#### **United States Department of State**



Washington, D.C. 20520

November 14, 2023 F-2023-05592

Ms. Katherine Long Insider One Liberty Plaza 8<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10006

Dear Ms. Long:

This is in response to your March 2, 2023, request submitted pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552, in which you requested memorandums, telephone conversations, correspondence between Department of State employees and the offices of Rep. Ronny Jackson and Rep. Markwayne Mullin, and internal correspondence between Department employees regarding requests for assistance to extract Mariam Rahim from Afghanistan from August 20, 2021 and September 20, 2021. The Department of State, Office of Information Programs and Services received your FOIA request and assigned it tracking number F2023-05592. Please include the tracking number in all future communications concerning this FOIA request.

The Bureau of Consular Affairs, Office of Overseas Citizens' Services, conducted a search and located 12 records, totaling 57 pages, responsive to your request. After careful review, we determined that 8 records, totaling 31 pages may be released in part. We have also withheld 4 records, totaling 26 pages in full. All releasable material is enclosed. The Department has considered the foreseeable harm standard when reviewing these records and applying FOIA exemptions. The withheld information is exempt from release pursuant to:

- 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(5), which concerns certain inter- and intra-agency communications protected by the deliberative process privilege; and
- 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6), which concerns material that, if released, would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of an individual's personal privacy.

This action closes your request in this office. For further assistance or to discuss any aspect of your request, you may contact our FOIA Requester Service Center or our FOIA Public Liaison by email to <u>FOIAstatus@state.gov</u> or telephone at (202) 261-8484.

If you are not satisfied with the Department's determination in response to your FOIA request, you may administratively appeal by writing to: Appeals Officer, Office of Information Programs and Services, U.S. Department of State, A/GIS/IPS, HST Room B266, 2201 C Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20520, by email to FOIARequest@state.gov, or by fax to 202-485-1718.

Appeals must be postmarked within 90 calendar days and include a copy of this letter, clearly stating why you disagree with the determination set forth in this response.

Additionally, if you are not satisfied with the Department's determination in response to your request, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA Mediation Services they offer. The contact information is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, email address: ogis@nara.gov; telephone: (202) 741-5770; toll free number: 1-877-684-6448; fax: (202) 741-5769.

Sincerely,

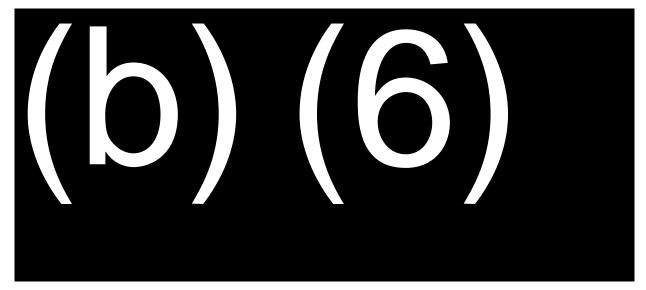
Yung-Mei Haloski

Chief, Management Support Unit

Overseas Citizens Services

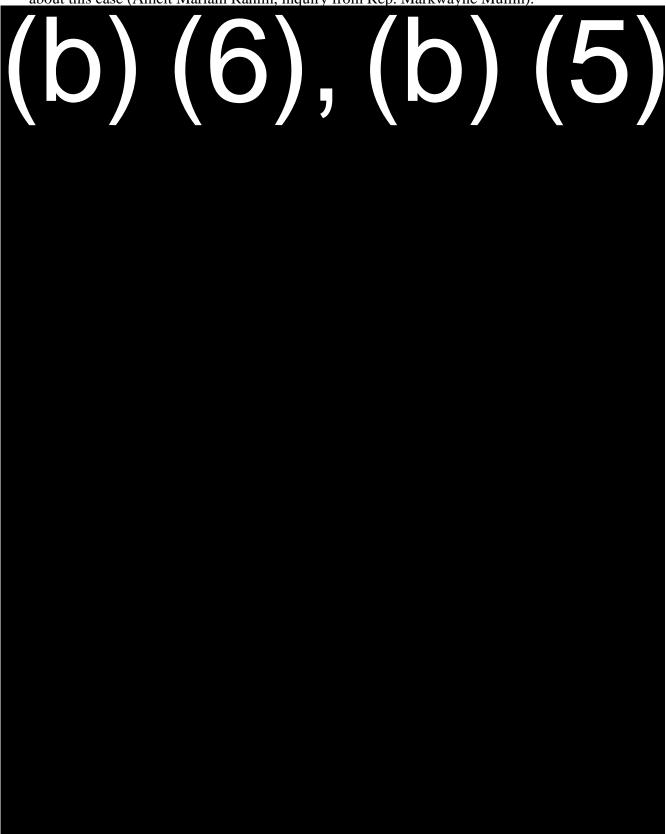
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Enclosure(s):
As stated



