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Assessment Update: Ahamed Aathill Mohamed Samsudeen

Summary

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1. (S) s6(c), s6(a)
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2. (S) s6(c), s6(a)
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[Redacted] NZSIS therefore now assesses it is likely Mohamed Samsudeen will mobilise towards a domestic act of violence.
3. (S) Separately, it remains a realistic possibility that Mohamed Samsudeen will mobilise towards an unsophisticated act of ideologically motivated violence s6(c), s6(a)
[Redacted] without prior warning.

Report Detail

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Background

4. (S) Ahamed Aathill Mohamed Samsudeen (DPOB: 16 April 1989, Sri Lanka) has been the subject of an ongoing NZSIS Counter Terrorism investigation since late 2015 due to his adherence to a faith-motivated violent extremist (FMVE) ideology, in particular his support for the designated terrorist organisation, Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant (ISIL).
5. (S) In 2018, Mohamed Samsudeen was arrested again whilst on bail, and was remanded in custody following his arrest. At that time it is assessed that he was almost certainly mobilising towards an ideologically motivated act of violence in New Zealand. On

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26 May 2021, Mohamed Samsudeen was convicted in the High Court for charges relating to objectionable material and failure to provide details for a computer search; he was later sentenced to 12 months Supervision. On 13 July 2021, Mohamed Samsudeen was released from Auckland Prison on bail and is currently residing at Masjid e-Bilal (7 Waikaukau Road, Glen Eden, Auckland).

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6. (S) s6(c), s6(a)
7. (S) As previously reported Mohamed Samsudeen was almost certainly mobilising towards violence prior to his arrest in 2018. On two separate occasions he has been found to be in possession of a knife, almost certainly related to his intent to conduct an ideologically motivated act of violence. s6(a)

NZSIS Comment

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8. (S) NZSIS assesses it is likely that Mohamed Samsudeen will mobilise towards a domestic act of ideologically motivated violence. s6(c), s6(a)
9. (S) s6(c), s6(a)
10. (S) It remains a realistic possibility Mohamed Samsudeen will mobilise towards an unsophisticated act of ideologically motivated violence s6(c), s6(a) without prior warning.

Probabilistic language

<<Lower likelihood		Even chance		Higher likelihood>>	
10%	25%	50%	75%	90%	
Highly unlikely	Unlikely	Possibly Possible Realistic possibility	Likely Probable Probably	Highly likely	Almost certain

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