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## GUANTANAMO DETAINEE FILE REVIEW

Detainee ISN: MY-10021

<b>Detainee Name</b>	Mohd Farik Bin Amin
<b>Detainee Aliases</b>	Ahmed al Filipini; Zaid; Zubair
<b>Nationality</b>	Malaysia
<b>Date of Birth</b>	16 February 1975
<b>Arrival at Guantanamo</b>	September 2006

Mohd Farik Bin Amin a.k.a. Zubair (MY-10021) is one of two remaining Malaysian detainees at Guantanamo. He traveled to Afghanistan in July 2000 for extremist training and attended both basic and advanced courses at al-Qa'ida's al-Farouq camp. Amin swore allegiance to Usama Bin Ladin and was hand-selected by senior al-Qa'ida and Jemaah Islamiyah (JI) leader Riduan Bin Isomuddin, a.k.a. Hambali (ID-10019), to be part of an al-Qa'ida suicide operation to hijack airliners over the Pacific and crash them into the tallest building in California. Amin developed a close relationship with Hambali, serving as a key lieutenant and interlocutor and providing operational support to terrorist activities, including casing potential targets, researching and practicing bomb-making, obtaining weapons, and acquiring false documents. Amin remains a highly compliant detainee and has not committed any infractions since December 2009. We have no indications that his family members in Malaysia have engaged in extremist activities, and he has no known associations with at-large extremists.