**Highlights:** 

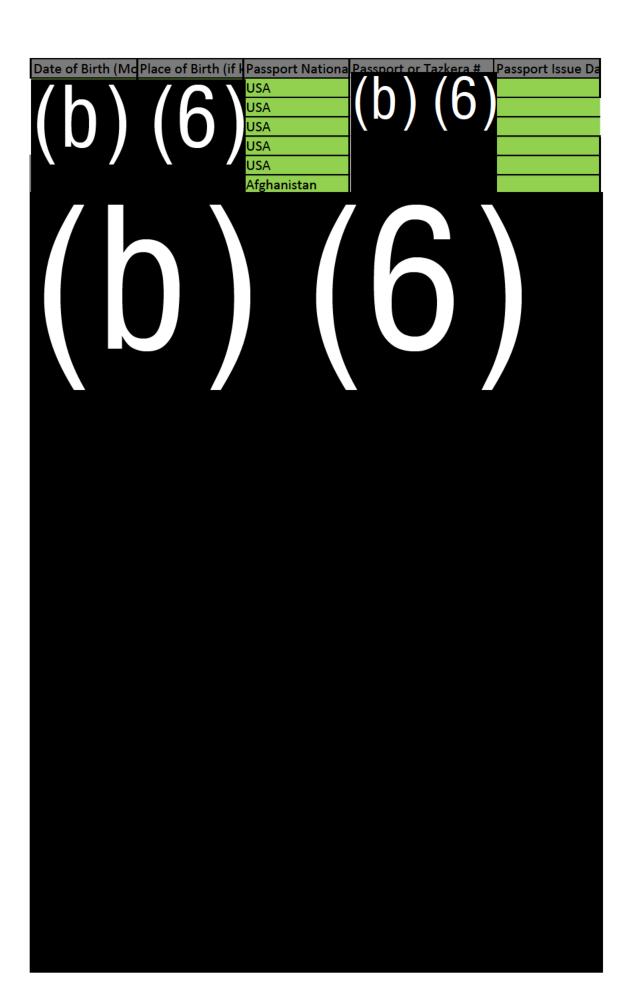
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#### **Handoff Notes**

Good morning, TF2! We've been busy overnight and we know there's a lot for you to catch up on, but we've put together some handoff notes that may help you hit the ground running. The work you do is incredibly important to so many people who will never know your role in helping them and we wish you a successful shift.

Priorities: AfghanistanACS and KabulACS inboxs, and Senior Inquiry Case list

• General:



• AfghanistanACS



• KabulACS:



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From: (b)(6)

**Sent:** Friday, August 27, 2021 11:41 PM

To: (b) (b) (b) (b)

Cc: (b) (6)

RE: Amcits at Risk spreadsheet 8/27/2021

Attachments: AMCITS Responded ForPost 20210827 (002).xlsx

(b) (6) my apologies as well, but this is the latest from CfA on "amcits at risk." I know y'all will have limited time/bandwidth on this, but sharing in case. I also haven't had time to de-conflict with the other lists you've received, so there may be some overlap, as it's not clear the dates this spreadsheet covers.

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Subject: Amcits at Risk spreadsheet 8/27/2021

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I apologize profusely for this. CfA sent me two updates of the "amcits at risk" spreadsheet today (one that covers calls from about mid-day yesterday to 2am EST ("post\_needing\_assistance20210827" and one from 2Am est-8:30am est "amcitsatrisk\_8272021pm). Neither of them match the format we've been using so far and thus they will be very tough for me to merge and d-dup. I've asked for corrections but wanted to get them to you sooner than later in case they would be useful for you all to have to check against. So I've included both, as well as the last one I sent you, so you have them all in one place. If I have time or get a better data set, I'll clean them up for you.

