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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

THE UNITED NATIONS ACT, NO. 45 OF 1968

**Subsequent Amendments to the Consolidated List under Regulation 4(2) (b) of the United Nations
Regulations No. 2 of 2012**

The subsequent amendments, made on 27 February 2026 to the Consolidated List published in the *Gazette* Extraordinary No. 1814/14 of June 11, 2013, of designated persons, referred to in Regulation 4(2) (b) of the United Nations Regulations No. 2 of 2012 published in the *Gazette* Extraordinary No. 1760/40 of May 31, 2012, shall be as specified in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

Additions

A. Individuals

NA

B. Entities and other groups

NA

Deletions

A. Individuals

NA



B. Entities and other groups

QDe.137 Name: AL-NUSRAH FRONT FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE LEVANT

Name (original script): جبهة النصره لأهل الشام

A.k.a.: a) (النصرة جبهة) the Victory Front; Jabhat al-Nusra; Jabhet al-Nusra; Al-Nusra Front; Al-Nusra Front) b) (الشام فتح جبهة) Jabhat Fath al Sham; Jabhat Fath al-Sham; Jabhat Fatah al-Sham; Jabhat Fateh Al-Sham; Fatah al-Sham Front; Fateh al-Sham Front) c) Conquest of the Levant Front d) The Front for the Liberation of al Sham e) Front for the Conquest of Syria/the Levant f) Front for the Liberation of the Levant g) Front for the Conquest of Syria h) (المجاهدين أنصار شبكة) Ansar al-Mujahideen Network - sub-unit name) i) (مجاهدو الجهاد ساحات في الشام) Levantine Mujahideen on the Battlefields of Jihad - sub-unit name)

F.k.a.: na **Address:** a) Syrian Arab Republic (Operates in) b) Iraq (Support network) **Listed on:** 14 May 2014 (amended on 7 Jun. 2017) **Other information:** Associated with Al-Qaida (QDe.004). Brought Syrian and foreign Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115) and Asbat al-Ansar (QDe.007) fighters, along with other foreign Al-Qaida operatives, to join local elements in Syrian Arab Republic to carry out terrorist and guerrilla operations there. Previously associated with the Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (ISIL), listed as Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115), and its leader Ibrahim Awwad Ibrahim Ali al-Badri al-Samarrai (QDi.299) but separated from that group in 2013. In Jul. 2016, Abu Mohammed Al-Jawlani (QDi.317), the leader of Al-Nusra Front for the People of the Levant, announced the group had changed its name to Jabhat Fath al-Sham and was no longer affiliated with any external entity. Despite the announcement and attempts to distinguish itself from Al-Nusra Front for the People of the Levant, the group remains aligned with Al-Qaida and continues to carry out terrorist operations under this new name. Previously listed between 30 May 2013 and 13 May 2014 as an aka of Al-Qaida in Iraq (QDe.115)

Amendments

A. Individuals

NA

B. Entities and other groups

NA

Air Vice Marshal SAMPATH THUYACONTHA (Retd),
WWV RWP and two Bars, RSP and Bar,
USP, MMSc (Strat Stu-China), MSc (Def Stu) in Mgt.,
MSc (Def & Strat Stu), fndu (China), psc,
Secretary,
Ministry of Defence.
Competent Authority.

Colombo,
19th March, 2026.

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