAC's website: <https://ofac.treasury.gov>.

Notice of OFAC Actions

On January 8, 2026, OFAC updated the following names to improve data standardization and consistency and/or to correct records that were published with minor errors. The names and relevant sanctions authorities listed at the URL below: <https://ofac.treasury.gov/recent-actions/20260108>.

(Authority: 31 CFR chapter V.)

Bradley T. Smith,

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Department of the Treasury.*

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Privacy Act of 1974; Systems of Records

AGENCY: Office of Enterprise Integration (OEI), Department of Veterans Affairs (VA).

ACTION: Notice of a modified system of records.

SUMMARY: As required by the Privacy Act of 1974, notice is hereby given that VA is amending the system of records titled “Veterans, Dependents of Veterans, and VA Beneficiary Survey Records—VA” (43VA008) as set forth in the **Federal Register**. This system is used to collect data regarding the characteristics of America’s Veteran, Service member, family member, and beneficiary populations through surveys that may be augmented with information from several existing VA systems of records and with information from non-VA sources.

DATES: Comments on this modified system of records must be received no later than 30 days after date of publication in the **Federal Register**. If no public comment is received during

the period allowed for comment or unless otherwise published in the **Federal Register** by VA, the modified system of records will become effective a minimum of 30 days after date of publication in the **Federal Register**. If VA receives public comments, VA shall review the comments to determine whether any changes to the notice are necessary.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted through www.Regulations.gov or mailed to VA Privacy Service, 810 Vermont Avenue NW, (005X6F), Washington, DC 20420. Comments should indicate that they are submitted in response to “Veterans, Dependents of Veterans, and VA Beneficiary Survey Records” (43VA008). Comments received will be available at regulations.gov for public viewing, inspection or copies.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: OEI, Privacy Officer, VA, 810 Vermont Ave NW, Washington, DC 20420; telephone 202–461–5800.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: VA is amending the System Location; Policies and Practices for Storage of Records; Policies and Practices for Retrieval of Records; Policies and Practices for Retention and Disposal of Records; Safeguards; System Manager; Record Access Procedures; Contesting Records Procedures; Notification Procedures; and Routine Uses.

System Location has been updated to add “Electronic records for “Veterans Signals” are stored within the Medallia FedRAMP High Rated AWS GovCloud. Cloud service hosting within the Amazon Web Service GovCloud primary sits in US-Gov-West-1 with duplication in US-Gov-West-2.”

Policies and Practices for Storage of Records is being updated to include “VSignals is implemented on Medallia GovCloud that is hosted on AWS GovCloud, though the physical segregation cannot be specified as it is a cloud implementation. VA sensitive information that includes health information is stored logically segregated and secured. All Medallia implemented VA programs are hosted within its own logically segregated VPC (virtual private cloud) and not shared with any other agency customer. The VSignals instance is implemented with its dedicated embedded database and that is only accessible via a specific application interface. Requestors of stored health and non-health information within VA, or from external individuals, contractors, organizations, and/or agencies with whom VA has a contract or agreement, must provide an equivalent level of security protection

and comply with current VA policies and procedures for storage and transmission as codified in VA directives such as but not limited to VA Handbook 6500, *Information Security Program and Handbook 6513 Secured Connections.*”

Policies and Practices for Retrieval of Records is being updated to state “Records in this system are retrieved by name, address, social security number, date of birth, military service number, claim or file number, Department of Defense identification numbers, or other personal identifiers.

Policies and Practices for Retention and Disposal of Records is being updated to state “Records are maintained and disposed of in accordance with the records disposition authority DAA–GRS–2016–0003–0002 approved by the Archivist of the United States, Records Control Schedule 10–1, Item number 150.”

Safeguards has been updated to include “VSignals does not allow physical and direct access to databases and storage devices. All access to data is via VA Single Sign On configuration on a web interface by authorized, certified VA employees who have been granted access through product owner approval.”

System Manager has been updated to state “OEI’s System Manager is Executive Director, Lisa Rosenmerkel, Lisa.Rosenmerkel@va.gov. Office of Enterprise Integration, Data Governance and Analytics (008B1), VA Central Office, 810 Vermont Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20420.”

For Further Information Contact has been updated to include “Ronell.Smith@va.gov.”

Record Access Procedures has been updated to state “Individuals seeking information on the existence and content of records in this system pertaining to them should contact the system manager in writing as indicated above or may write or visit the VA facility location where they normally receive their care. A request for access to records must contain the requester’s full name, address, telephone number, and signature, and describe the records sought in sufficient detail to enable VA personnel to locate them with a reasonable amount of effort.”

Contesting Records Procedures has been updated to state “Individuals seeking to contest or amend records in this system pertaining to them should contact the system manager in writing as indicated above or may write or visit the VA facility location where they normally receive their care. A request to contest or amend records must state clearly and concisely what record is