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## GUANTANAMO DETAINEE FILE REVIEW

Detainee ISN: YM-841

Detainee Name	Hani Saleh Rashid Abdullah
Detainee Aliases	Abu al-Fadhl, Saïd Salih Saïd Nashir
Nationality	Yemeni
Date of Birth	29 September 1969
Arrival at Guantanamo	October 2002

Hani Saleh Rashid Abdullah (YM-841) traveled to fight in Afghanistan in June 2001, trained at al-Qa'ida's al-Farouq camp, and admitted to a close association with al-Qa'ida's external operations planners and senior leadership. He was one of six Yemeni fighters—the so-called Karachi Six—who were arrested when Pakistani authorities raided three safehouses in Karachi in September 2002. Abdullah remains mostly compliant with the guard force, and he has not directly voiced support for terrorism since mid-2015 but also has not renounced it. Abdullah appears eager to reconnect with his family members, and while we have no indications that they are directly involved in terrorist activities, people in his family have voiced support for AQAP. Abdullah's family is located in al-Burayqah where AQAP is reported to have a strong presence.