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GUANTANAMO DETAINEE PROFILE

Detainee ISN: YM-508

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Detainee Name:	Salman Yahya Hassan Muhammad Rabei'i
Detainee Aliases:	Az Addin, Farcon, Izz Addin, Izz al-din al-Sanani, Salman al-Sanaai, Salman al-Sananni, Salman al-San'ani, , Salman Yahya Hassan, Salman Yahya Hassan Muhannad Rabei, Salman Yahya Hasin al-Rablah, Salman Yehah Kasa Hassan, Sulayman Izz Iddi-Al Sanani, Sulayman Izz Iddin al Sanaani
Nationality:	Yemeni
Date of Birth:	June 1979
Arrival at Guantanamo:	May 2002

Salman Yahya Hassan Muhammad Rabei'i (YM-508) is an al-Qa'ida recruit who trained with the group and possibly fought at Tora Bora. He came into contact with extremists in Yemen through his brother, Fawaz—an al-Qa'ida operative—in 1999, and traveled to Afghanistan in August 2001. He stayed at al-Qa'ida guesthouses, underwent basic extremist training, and possibly attended advanced training. He was present at Usama Bin Laden's Tora Bora mountain complex in late 2001 and possibly fought against Coalition forces there before the Northern Alliance captured him in December 2001.

YM-508 probably retains strong anti-US sentiments and sympathizes with extremist causes, judging from statements he has made while at the Guantanamo Bay detention facility. Although he generally has been compliant with the guard force, he has been uncooperative during interviews. He repeatedly has said that the US in particular and non-Muslims in general are his enemies, and he possibly aspires to reengage in terrorist activities. He also has voiced admiration for extremists who die for their beliefs—notably his brother, Fawaz, who was killed in a shootout with Yemeni security forces in 2006.

YM-508 has several family members who are involved in or sympathetic to extremist activities, offering him potential paths to reengagement. If YM-508 were repatriated to Yemen, he probably would resettle in Sanaa while possibly pursuing opportunities to relocate abroad with his family. AQAP regularly plots attacks in Sanaa, but the Yemeni Government's CT monitoring and disruption capabilities are higher there than in most of the rest of Yemen.

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