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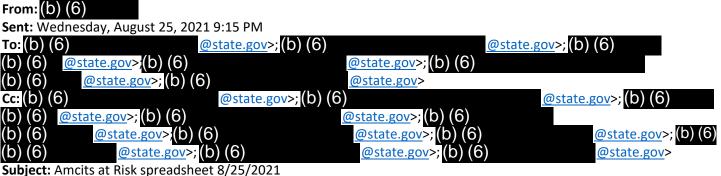
Kabul Colleagues,

Here is today's update of "Amcits at risk". I did my best to merge yesterday and today's list. The green lines are "new" in that they were not on the 8/25 list I sent. They may have been on previous lists as I still have not seen those lists. Again "urgent" cases were ones previously sent to you via chat.

Stay safe and continue doing amazing work.

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#### SBU - IMMIGRATION



Importance: High

Greetings Amazing Colleagues in Kabul,

We're not as amazing here, so this list is late getting to you. This is the list of individuals from this morning's (EST) call bank that could use some help. Note, some cases are marked "urgent". These are the cases the team sent you via chat. So in a sense, they are duplicates, as you've seen them before, but we wanted to be inclusive so nothing got lost.

Also, in this group, the template was missing the "its too far/physically can't get there". We fixed that for today's calls.

Ignore the red

SBU - IMMIGRATION



From: (b) (6)

**Sent:** Sunday, September 5, 2021 1:10 PM **To:** CA-OCS-Afghanistan Coordination2

**Subject:** RE: AmCits (family of 4) at Afghanistan-Tajikistan border

All the latest from Dushanbe Consular Chief, who is doing a great job. It appears four US citizens are at the AFG border with Tajikistan, but the TB are holding them up

"The GoT has confirmed that she and her children will be admitted. But the Taliban would not release them.

We are not aware of any other AmCits being admitted so far across that border. We've tried all week to work with private groups to identify AmCits wanting to exit, but in each case, the families were mixed AmCit-OtherCit, rather than all AmCit. The GoT has made it clear that they will not admit citizens of Afghanistan.

When Congressman Mullin spoke with Ambassador Pommersheim, the Congressman indicated that he is aware of additional AmCits in northern Afgh. I've contacted Cory Mills to ask for details, but no word yet. I've made it clear to him that only AmCits will be admitted into Tajikistan, per the GoT.

Also, just received info on the team down at the border waiting for her to get across (unclear association with Congressman Mullin):

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- MILLS, Cory Lee, (b) (6)
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From: (b) (6) (b) (6) @state.gov>

Sent: Sunday, September 5, 2021 12:41 PM

To: CA-OCS-Afghanistan Coordination2 < CA-OCS-Afghanistan Coordination2@state.gov>

Subject: Fwd: AmCits (family of 4) at Afghanistan-Tajikistan border

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Office of Overseas Citizen Services and Crisis

Country Officer: Nigeria, Ghana, Togo, Benin, Cote D'Ivoire, Cabo Verde

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@state.gov>

All, please see the latest developments on this case.

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From: (b) (6) <u>@state.gov</u>>

Date: September 5, 2021 at 12:35:56 PM EDT

Subject: AmCits (family of 4) at Afghanistan-Tajikistan border

To:(b) (6) @state.gov>

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Thanks for chatting with me on the phone. Please confirm receipt of this e-mail. I want to make sure it got to the correct (b) (6)

Here's the story. At approximately 16:30 Dushanbe time we received first notification that Mariam RAHIM and her family were at the Afghanistan-Tajikistan border (<a href="https://goo.gl/maps/6Nd7JSURLnoE5Wff7">https://goo.gl/maps/6Nd7JSURLnoE5Wff7</a>). My senior LES reached out to our MFA contacts asking for their assistance. It took us until about 17:00 to reach anybody due to the weekend. It was elevated quickly and we received word from the GoT that they would admit the family.

