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## GUANTANAMO DETAINEE FILE REVIEW

**Detainee ISN: YM-1463**

<b>Detainee Name</b>	'Abd al-Salam al-Hilah
<b>Detainee Aliases</b>	'Abd al-Salam Sanana, Abdul Salam Abd al-Rahmani, Abdulsalam Ali Abdulrahman
<b>Nationality</b>	Yemeni
<b>Date of Birth</b>	21 June 1971
<b>Arrival at Guantanamo</b>	September 2004

'Abd al-Salam al-Hilah (YM-1463) was a prominent extremist facilitator who used his position within the Yemeni Political Security Organization to provide refuge and logistic support to al-Qa'ida and other extremist groups. He had unspecified ties to Usama bin Ladin and may have played a role in the attack on the USS Cole in October 2000. Hilah maintains frequent contact with his family members, some of whom may be sympathetic to extremist causes, judging from their residence in an area of Sanaa known for extremist activity and his brother Nabil's previous terrorist connections. We have no specific information, however, since our last review in August 2016 indicating that his family is currently connected to extremists or extremist activity.