# U.S. State Department list of Foreign Terrorist Organizations

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"**Foreign Terrorist Organization**" is a designation for non-United States-based organizations deemed by the [United States Secretary of State](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Secretary_of_State), in accordance with section 219 of the U.S. [Immigration and Nationality Act](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Immigration_and_Nationality_Act_of_1965) (INA), to be involved in what US authorities define as [terrorist activities](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Terrorism) Most of the organizations as of 2007[[update]](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=U.S._State_Department_list_of_Foreign_Terrorist_Organizations&action=edit) on the list are [Islamist extremist groups](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Islamist_terrorism), with the remainder being mainly communist groups, followed by [nationalist/separatist groups](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nationalist_terrorism).

## Identification of candidates

The [Office of the Coordinator for Counterterrorism](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Office_of_the_Coordinator_for_Counterterrorism) (S/CT) in the [U.S. State Department](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/U.S._State_Department) continually monitors the activities of groups active around the world considered[[*by whom?*](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia%3AManual_of_Style/Words_to_watch#Unsupported_attributions)] potentially terrorist to identify potential targets for designation. When reviewing potential targets, S/CT looks not only at the actual terrorist attacks that a group has carried out, but also at whether the group has engaged in planning and preparations for possible future acts of terrorism or retains the capability and intent to carry out such acts.

## Designation process

Once a target is identified, the Office of the Coordinator for Counterterrorism prepares a detailed "administrative record," which is a compilation of information, typically including both classified and open sources information, demonstrating that the statutory criteria for designation have been satisfied. If the Secretary of State, in consultation with the [Attorney General](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Attorney_General) and the [Secretary of the Treasury](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Secretary_of_the_Treasury), decides to make the designation, [United States Congress](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Congress) is notified of the Secretary's intent to designate the organization and given seven days to review the designation, as the INA requires. Upon the expiration of the seven-day waiting period, notice of the designation is published in the [*Federal Register*](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Federal_Register), at which point the designation takes effect. An organization designated as an FTO may seek judicial review of the designation in the [United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Court_of_Appeals_for_the_District_of_Columbia_Circuit) not later than 30 days after the designation is published in the Federal Register.

Under the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004 the FTO may file a petition for revocation two years after the designation date (or in the case of re-designated FTOs, its most recent re-designation date) or two years after the determination date on its most recent petition for revocation. In order to provide a basis for revocation, the petitioning FTO must provide evidence that the circumstances forming the basis for the designation are sufficiently different as to warrant revocation. If no such review has been conducted during a five-year period with respect to a designation, then the Secretary of State is required to review the designation to determine whether revocation would be appropriate.

The procedural requirements for designating an organization as an FTO also apply to any re-designation of that organization. The Secretary of State may revoke a designation or re-designation at any time upon a finding that the circumstances that were the basis for the designation or re-designation have changed in such a manner as to warrant revocation, or that the national security of the United States warrants a revocation. The same procedural requirements apply to revocations made by the Secretary of State as apply to designations or re-designations. A designation may also be revoked by an Act of Congress, or set aside by a Court order.

## Legal criteria for designation

(Reflecting Amendments to Section 219 of the INA in the 2001 [USA PATRIOT Act](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/USA_PATRIOT_Act))

* It must be a foreign organization.
* The organization must engage in terrorist activity, as defined in section 212 (a)(3)(B) of the INA (8 U.S.C. § 1182(a) (3)(B)),\* or terrorism, as defined in section 140(d)(2) of the Foreign Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 1988 and 1989 (22 U.S.C. § 2656f(d) (2)),\*\* or retain the capability and intent to engage in terrorist activity or terrorism.
* The organization’s terrorist activity or terrorism must threaten the security of U.S. nationals or the national security (national defense, foreign relations, or the economic interests) of the United States.

## Legal ramifications of designation

* It is unlawful for a person in the United States or subject to the jurisdiction of the United States to knowingly provide "[material support or resources](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Material_support)" to a designated FTO. (The term "material support or resources" is defined in 18 U.S.C. § 2339A(b) as "currency or monetary instruments or [financial securities](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Security_%28finance%29), financial services, lodging, training, expert advice or assistance, [safehouses](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Safehouse), [false documentation](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/False_documentation) or [identification](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Identity_document_forgery), communications equipment, facilities, weapons, lethal substances, [explosives](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Explosive), personnel, transportation, and other physical assets, except medicine or religious materials.")
* Representatives and members of a designated FTO, if they are aliens, are inadmissible to and, in certain circumstances, removable from the United States (see 8 U.S.C. §§ 1182 (a)(3)(B)(i)(IV)-(V), 1227 (a)(1)(A)).
* Any U.S. financial institution that becomes aware that it has possession of or control over funds in which a designated FTO or its agent has an interest must retain possession of or control over the funds and report the funds to the [Office of Foreign Assets Control](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Office_of_Foreign_Assets_Control) of the U.S. Department of the Treasury.

