

## **Financial Sanctions Notice**

23/06/2015

# Syria

### Introduction

1. Council Regulation (EU) 36/2012 ("the Regulation") imposing financial sanctions against Syria has been amended so that an asset freeze no longer applies to the person listed in the Annex to this Notice.

#### Notice summary (Full details are provided in the Annex to this Notice)

- 2. The following entry has been <u>removed</u> from the consolidated list and is no longer subject to an asset freeze.
  - AL-ASSAD, Fawwaz (Group ID: 11904)

#### Legislative details

- On 23 June 2015 Council Implementing Regulation (EU) No 2015/961 ("the Amending Regulation") was published in the Official Journal of the European Union (O.J. L 157, 23.6.2015, p.20) by the Council of the European Union.
- 4. The Amending Regulation amended Annex II to the Regulation with effect from 24 June 2015.

#### **Further Information**

5. A copy of the Amending Regulation can be obtained from the website of the Official Journal of the European Union:

http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=OJ:JOL\_2015\_157\_R\_0002&from=EN

6. Copies of relevant Releases, certain EU Regulations, and UK legislation can be obtained from the Syria financial sanctions page on the GOV.UK website:

https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/financial-sanctions-regime-specificconsolidated-lists-and-releases

- 7. Please note there are also import and export restrictions on Syria. Further guidance on export and trade sanctions is available from the GOV.UK website: <u>https://www.gov.uk/sanctions-embargoes-and-restrictions.</u>
- 8. Please see the FAQs for more information around financial sanctions: <u>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/financial-sanctions-faqs</u>

#### Enquiries

9. Non-media enquiries, reports and licence applications should be addressed to:

Financial Sanctions HM Treasury 1 Horse Guards Road London SW1A 2HQ E-mail: <u>financialsanctions@hmtreasury.gsi.gov.uk</u>

- 10. Media enquiries about how financial sanctions are implemented in the UK should be addressed to the Treasury Press Office on 020 7270 5238.
- 11. Media enquiries about the sanctions measures themselves should be addressed to the Foreign and Commonwealth Office Press Office on 020 7008 3100.

### ANNEX TO NOTICE

# FINANCIAL SANCTIONS: SYRIA COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) No 2015/961

#### AMENDING ANNEX II TO COUNCIL REGULATION (EU) No 36/2012

#### DELISTING

#### <u>Individual</u>

1. AL-ASSAD, Fawwaz DOB: 18/06/1962. POB: Kerdala Passport Details: 88238 Listed on: 10/05/2011 Last Updated: 23/06/2015 Group ID: 11904.

HM Treasury

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