

Male; National ID No. 01020097227 (Syria) (individual) [SYRIA] [SYRIA-CAESAR] (Linked To: AL-ASSAD, Maher).

Designated pursuant to Section 1(b)(iii) of E.O. 13572 for having materially assisted, sponsored, or provided financial, material, or technological support for, or goods or services in support of, MAHER AL-ASSAD, a person whose property and interests in property are blocked pursuant to E.O. 13572. Also designated pursuant to Section 7412(a)(2)(A)(i) of the Caesar Syria Civilian Protection Act of 2019, Public Law 116-92, § 7401 et seq. (Dec. 20, 2019) (the Caesar Act), for being a foreign person that knowingly provides significant financial, material, or technological support to, or knowingly engages in a significant transaction with MAHER AL-ASSAD, a senior political figure of the Government of Syria.

5. AL-ASSAD, Samer Kamal (Arabic: **سامر كمال الأسد**) (a.k.a. AL-ASAD, Samer), Syria; DOB 19 May 1973; POB Qardaha, Syria; nationality Syria; Gender Male; Passport 86368 (Syria); National ID No. 06200000449 (Syria) (individual) [SYRIA] [SYRIA-CAESAR].

Designated pursuant to Section 1(b)(i) of E.O. 13582 of August 17, 2011, “Blocking Property of the Government of Syria and Prohibiting Certain Transactions With Respect to Syria,” 76 FR 52209, 3 CFR, 2011 Comp., p. 264 (E.O. 13582) for having materially assisted, sponsored, or provided financial, material, or technological support for, or goods or services to or in support of, the GOVERNMENT OF SYRIA. Also designated pursuant to Section 7412(a)(2)(A)(i) of the Caesar Act, for being a foreign person that knowingly provides significant financial, material, or technological support to, or knowingly engages in a significant transaction with the GOVERNMENT OF SYRIA (including any entity owned or controlled by the GOVERNMENT OF SYRIA).

6. AL-ASSAD, Wassim (a.k.a. AL-ASSAD, Waseem; a.k.a. AL-ASSAD, Waseem Badi; a.k.a. AL-ASSAD, Wassim Badi’ (Arabic: **وسيم بدیع الأسد**), Syria; DOB 18 Jul 1980; POB Qardaha, Latakia Governorate, Syria; nationality Syria; Gender Male; National ID No. 06200000611 (Syria) (individual) [SYRIA] (Linked To: SYRIAN ARAB ARMY).

Designated pursuant to Section 1(b)(ii) of E.O. 13582 for having acted or purported to act for or on behalf of, directly or indirectly, the SYRIAN ARAB ARMY, a person whose property and interests in property are blocked pursuant to E.O. 13582.

Entities

1. AL-ISRAA ESTABLISHMENT FOR IMPORT AND EXPORT (a.k.a. AL ISRAA IMPORT AND EXPORT ESTABLISHMENT), No. 142 Niha-Main Road, Zahle, Lebanon; Secondary sanctions risk: section 1(b) of Executive Order 13224, as amended by Executive Order 13886; Organization Established Date 18 Jan 2014; Registration Number 4800490 (Lebanon) [SDGT] (Linked To: DAQQOU, Hassan Muhammad). Designated pursuant to section 1(a)(iii)(A) of E.O. 13224, as amended, for being owned, controlled, or directed by, directly or indirectly, by HASSAN MUHAMMAD DAQQOU, a person whose property and interests in property are blocked pursuant to E.O. 13224, as amended.

2. HASSAN DAQQOU TRADING (a.k.a. HASAN DEQQOU TRADING; a.k.a. HASSAN DAGO FOR TRADE), No. 142 Niha-Main Road, Zahle, Lebanon; Secondary sanctions risk: section 1(b) of Executive Order 13224, as amended by Executive Order 13886; Organization Established Date 18 Jan 2014; Registration Number 4004501 (Lebanon) [SDGT] (Linked To: DAQQOU, Hassan Muhammad).

Designated pursuant to section 1(a)(iii)(A) of E.O. 13224, as amended, for being owned, controlled, or directed by, directly or indirectly, by HASSAN MUHAMMAD DAQQOU, a person whose property and interests in property are blocked pursuant to E.O. 13224, as amended.

Dated: March 28, 2023.

Andrea M. Gacki,

*Director, Office of Foreign Assets Control,
U.S. Department of the Treasury.*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

**Interest Rate Paid on Cash Deposited
To Secure U.S. Immigration and
Customs Enforcement Immigration
Bonds**

AGENCY: Departmental Offices, Treasury.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: For the period beginning April 1, 2023, and ending on June 30, 2023, the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement Immigration Bond interest rate is 3 per centum per annum.

DATES: Rates are applicable April 1, 2023 to June 30, 2023.

