

Dated: August 17, 2015.

Evan Ryan,

Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 9239]

Culturally Significant Objects Imported for Exhibition Determinations: “Pearls on a String: Artists, Patrons, and Poets at the Great Islamic Courts” Exhibition

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 (79 Stat. 985; 22 U.S.C. 2459), E.O. 12047 of March 27, 1978, the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 (112 Stat. 2681, *et seq.*; 22 U.S.C. 6501 note, *et seq.*), Delegation of Authority No. 234 of October 1, 1999, Delegation of Authority No. 236-3 of August 28, 2000 (and, as appropriate, Delegation of Authority No. 257 of April 15, 2003), I hereby determine that the objects to be included in the exhibition “Pearls on a String: Artists, Patrons, and Poets at the Great Islamic Courts,” imported from abroad for temporary exhibition within the United States, are of cultural significance. The objects are imported pursuant to loan agreements with the foreign owners or custodians. I also determine that the exhibition or display of the exhibit objects at The Walters Art Museum, Baltimore, Maryland, from on or about November 8, 2015, until on or about January 31, 2016, at the Asian Art Museum, San Francisco, California, from on or about February 26, 2016, until on or about May 8, 2016, and at possible additional exhibitions or venues yet to be determined, is in the national interest. I have ordered that Public Notice of these Determinations be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, including a list of the imported objects, contact the Office of Public Diplomacy and Public Affairs in the Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Department of State (telephone: 202-632-6471; email: section2459@state.gov). The mailing address is U.S. Department of State, L/PA, SA-5, Suite 5H03, Washington, DC 20522-0505.

Dated: August 19, 2015.

Evan Ryan,

Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 9234]

Renewal of International Security Advisory Board Charter

SUMMARY: The Department of State announces the renewal of the Charter of the International Security Advisory Board (ISAB).

The purpose of the ISAB is to provide the Department with a continuing source of independent insight, advice, and innovation on all aspects of arms control, disarmament, nonproliferation, and international security and related aspects of public diplomacy. The ISAB will remain in existence for two years after the filing date of the Charter unless terminated or renewed sooner.

For more information, contact Christopher M. Herrick, Acting Executive Director of the International Security Advisory Board, Department of State, Washington, DC 20520, telephone: (202) 647-9683.

Dated: July 10, 2015.

Christopher M. Herrick,

Acting Executive Director, International Security Advisory Board, U.S. Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 9241]

In the Matter of the Designation of Abdul Aziz Haqqani, also known as Aziz Haqqani, as a Specially Designated Global Terrorist pursuant to Section 1(b) of Executive Order 13224, as amended

Acting under the authority of and in accordance with section 1(b) of Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001, as amended by Executive Order 13268 of July 2, 2002, and Executive Order 13284 of January 23, 2003, I hereby determine that the individual known as Abdul Aziz Haqqani, also known as Aziz Haqqani, committed, or poses a significant risk of committing, acts of terrorism that threaten the security of U.S. nationals or the national security, foreign policy, or economy of the United States.

Consistent with the determination in section 10 of Executive Order 13224 that “prior notice to persons determined to be subject to the Order who might have a constitutional presence in the United States would render ineffectual the blocking and other measures authorized in the Order because of the ability to transfer funds instantaneously,” I

determine that no prior notice needs to be provided to any person subject to this determination who might have a constitutional presence in the United States, because to do so would render ineffectual the measures authorized in the Order.

This notice shall be published in the **Federal Register**.

Dated: June 1, 2015.

John F. Kerry,

Secretary of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 9232]

Notice of Proposal To Extend the Memorandum of Understanding Between the Government of United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Colombia Concerning the Imposition of Import Restrictions on Archaeological Materials From the Pre-Columbian Cultures and Certain Ecclesiastical Material From the Colonial Period of Colombia

The Government of the Republic of Colombia has informed the Government of the United States of America of its interest in an extension of the Memorandum of Understanding Between the Government of United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Colombia Concerning the Imposition of Import Restrictions on Archaeological Materials from the Pre-Columbian Cultures and Certain Ecclesiastical Material from the Colonial Period of Colombia (“MOU”).

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs, and pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2602(f)(1), an extension of this MOU is hereby proposed.

Pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2602(f)(2), the views and recommendations of the Cultural Property Advisory Committee regarding this proposal will be requested.

A copy of the MOU, the Designated List of restricted categories of material, and related information can be found at the following Web site: <http://culturalheritage.state.gov>. For further information, contact Isabella Strohmeyer, Program Coordinator, at 202-632-6198.

Dated: August 12, 2015.