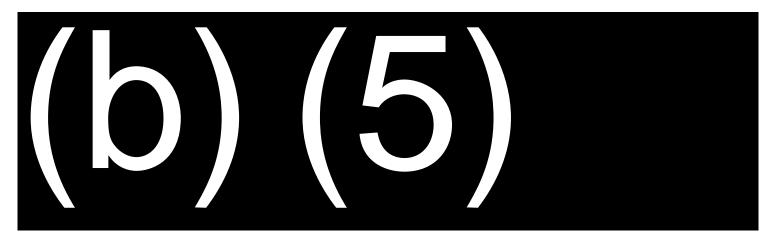
RAHIM, Mariam M(b) (6) (b) (6) (b) (6) (b) (6)

(photos of passport biodata pages below)

We first learned about this family last Monday when contacted by Congressman Markwayne Mullin. Embassy Dushanbe contacted her several times, and she informed us that she did not want our help. She would depend on Cory Mills (see contact information at bottom of attached e-mail). OCS (or TF) also contacted her to ask if she wanted Embassy Dushanbe consular assistance. She gave the same response.

When I talked to her today, she mentioned that she had already been at the border for 8 hours. At first I thought she meant that she had been traveling 8 hours. She also mentioned that she was waiting for Cory to come to the Taliban checkpoint to escort her across.

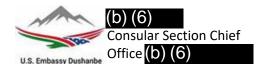
Cory Mills was waiting with a colleague (first name possibly (b) (6)) on the Tajik side of that border crossing. I talked with him several times while trying to secure the family's release across the border. During those calls (b) (5) (b) (5)

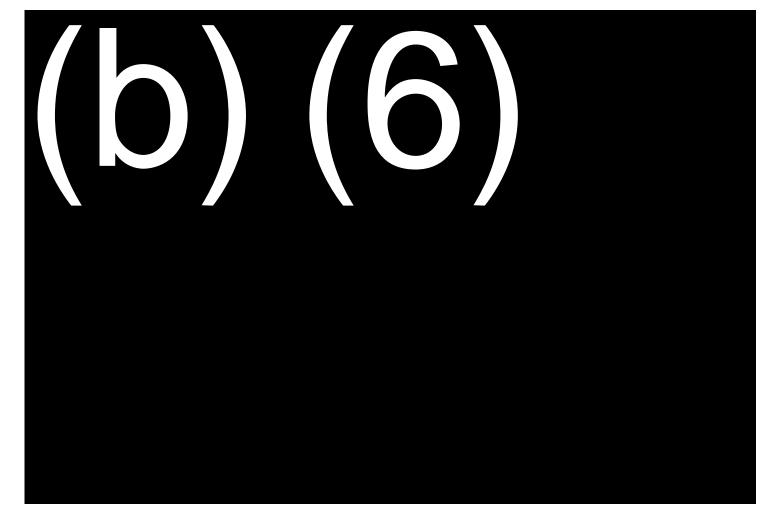


Please let me know if you have any questions.

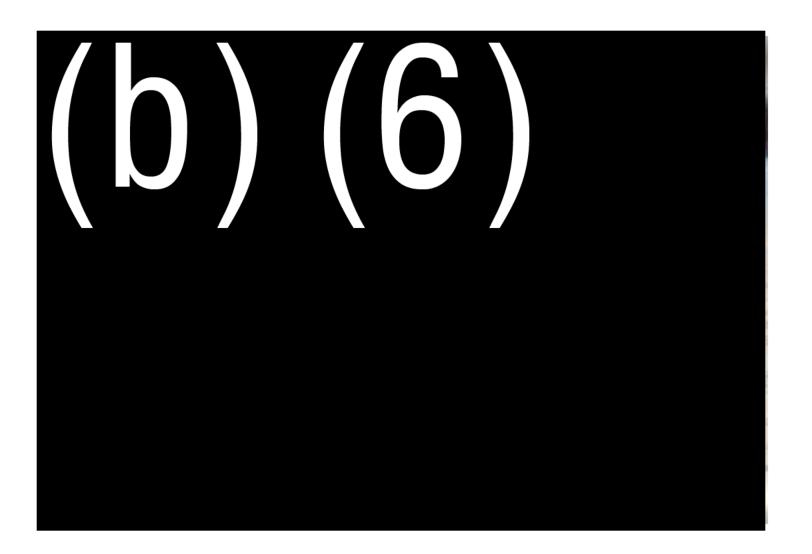
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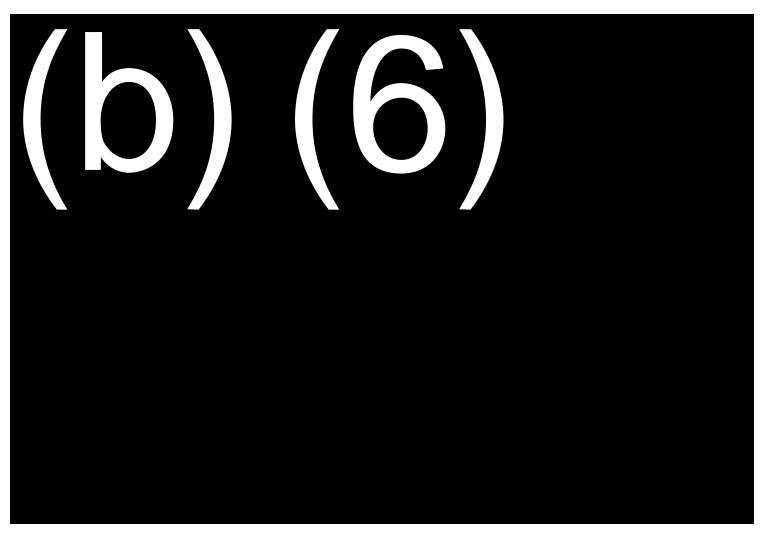
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From: (b)(6)