## Other effects of designation

The U.S. Department of State lists the following items as additional considered beneficial effects of designation:

* Supports efforts to curb terrorism financing and to encourage other nations to do the same.
* Stigmatizes and isolates designated terrorist organizations internationally.
* Deters donations or contributions to and economic transactions with named organizations.
* Heightens public awareness and knowledge of terrorist organizations.
* Signals to other governments U.S. concern about named organizations.

## Groups designated as Foreign Terrorist Organizations

List is current as of May 28, 2013, organized by region and country of origin:

| **Designated Foreign Terrorist Organizations** |
| --- |
| **Date Added** | **Name** | **Region** | **Location of Operations** | **Notes** |
| October 8, 1997 | [Abu Nidal Organization](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Abu_Nidal) (ANO) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Palestinian Territories](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Palestinian_Territories) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Abu Sayyaf Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Abu_Sayyaf) (ASG) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Philippines](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Philippines) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Aum Shinrikyo](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Aum_Shinrikyo) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Japan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Japan) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Euskadi Ta Askatasuna (Basque Fatherland and Liberty)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ETA) (ETA) | [Europe](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Europe) | Spain, France |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Gama’a al-Islamiyya](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Al-Gama%27a_al-Islamiyya) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Egypt](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Egypt) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Hamas (Islamic Resistance Movement)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hamas) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Palestinian Territories](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Palestinian_Territories) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Harakat ul-Mujahidin](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Harkat-ul-Mujahideen) (HUM) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Pakistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pakistan) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Hezbollah (Party of God)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hezbollah) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Lebanon](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lebanon) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Kahane Chai (Kach)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kach_and_Kahane_Chai) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Israel](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Israel) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Kongra-Gel (formerly Kurdistan Workers' Party)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kurdistan_Workers%27_Party) (KGK) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Turkey](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Turkey), [Iraq](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iraq), [Iran](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iran), [Syria](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Syria) | Formerly PKK, KADEK |
| October 8, 1997 | [Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Liberation_Tigers_of_Tamil_Eelam) (LTTE) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Sri Lanka](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sri_Lanka) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [National Liberation Army](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/National_Liberation_Army_%28Colombia%29) (ELN) | [South America](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_America) | [Colombia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Colombia) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Palestine Liberation Front](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Palestine_Liberation_Front) (PLF) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Palestinian Territories](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Palestinian_Territories) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Islamic Jihad Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Islamic_Jihad_Movement_in_Palestine) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Palestinian Territories](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Palestinian_Territories) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Popular_Front_for_the_Liberation_of_Palestine) (PFLP) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Palestinian Territories](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Palestinian_Territories) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [PFLP-General Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Popular_Front_for_the_Liberation_of_Palestine_%E2%80%93_General_Command) (PFLP-GC) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Palestinian Territories](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Palestinian_Territories) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Revolutionary_Armed_Forces_of_Colombia) (FARC) | [South America](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_America) | [Colombia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Colombia) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Revolutionary Organization 17 November](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Revolutionary_Organization_17_November) | [Europe](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Europe) | [Greece](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Greece) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Revolutionary People's Liberation Party/Front](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Revolutionary_People%27s_Liberation_Party%E2%80%93Front) (DHKP/C) | [Europe](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Europe) | [Turkey](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Turkey) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | [Shining Path](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Shining_Path) (Sendero Luminoso, SL) | [South America](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_America) | [Peru](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Peru) |  |
| October 8, 1999 | [al-Qa’ida](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Al-Qaeda) | [Worldwide](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Worldwide) | [Afghanistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Afghanistan), [Pakistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pakistan), [Saudi Arabia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Saudi_Arabia) |  |
| September 25, 2000 | [Islamic Movement of Uzbekistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Islamic_Movement_of_Uzbekistan) (IMU) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Uzbekistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Uzbekistan), [Afghanistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Afghanistan) |  |
| May 16, 2001 | [Real Irish Republican Army](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Real_Irish_Republican_Army) (RIRA) | [Europe](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Europe) | [Ireland](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ireland), [United Kingdom](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_Kingdom) | Associated with [32 County Sovereignty Movement](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/32_County_Sovereignty_Movement) (32CSM) |
| September 10, 2001 | [United Self-Defense Forces of Colombia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_Self-Defense_Forces_of_Colombia) (AUC) | [South America](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_America) | [Colombia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Colombia) |  |
| December 26, 2001 | [Jaish-e-Mohammed (Army of Mohammed)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jaish-e-Mohammed) (JEM) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Pakistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pakistan) |  |
| December 26, 2001 | [Lashkar-e Tayyiba (Army of the Righteous)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lashkar-e-Taiba) (LET) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Pakistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pakistan) |  |
