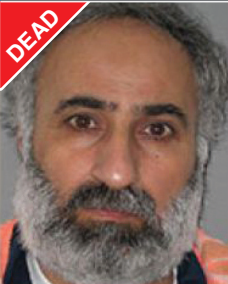


IS deputy leader killed in airstrike in Iraq

Abd al-Rahman Mustafa al-Qaduli, second-in-command of the so-called Islamic State (IS), has been killed in a U.S.-led coalition air strike one week after the U.S. offered a \$7m reward for information on his whereabouts

Abd al-Rahman Mustafa al-Qaduli



Also known as **Abu Ala al-Afri**. Reintegrated himself into Syrian-based IS network in early 2012 following his release from Iraqi prison

Originally joined **Al-Qaeda in Iraq (AQI)** in 2004 and served as deputy to now deceased AQI leader **Abu Musab al-Zarqawi**

Abu Mohammed al-Adnani

Chief spokesman and senior leader of IS. Original name **Taha Subhi Falaha**. Main conduit for dissemination of official IS messages



Opposed U.S.-led invasion of Iraq in 2003, jailed for five years. Arrived in Syria following his release in 2010. Appointed emir of IS in Syria in 2013

Tarkhan Tayumurazovich Batirashvili



Senior IS commander and member of ruling Shura Council in Raqqa, Syria. Better known as **Omar al-Shishani** (Omar the Chechen)

Former Georgian army soldier joined fight against Syrian government in 2012. Swore allegiance to IS head **Abu Bakr al-Baghdadi** in 2013

Tariq bin al-Tahar al-Harzi

IS leader for border region between Syria and Turkey. Known as "emir of suicide bombers" for orchestrating hundreds of suicide attacks in Iraq



Accused by U.S. of helping to raise funds from Gulf-based donors for IS, and of recruiting and facilitating travel of fighters to Syria since 2013