Sent: Wednesday, September 1, 2021 8:40 AM

To: H Afghanistan Inquiries Shared Mailbox; (b) (6) ; EUR-Afghanistan\_Coordination; CA-

OCS-Afghanistan Coordination2; (b) (6) ; Kabul ACS; AfghanistanLogisticsTF; (b) (6)

Cc: (b) (6) ; CA-OCS-DAS

Subject: RE: AMCIT: Mariam Rahim- HIGH PROFILE CALL FROM REP. MARKWAYNE MULLIN

For additional awareness, the story on Congressman Mullin's involvement is now public:

Oklahoma Rep. Threatened U.S. Ambassador Who Rejected His Kabul Quest: Report (thedailybeast.com)

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From: (b) (6)

Sent: Wednesday, September 1, 2021 8:39 AM

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DAS@state.gov>

Subject: RE: AMCIT: Mariam Rahim- HIGH PROFILE CALL FROM REP. MARKWAYNE MULLIN

Colleagues,

Unfortunately I don't believe Embassy Tbilisi is in a position to help these people. I understand they have not been able to leave Afghanistan; this is not an area where Embassy Tbilisi can provide support.

If they are American citizens, they would not need visas to enter Georgia and could presumably return to the U.S. from there, but I am not aware of any flight options for reaching Tbilisi from Kabul at this point.

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#### SBU -PRIVACY OR PII

From: H Afghanistan Inquiries Shared Mailbox <HAfghanInquiries@state.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, August 31, 2021 11:52 PM

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AfghanistanLogisticsTF < AfghanistanLogisticsTF@groups.state.gov >; (b) (6) @state.gov >

Cc: (b) (6) @state.gov>; (b) (6) @state.gov>; CA-OCS-DAS <CA-OCS-DAS

DAS@state.gov>

Subject: Re: AMCIT: Mariam Rahim- HIGH PROFILE CALL FROM REP. MARKWAYNE MULLIN

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Thank you for following up on this case. To our knowledge, the four Amcits--Miriam Rahim and the three minors--have not yet been able to leave Afghanistan. Any assistance you can provide to them would be greatly appreciated.

You can contact Miriam via her cellphone number below:

Miriam Rahim (F)
(b) (6) (best via whats app)

Many thanks for your continued assistance ATF

From: (b) (6) @state.gov>
Sent: Monday, August 30, 2021 9:23 AM

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Subject: RE: AMCIT: Mariam Rahim- HIGH PROFILE CALL FROM REP. MARKWAYNE MULLIN

CA and ATF colleagues,

Thank you for your work on this. I understand this AMCIT has been unable to reach HKIA. We would appreciate an update if she is able to depart, so we can share with the Embassy leaderships in Tbilisi and Dushanbe.

Best,

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#### SBU -PRIVACY OR PII

#### Kabul Colleagues,

We just received another call from Rep Mullins and learned that Mariam has made a third attempt to access the South gate, but the Taliban still will not let her and the 3 girls pass.

The Taliban members--who are blocking Mariam and the girls--is asking who within the Taliban the embassy is speaking with at the South Gate.

Evidently, Miriam needs that information to get past the Taliban.

Any assistance with passing on this information to get past the Taliban and to the South Gate would be greatly appreciated.

