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GUANTANAMO DETAINEE FILE REVIEW

Detainee ISN: KE-10025

Detainee Name	Mohammed Abdul Malik Bajabu
Detainee Aliases	Abdul Jabbar, Msela
Nationality	Kenyan
Date of Birth	11 November 1973
Arrival at Guantanamo	March 2007

Mohammed Abdul Malik Bajabu (KE-10025) was inspired by a radical imam to leave Kenya in 1996 to receive extremist training in Somalia, where he developed a close relationship with members of the now defunct al-Qa'ida in East Africa (AQEA), including senior operational planners. Bajabu became an AQEA facilitator and was arrested in February 2007 for his role in executing attacks against the Paradise Hotel and an Israeli airliner in Mombasa, Kenya, in November 2002. Bajabu has remained highly compliant since our last review and has continued to be focused during the past several months on securing transfer and reuniting with his family. Bajabu, however, still provides little insight into his mind-set. He has refrained from expressing support for extremist activity or anti-US sentiments.