

*Draft Regulations laid before Parliament under paragraph 2(2) of Schedule 2 to the European Communities Act 1972, for approval by resolution of each House of Parliament.*

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## DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2011 No. [ ]**

## **CRIMINAL LAW**

### **The Al-Qaida (Asset-Freezing) Regulations 2011**

*Made - - - - [ ] 2011*

*Coming into force in accordance with regulation 1(1)*

The Treasury are designated<sup>(1)</sup> for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972<sup>(2)</sup> in relation to restrictive measures against persons or bodies listed by an international organisation.

In accordance with paragraph 2(2) of Schedule 2 to the European Communities Act 1972, a draft of this instrument was laid before Parliament and approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.

These Regulations make provision for a purpose mentioned in section 2(2) of that Act and it appears to the Treasury that it is expedient for any reference to Annex I to Council Regulation<sup>(EC)</sup> No. 881/2002 of 27 May 2002<sup>(3)</sup> imposing certain specific restrictive measures directed against certain persons and entities associated with the Al-Qaida network to be construed as a reference to that Annex as amended from time to time.

The Treasury, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2(2) of, and paragraph 1A of Schedule 2 to, the European Communities Act 1972, make the following Regulations:

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(1) [S.I. 2010/1834](#).

(2) [1972 c. 68](#). Section 2(2) was amended by section 27(1)(a) of the Legislative and Regulatory Reform Act [2006 \(c.51\)](#) and the European Union (Amendment) Act [2008 \(c.7\)](#), Schedule, Part 1. Paragraph 1A of Schedule 2 was inserted by section 28 of the Legislative and Regulatory Reform Act 2006 and amended by [S.I. 2007/1388](#) and the European Union (Amendment) Act 2008, Schedule, Part 1.

(3) OJNo. L 139, 29.05.2002, p.9, as amended by Council Regulation <sup>(EC)</sup> No. 561/2003 of 27 March 2003 (OJ No. L 82, 29.3.2003, p.1), Council Regulation (EU) No. 1286/2009 of 23 December 2009 (OJ No. L 346, 23.12.2009, p.42) and Council Regulation (EU) No. 754/2011 of 1 August 2011 (OJ No. L 199, 2.8.2011, p. 23). Annex I was most recently amended by Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No. 960/2011 of 26 September 2011 (OJ No. L 252, 28.9.2011, p.8).