As an FYI, the Representative was on the phone with Miriam during the last call and I could her Miriam passing on this information herself.

Also, Miriam and her daughters have been threatened by the Taliban that they will be shot if they try to access the gate again.

Many thanks for your continued assistance. ATF

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From: (b) (6)

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Sent: Sunday, August 29, 2021 6:03 PM

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Subject: RE: AMCIT: Mariam Rahim- HIGH PROFILE CALL FROM REP. MARKWAYNE MULLIN
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Dear all – Our Consular Chief spoke to Ms. Rahim, who was accompanied by non-US family members whom the Taliban will not let through. He encouraged her to make another attempt with just her children, but she was unwilling to do so. We'll close the loop with Cong. Mullin from TF1.

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From: EUR-Afghanistan_Coordination < EURAfghanistanCoord@state.gov>
Sent: Sunday, August 29, 2021 2:58 PM

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Adding Afghanistan Logistics TF (regarding this congressman's potential plan to travel to Afghanistan) and the DS Rep on the main TF.

(b) (6) | EUR Afghanistan Coordinator | August 29 0000-0800 Shift | (b) (6)

From: H Afghanistan Inquiries Shared Mailbox < HAfghanInquiries@state.gov>

Sent: Sunday, August 29, 2021 2:47 PM

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(b) (6) <u>@state.gov</u>>; Kabul ACS < <u>KabulACS@state.gov</u>>

Subject: Fw: AMCIT: Mariam Rahim- HIGH PROFILE CALL FROM REP. MARKWAYNE MULLIN

Hi all-

Sending again to make sure passport images transfer through this time. With updates information for the Congressman as well.

Thank you,

Hi Kabul Team-

Congressman Markwayne Mullin called the TF re: this case. The Amcit and her three Amcit children are in a safehouse and were told to come to the airport but with no specific location.

The Congressman is in the country of Georgia with his security team and considering extracting her himself with his security team, possibly via land border.

#### **AMCIT** contact info:

Miriam Rahim (F)

(b) (6)

passport info for the 4 Amcits below

Cory Mills- security POC: Cory Mills (b) (6)

**Congressman Markwayne Mullins contact info:** 



Thanks, (b) (6)

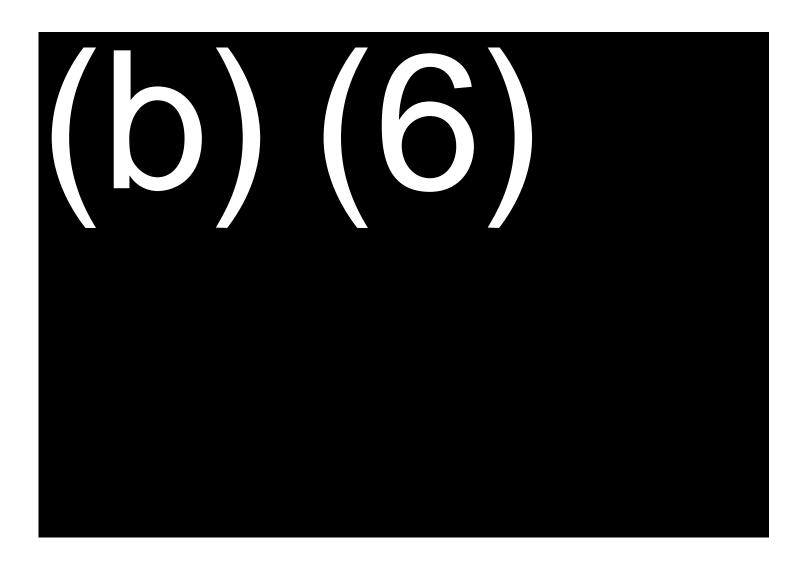
From: Cory Mills (b) (6)

