

# NATIONAL SANCTIONS SECRETARIAT

## Notice under section 18(1)(a) of the United Nations (Financial Prohibitions, Arms Embargo and Travel Ban) Sanctions Act 2019

### Amendment of One Entry on the 1988 Sanctions List

Notice is hereby given that on **27 August 2026**, the United Nations Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution **1988 (2011)** enacted the amendments specified with strikethrough and/or underline in the entry below on its **1988** List of individuals and entities subject to the assets freeze, travel ban and arms embargo set out in paragraph 1 of Security Council resolution 2816 (2026), and adopted under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations:

#### **A. Individuals**

**TAi.027 Name:** 1: ABDUL SALAM 2: HANAFI 3: ALI MARDAN 4: QUL

**Name (original script):** عبدالسلام حنفي على مردان قل

**Title:** a) Mullah b) Maulavi **Designation:** Deputy Minister of Education under the Taliban regime (1996-2001) **DOB:** a) Approximately 1968 b) 1 Jan. 1969 **POB:** a) Darzab District, Faryab Province, Afghanistan b) Qush Tepa District, Jawzjan Province, Afghanistan **Good quality a.k.a.: a)** Abdussalam Hanifi b) Hanafi Saheb c) ABDUL SALAM HANAFI (name in original script: عبدالسلام حنفي) **Low quality a.k.a.:** na **Nationality:** Afghanistan **Passport no:** a) Afghanistan number D00009723 b) Afghanistan number D0010098, issued on 4 Apr. 2023, issued in Kabul, Afghanistan, expires 4 Apr. 2028 (Name in Latin script, Abdul Salam Hanafi, name in original script; عبدالسلام حنفي) c) P03078281, issued on 9 Feb. 2020, issued in Dubai, expires 9 Feb. 2030 **National identification no:** na **Address:** Kabul, Afghanistan **Listed on:** 23 Feb. 2001 ( amended on 3 Sep. 2003, 18 Jul. 2007, 21 Sep. 2007, 27 Sep. 2007, 1 Feb. 2008, 29 Nov. 2011, 10 Mar. 2026, 28 Apr. 2026, 27 Aug. 2026) **Review concluded on:** 1 Jun. 2010 **Other information:** Taliban member responsible for Jawzjan Province in Northern Afghanistan until 2008. Involved in drug trafficking. Height 178 cm. Photo available for inclusion in the INTERPOLUN Security Council Special Notice INTERPOL-UN Security Council Special Notice: <https://www.interpol.int/en/How-we-work/Notices/View-UNNotices-Individuals#2006-25909>

It is highlighted that the prohibitions, travel ban, and arms embargo under sections 23, 24, 35 and 36 of the United Nations (Financial Prohibitions, Arms Embargo and Travel Ban) Sanctions Act 2019 still apply to the above **one entry**, as amended.

The Consolidated United Nations Security Council Sanctions List is also updated following changes made on the 1988 Sanctions List. An updated version of the Consolidated List is accessible via the following URL: <https://www.un.org/securitycouncil/content/un-sc-consolidated-list>

The public and other stakeholders are urged to regularly check for any updates to the United Nations Sanctions Lists by accessing the above URL and comply with the relevant requirements under the Act.

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