ADDRESSES: Comments or inquiries may be mailed to Will Walcutt, Supervisor, Funds Management Branch, Funds Management Division, Fiscal Accounting, Bureau of the Fiscal Services, Parkersburg, West Virginia 26106–1328.

You can download this notice at the following internet addresses: <http://www.treasury.gov> or <http://www.federalregister.gov>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Ryan Hanna, Manager, Funds Management Branch, Funds Management Division, Fiscal Accounting, Bureau of the Fiscal Service, Parkersburg, West Virginia 261006–1328 (304) 480–5120; Will Walcutt, Supervisor, Funds Management Branch, Funds Management Division, Fiscal Accounting, Bureau of the Fiscal Services, Parkersburg, West Virginia 26106–1328, (304) 480–5117.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Federal law requires that interest payments on cash deposited to secure immigration bonds shall be “at a rate determined by the Secretary of the Treasury, except that in no case shall the interest rate exceed 3 per centum per annum.” 8 U.S.C. 1363(a). Related Federal regulations state that “Interest on cash deposited to secure immigration bonds will be at the rate as determined by the Secretary of the Treasury, but in no case will exceed 3 per centum per annum or be less than zero.” 8 CFR 293.2. Treasury has determined that interest on the bonds will vary quarterly and will accrue during each calendar quarter at a rate equal to the lesser of the average of the bond equivalent rates on 91-day Treasury bills auctioned during the preceding calendar quarter, or 3 per centum per annum, but in no case less than zero. [FR Doc. 2015–18545]. In addition to this Notice, Treasury posts the current quarterly rate in Table 2b—Interest Rates for Specific Legislation on the TreasuryDirect website.

The Deputy Assistant Secretary for Public Finance, Gary Grippo, having reviewed and approved this document, is delegating the authority to electronically sign this document to Heidi Cohen, Federal Register Liaison

for the Department, for purposes of publication in the **Federal Register**.

Heidi Cohen,

Federal Register Liaison.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

[OMB Control No. 2900–0205]

Agency Information Collection Activity Under OMB Review: Applications and Appraisals for Title 38 Health Care Positions and Trainees

AGENCY: Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, this notice announces that the Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs, will submit the collection of information abstracted below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and comment. The PRA submission describes the nature of the information collection and its expected cost and burden and it includes the actual data collection instrument.

DATES: Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function. Refer to “OMB Control No. 2900–0205.”

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Maribel Aponte, Office of Enterprise and Integration, Data Governance Analytics (008), 810 Vermont Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20006, (202) 266–4688 or email maribel.aponte@va.gov. Please refer to “OMB Control No. 2900–0205” in any correspondence.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority: 44 U.S.C. 3501–3521.

Title: Applications and Appraisals for Title 38 Health Care Positions and Trainees, VA Forms 10–2850, 10–2850a, 10–2850c, 10–2850d, and 10–2850e.

OMB Control Number: 2900–0205.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: The collection of this information is authorized by title 38, United States Code (U.S.C.) 7403, (Veterans’ Benefits), which provides

that appointments of title 38 employees will be made only after qualifications have been satisfactorily verified in accordance with regulations prescribed by the Secretary. Occupations listed in 38 U.S.C. 7401(1) and 7401(3) (Appointments in Veterans Health Administration), are appointed at a grade and step rate or an assignment based on careful evaluation of their education and experience.

VA Forms 10–2850, 10–2850a, and 10–2850c are applications designed specifically to elicit appropriate information about each candidate’s qualifications for employment with Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) as well as educational and experience. To assure that a full evaluation of each candidate’s credentials can be made prior to employment, the forms require disclosure of details about all licenses ever held, Drug Enforcement Administration certification, board certification, clinical privileges, revoked certification or registration, liability insurance history, and involvement in malpractice proceedings.

Form 10–2850d is used to collect appropriate information about qualifications for each trainee participating in accredited educational programs with VA. VA Form 10–2850e is the pre-employment reference form used to elicit information concerning the prior education and/or performance of the title 38 applicant. This collection of information is necessary to determine eligibility for employment and the appropriate grade and step rate or assignment.

a. VA Form 10–2850, Application for Physicians, Dentists, Podiatrists, Optometrists, and Chiropractors, will collect information used to determine eligibility for appointment to VHA.

b. VA Form 10–2850a, Application for Nurses and Nurse Anesthetists, will collect information used to determine eligibility for appointment to VHA.

c. VA Form 10–2850c, Application for Associated Health Occupations, will collect information used to determine eligibility for appointment to VHA.

d. VA Form 10–2850d, Health Professions Trainee Data Collection Form, will collect information used to support eligibility for trainee appointment to VHA.

e. VA Form 10–2850e, Appraisal of Applicant, will collect information used to determine if applicant meets the requirements for employment.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The **Federal Register** notice with a 60-day comment period