| March 27, 2002 | [Al-Aqsa Martyrs' Brigades](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Al-Aqsa_Martyrs%27_Brigades) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Palestinian Territories](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Palestinian_Territories) |  |
| March 27, 2002 | [Asbat an-Ansar](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Osbat_al-Ansar) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Lebanon](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lebanon) |  |
| March 27, 2002 | [al-Qa’ida in the Islamic Maghreb](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Al-Qaeda) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East), [Africa](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Africa) | [Algeria](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Algeria), [Mali](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mali), [Niger](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Niger) | (formerly GSPC) |
| August 9, 2002 | [Communist Party of the Philippines](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Communist_Party_of_the_Philippines)/[New People's Army](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/New_People%27s_Army) (CPP/NPA) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Philippines](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Philippines) |  |
| October 23, 2002 | [Jemaah Islamiya organization](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jemaah_Islamiyah) (JI) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Indonesia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Indonesia) | Also in [Brunei](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Brunei), [Malaysia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Malaysia), [Thailand](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Thailand), [Philippines](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Philippines), [Singapore](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Singapore) |
| January 30, 2003 | [Lashkar i Jhangvi](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lashkar-e-Jhangvi) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Pakistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pakistan) |  |
| March 22, 2004 | [Al-Qaeda Kurdish Battalions](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Al-Qaeda_Kurdish_Battalions) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Iraq](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iraq) | Formerly [Ansar al-Islam](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ansar_al-Islam) |
| July 13, 2004 | [Continuity Irish Republican Army](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuity_Irish_Republican_Army) (CIRA) | [Europe](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Europe) | [Ireland](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ireland), [United Kingdom](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_Kingdom) |  |
| March 27, 2002 | [Libyan Islamic Fighting Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Libyan_Islamic_Fighting_Group) (LIFG) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East), [Africa](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Africa) | [Libya](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Libya) |  |
| December 17, 2004 | [Tanzim Qa'idat al-Jihad fi Bilad al-Rafidayn](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Al-Qaeda_in_Iraq) (QJBR) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Iraq](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iraq) | Formerly Jama'at al-Tawhid wa'al-Jihad, JTJ, [al-Zarqawi Network](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Abu_Musab_al-Zarqawi). [Al-Nusra Front](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Al-Nusra_Front) is considered an alias of Al-Qaeda in Iraq[[2]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/U.S._State_Department_list_of_Foreign_Terrorist_Organizations%22%20%5Cl%20%22cite_note-2#cite_note-2) |
| June 17, 2005 | [Islamic Jihad Union](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jama%27at_al-Jihad_al-Islami) (IJU) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Uzbekistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Uzbekistan) |  |
| March 5, 2008 | [Harkat-ul-Jihad al-Islami](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Harkat-ul-Jihad_al-Islami) (HUJI-B) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Bangladesh](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bangladesh) |  |
| March 18, 2008 | [Al-Shabaab](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Al-Shabaab_%28militant_group%29) | [Africa](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Africa) | [Somalia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Somalia) |  |
| May 18, 2009 | [Revolutionary Struggle](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Revolutionary_Struggle) | [Europe](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Europe) | [Greece](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Greece) |  |
| July 2, 2009 | [Kata'ib Hezbollah](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kata%27ib_Hezbollah) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Iraq](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iraq) |  |
| January 19, 2010 | [al-Qa'ida in the Arabian Peninsula](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Al-Qaeda_in_the_Arabian_Peninsula) (AQAP) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Saudi Arabia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Saudi_Arabia) |  |
| August 6, 2010 | [Harkat-ul-Jihad al-Islami](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Harkat-ul-Jihad_al-Islami) (HUJI) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [India](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/India) |  |
| September 1, 2010 | [Tehrik-i-Taliban](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tehrik-i-Taliban) (TTP) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Pakistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pakistan) |  |
| November 4, 2010 | [Jundallah](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jundallah) ([People's Resistance Movement of Iran](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/People%27s_Resistance_Movement_of_Iran), or [PRMI](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/PRMI)) (Iran)[[3]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/U.S._State_Department_list_of_Foreign_Terrorist_Organizations#cite_note-3#cite_note-3) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Iran](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iran) |  |
| May 23, 2011 | [Army of Islam](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Army_of_Islam_%28Gaza_Strip%29) (Palestinian)[[4]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/U.S._State_Department_list_of_Foreign_Terrorist_Organizations#cite_note-4#cite_note-4) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Palestinian Territories](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Palestinian_Territories) |  |
| September 19, 2011 | [Indian Mujahideen](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Indian_Mujahideen) (IM) (India)[[5]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/U.S._State_Department_list_of_Foreign_Terrorist_Organizations#cite_note-5#cite_note-5) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [India](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/India) |  |
| September 19, 2011 | [Jamaah Ansharut Tauhid](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jamaah_Ansharut_Tauhid) (JAT) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Indonesia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Indonesia) |  |
| May 30, 2012 | [Abdullah Azzam Brigades](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Abdullah_Azzam_Shaheed_Brigade) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Iraq](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iraq) |  |
| September 19, 2012 | [Haqqani network](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Haqqani_network)[[6]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/U.S._State_Department_list_of_Foreign_Terrorist_Organizations#cite_note-6#cite_note-6) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Afghanistan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Afghanistan) |  |
| March 22, 2013 | [Ansar Dine](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ansar_Dine) (AAD)[[7]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/U.S._State_Department_list_of_Foreign_Terrorist_Organizations#cite_note-7#cite_note-7) | [Africa](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Africa) | [Mali](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mali) |  |

