



Country Reports on Terrorism 2012

United States Department of State Bureau of Counterterrorism

Download now

[Click here](#) if your download doesn't start automatically

Country Reports on Terrorism 2012

United States Department of State Bureau of Counterterrorism

Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 United States Department of State Bureau of Counterterrorism

The al-Qa'ida (AQ) core, under the direction of Ayman al-Zawahiri, has been significantly degraded as a result of ongoing worldwide efforts against the organization. Usama bin Laden's death was the most important milestone in the fight against AQ, but there have been other successes dozens of senior AQ leaders have been removed from the fight in the Afghanistan-Pakistan region. Ilyas Kashmiri, one of the most capable AQ operatives in South Asia, and Atiya Abdul Rahman, AQ's second-in-command, were killed in Pakistan in 2011. AQ leaders Abu Yahya Al-Libi and Abu Zaid al-Kuwaiti were killed in 2012. As a result of these leadership losses, the AQ core's ability to direct the activities and attacks of its affiliates has diminished, as its leaders focus increasingly on survival. Leadership losses have also driven AQ affiliates to become more independent. The affiliates are increasingly setting their own goals and specifying their own targets. As avenues previously open to them for receiving and sending funds have become more difficult to access, several affiliates have engaged in kidnapping for ransom. Through kidnapping for ransom operations and other criminal activities, the affiliates have also increased their financial independence. While AQ affiliates still seek to attack the "far enemy," they seem more inclined to focus on smaller scale attacks closer to their home base. Both al-Qa'ida in the Arabian Peninsula (AQAP) and al-Qa'ida in the Islamic Maghreb (AQIM) have taken steps to seize land and impose their brutal authority over local populations. The AQ core still has the ability to inspire, plot, and launch regional and transnational attacks from its safe haven in Western Pakistan, despite its leadership losses. Along with AQ, the Afghan Taliban, the Haqqani Network, Tehrike Taliban Pakistan, and other like-minded groups continue to conduct operations against U.S., Coalition, Afghan, and Pakistani interests from safe havens on both sides of the Afghanistan/Pakistan border. Other South Asian terrorist organizations, including Lashkar e-Tayyiba (LeT), cite U.S. interests as legitimate targets for attacks. The group responsible for the 2008 Mumbai attacks, continues to pose a serious threat to regional stability. In Yemen, the fight against AQAP is a work in progress, but the trend lines are positive. Yemeni forces have had success pushing AQAP out of its southern strongholds over the last year, leading AQAP to turn increasingly to asymmetric tactics in a campaign of bombings and targeted assassinations against government targets, pro-government tribal militias known as Popular Committees and their leaders, soldiers, civilians, and foreign diplomatic personnel. After more than two decades of strife, autumn 2012 marked the beginning of political transition in Somalia, with a new provisional constitution, parliament, and president. These are hopeful signs of a new era in this long-suffering country. This success was made possible because Somali National Forces and the AU Mission in Somalia with strong financial support and training from the United States and Western partners expelled al-Shabaab from major cities in southern Somalia. Though al-Shabaab is carrying out attacks against the new government, it is fragmented by dissension and much weakened. Though the AQ core is on a path to defeat, and its two most dangerous affiliates have suffered serious setbacks, tumultuous events in the Middle East and North Africa have complicated the counterterrorism picture. The dispersal of weapons stocks in the wake of the revolution in Libya, the Tuareg rebellion, and the coup d'état in Mali presented terrorists with new opportunities. The actions of France and African countries, however in conjunction with both short-term U.S. support to the African-led International Support Mission to Mali and the long-term efforts of the United States via the Trans-Sahara Counterterrorism Partnership, have done much to roll back and contain the threat.

 [Download Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 ...pdf](#)

 [Read Online Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 ...pdf](#)

Download and Read Free Online Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 United States Department of State Bureau of Counterterrorism

From reader reviews:

Dominick Carter:

Book is to be different for each and every grade. Book for children till adult are different content. As you may know that book is very important for people. The book Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 has been making you to know about other knowledge and of course you can take more information. It is rather advantages for you. The guide Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 is not only giving you much more new information but also being your friend when you sense bored. You can spend your spend time to read your e-book. Try to make relationship while using book Country Reports on Terrorism 2012. You never experience lose out for everything if you read some books.

Brian Ramos:

Spent a free the perfect time to be fun activity to accomplish! A lot of people spent their leisure time with their family, or their own friends. Usually they doing activity like watching television, likely to beach, or picnic within the park. They actually doing ditto every week. Do you feel it? Do you need to something different to fill your personal free time/ holiday? May be reading a book is usually option to fill your free time/ holiday. The first thing that you'll ask may be what kinds of publication that you should read. If you want to try out look for book, may be the e-book untitled Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 can be very good book to read. May be it may be best activity to you.

Vera Pinckney:

It is possible to spend your free time to learn this book this reserve. This Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 is simple to develop you can read it in the area, in the beach, train and soon. If you did not get much space to bring the particular printed book, you can buy the e-book. It is make you quicker to read it. You can save often the book in your smart phone. So there are a lot of benefits that you will get when you buy this book.

Carolyn Wilson:

Beside this kind of Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 in your phone, it can give you a way to get closer to the new knowledge or info. The information and the knowledge you can got here is fresh from your oven so don't possibly be worry if you feel like an older people live in narrow commune. It is good thing to have Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 because this book offers to you readable information. Do you sometimes have book but you do not get what it's about. Oh come on, that will not happen if you have this within your hand. The Enjoyable option here cannot be questionable, including treasuring beautiful island. Use you still want to miss it? Find this book and also read it from now!

Download and Read Online Country Reports on Terrorism 2012
United States Department of State Bureau of Conterterrorism
#8H9QCXE1SB2

Read Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 by United States Department of State Bureau of Conterterrorism for online ebook

Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 by United States Department of State Bureau of Conterterrorism Free PDF d0wnl0ad, audio books, books to read, good books to read, cheap books, good books, online books, books online, book reviews epub, read books online, books to read online, online library, greatbooks to read, PDF best books to read, top books to read Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 by United States Department of State Bureau of Conterterrorism books to read online.

Online Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 by United States Department of State Bureau of Conterterrorism ebook PDF download

Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 by United States Department of State Bureau of Conterterrorism Doc

Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 by United States Department of State Bureau of Conterterrorism Mobipocket

Country Reports on Terrorism 2012 by United States Department of State Bureau of Conterterrorism EPub