

# Ghassan Abdallah Ghazi Al Sharbi

## ISN 682



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### *Backgrounder*

ISN 682 Ghassan Abdallah Ghazi Al Sharbi (kunya "Abdullah Al Muslim," "Abu Muslim," and "Abu Abdullah") is a citizen of Saudi Arabia aged approximately 45 years. Pakistani forces arrested him in Faisalabad in 2002 at an Al Qaeda safehouse run by ISN 10016 Abu Zubaydah, and he was conveyed to GTMO on reports of his involvement in explosives training at the Al Farouq training camp, involvement with translating explosives manuals, and plans to detonate a radiological device with Jose Padilla.

ISN 682 completed degrees in petroleum engineering at King Fahd University and in aeronautical engineering at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (Prescott, AZ). He is considered a highly intelligent detainee, though the guard force reports him as non-compliant and hostile. He used his participation in the Combatant Status Review Tribunal (CSRT) and Administrative Review Board (ARB) processes to take pride in his actions against the U.S. ISN 682 was represented in his military commissions and *habeas corpus* (1:05-cv-02348-EGS) cases by pro bono attorneys Robert Rachlin, David Remes, and Ramzi Kassem, and military attorney Lt. William Kuebler, but repeatedly stated his intent to represent himself and remain at GTMO.

The detainee underwent his initial Periodic Review Board (PRB) on 23JUN2016 and was determined to remain a threat due to his bomb-making knowledge and stated intent to re-engage. The PRB conducted file reviews on 25JAN2017, 23AUG2017, 14FEB2018, 9AUG2018, and 13FEB2019, all concluding that detention remained warranted. The detainee's subsequent full review on 20AUG2019 was triggered by process requirements.