## Delisted Foreign Terrorist Organizations

The following groups have been removed from the State Department list, as of Sept. 28, 2012,[[1]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/U.S._State_Department_list_of_Foreign_Terrorist_Organizations#cite_note-fto-1#cite_note-fto-1)

| **Delisted Foreign Terrorist Organizations** |
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| **Date Added** | **Date Removed** | **Name** | **Region** | **Location of Operations** | **Notes** |
| October 8, 1997 | October 8, 1999 | [DFLP-Hawatmeh Faction](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Democratic_Front_for_the_Liberation_of_Palestine) (DFLP) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Palestinian Territories](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Palestinian_Territories) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | October 8, 1999 | [Khmer Rouge](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Khmer_Rouge) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Cambodia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cambodia) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | October 8, 1999 | [Manuel Rodríguez Patriotic Front - Dissidents](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Manuel_Rodr%C3%ADguez_Patriotic_Front) (FPMR-D) | [South America](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_America) | [Chile](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chile) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | October 8, 2001 | [Japanese Red Army](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Japanese_Red_Army) (JRA) | [Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asia) | [Japan](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Japan) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | October 8, 2001 | [Tupac Amaru Revolution Movement](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/T%C3%BApac_Amaru_Revolutionary_Movement) (MRTA) | [South America](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_America) | [Peru](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Peru) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | October 8, 2001 | [Revolutionary Nuclei](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Revolutionary_Nuclei) | [Europe](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Europe) | [Greece](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Greece) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | October 15, 2010 | [Armed Islamic Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Armed_Islamic_Group_of_Algeria) (GIA) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East), [Africa](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Africa) | [Algeria](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Algeria) |  |
| October 8, 1997 | September 28, 2012 | [Mujahedin-e Khalq](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mujahedin-e_Khalq) (MEK) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East) | [Iraq](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iraq), [Iran](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iran) |  |
| October 11, 2005 | May 28, 2013 | [Moroccan Islamic Combatant Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Moroccan_Islamic_Combatant_Group) (MICG) | [Middle East](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle_East), [Africa](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Africa) | [Morocco](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Morocco) |  |

## See also

* [U.K. List of Proscribed Groups](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Terrorism_Act_2000)
* [Specially Designated Global Terrorist](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Specially_Designated_Global_Terrorist)
* [List of terrorist organizations](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_terrorist_organizations)