Evan Ryan,

Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, U.S. Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 9240]

In the Matter of the Designation of Sajid Mohammad Badat as a Specially Designated Global Terrorist Pursuant Section 1(b) of Executive Order 13224, as Amended

In accordance with section 1(b) of Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001, as amended (“the Order”), I hereby determine that the individual known as Sajid Mohammad Badat, also known as other aliases and transliterations, no longer meets the criteria for designation under the Order, and therefore I hereby revoke the designation of the aforementioned individual as a Specially Designated Global Terrorist pursuant to section 1(b) of the Order.

This determination shall be published in the **Federal Register**.

Dated: August 3, 2015.

John F. Kerry,

Secretary of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 9235]

Foreign Affairs Policy Board Charter Renewal

AGENCY: Department of State.

Charter Renewal

In accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App., the Department of State announces the Charter of the Foreign Affairs Policy Board, established July 2011, was renewed for a two-year period. The Board is established under the general authority of the Secretary of State and the Department of State set forth in title 22 of the United States Code, in particular Section 2656 of that Title, and consistent with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C., Appendix).

The Foreign Affairs Policy Board was established to provide the Secretary of State, the Deputy Secretaries of State, and the Director of Policy Planning with independent, informed advice and

opinions concerning matters of U.S. foreign policy. It is comprised of twenty-five distinguished U.S. citizens from the private sector, nongovernmental organizations, think tanks, and academia.

For more information, contact *FAPB@state.gov*.

Dated: June 29, 2015.

Andrew McCracken,

Designated Federal Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 9233]

Issuance of a Presidential Permit to Plains Pipeline, L.P.

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Notice of Issuance of a Presidential Permit to Plains Pipeline, L.P. to connect, operate, and maintain existing pipeline facilities at the international boundary between the United States and Canada.

SUMMARY: The Department of State issued a Presidential Permit to Plains Pipeline, L.P. on August 3, 2015 to connect, operate, and maintain existing pipeline facilities acquired by that company at the border of the United States and Canada for the transport of crude oil between the United States and Canada. The Department of State determined that issuance of this permit would serve the national interest. In making this determination and issuing the permit, the Department of State followed the procedures established under Executive Order 13337, and provided public notice and opportunity for comment.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Office of Europe, Western Hemisphere and Africa, Bureau of Energy Resources, U.S. Department of State (ENR/EDP/EWA), 2201 C St. NW., Ste. 4843, Washington DC 20520. Attn: Deputy Director. Tel: 202-647-2041.

Dated: August 13, 2015.

R. Chris Davy,

Acting Director, Energy Resources Bureau, Energy Diplomacy (ENR/EDP/EWA), Bureau of Energy Resources, U.S. Department of State.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Additional information concerning the Plains Pipeline, L.P. pipeline facilities and documents related to the Department of State’s review of the application for a Presidential Permit can be found at <http://www.state.gov/e/enr/applicant>. Following is the text of the issued permit:

PRESIDENTIAL PERMIT

AUTHORIZING PLAINS PIPELINE, L.P. TO CONNECT, OPERATE, AND MAINTAIN EXISTING PIPELINE FACILITIES AT THE INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Under Secretary of State for Economic Growth, Energy, and the Environment, including those authorities under Executive Order 13337, 69 FR 25299 (2004), and Department of State Delegation of Authority 118-2 of January 26, 2006; having requested and received the views of members of the public and various federal agencies; I hereby grant permission, subject to the conditions herein set forth, to Plains Pipeline, L.P. (hereinafter referred to as the “permittee”), organized under the laws of the State of Texas, to connect, operate, and maintain existing pipeline facilities at the border of the United States and Canada near Raymond, Montana, for the transport of crude oil between Canada and the United States.

The term “facilities” as used in this permit means the relevant portion of the pipelines and any land, structures, installations, or equipment appurtenant thereto. The term “United States facilities” as used in this permit includes a 12¾-inch pipeline in existence at the time of this permit’s issuance and extending from the international border between the United States and Canada to the first block valve located in the United States, with the coordinates 104 42.934 W, 48 59.931 N.

This permit is subject to the following conditions:

Article 1. (1) The United States facilities herein described, and all aspects of their operation, shall be subject to all the conditions, provisions, and requirements of this permit and any amendment thereof. This permit may be terminated or amended at any time at the discretion of the Secretary of State or the Secretary’s delegate or upon proper application therefor. The permittee shall make no substantial change in the United States facilities, the location of the United States facilities, or in the operation authorized by this permit until such changes have been approved by the Secretary of State or the Secretary’s delegate.

(2) The connection, operation, and maintenance of the United States facilities shall be in all material respects as described in the permittee’s December 20, 2013 application for a Presidential Permit and supplemental