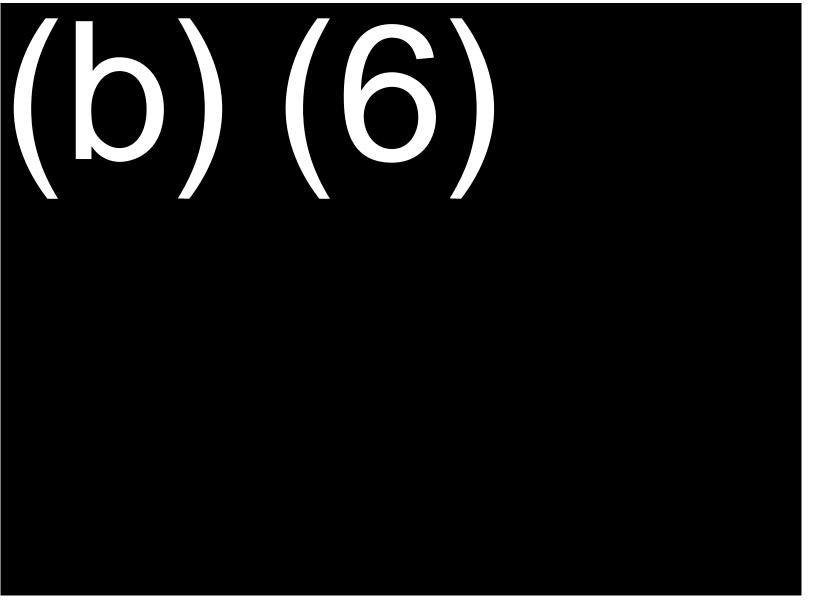
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To: H Afghanistan Inquiries Shared Mailbox <HAfghanInquiries@state.gov>

Subject: AMCIT: Mariam Rahim

Please find attached:







Cory Mills
Executive Chairman

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https://www.pacem-defense.com/
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From:

Sent:

<u>ursday, Sept</u>ember 16, 2021 9:15 PM

To: Cc:

; CA-OCS-Afghanistan Coordination2; (0)

Subject:

At first glance, there is not one U.S. passport.

However, there could be some that are U.S. citizens, but presented their AFGH passports to the officials.

A review of the names and DOBs might enable us to find more information (if it was spelled right and the DOB was translated correctly, etc.) about whether they are U.S. citizens.

Will let you know.

Regards,

(b) (6)

(She/Her)

Consular Border Security Programs Manager • CA/C

<u>@State.gov</u>, Cell:(b)(6)

ATF Temp Desk: (b) (6)

SENSITIVE BUT UNCLASSIFIED

From: (b) (6)

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Sent: Thursday, September 16, 2021 8:38 PM To:(b)(6)

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All,

Attached please find an additional manifest with 10 reported AMCITs.

Best,

From: (b) (6)

Sent: Tuesday, September 14, 2021 12:15 PM

To:(b) (6)

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CA colleagues,

Please see attached updated Mercury One manifests for CA review.

Best,

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Sent: Monday, September 13, 2021 11:20 AM

To: (b) (6) @state.gov>; (b) (6) @state.gov>; CA-OCS-Afghanistan

Coordination2 < CA-OCS-AfghanistanCoordination2@state.gov>

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#### Colleagues:

Please see newly received manifests for CA review. I'd also appreciate any update on the Bancroft manifest I flagged last night.

### Thanks, **(b) (6)**

From: (b) (6)

Sent: Sunday, September 12, 2021 6:41 PM

To: (b) (6)

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Subject: Re: Manifests

Good evening CA colleagues,

Following up on the manifests I sent yesterday, I wanted to flag for priority review the Bancroft-Sesame manifest, which includes among others 6 reported AMCITs and 15 reported LPRs. It would be helpful to know if reported Amcits are indeed in databases and in Afghanistan. I've reattached that manifest here for convenience.

I also wanted to pass along the most recent versions of three sets of manifests that we've previously shared, as well as two additional lists. Happy to hop a call if that would be helpful.

#### Thanks,

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CA Colleagues,

Per the chain below, attached please find manifests we've received since last weekend with reported AMCITs. Apologies if these are documents you've already received. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Best, **(b) (6)** 

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Copy all, we'll do that.
Thanks,
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Plus (b) (6) , (b) (6) and (b) (6) . please send new manifests to (b) (6) and CA-OCS-Afghanistan coordination 2.

We are keeping a running tally of the names of Amcits that appear on these manifests – generally speaking the names are recycled so we are keeping track of those we've checked. There are a handful of Amcits in Mazar who did not leave on the overland trip and we are in touch with them. We want to be sure to keep checking to make sure we don't miss anyone new.

We definitely want any info about Amcits you may become aware of so we can track and offer them an opportunity to depart if they wish to.

Thanks!

#### **Rena Bitter**

Assistant Secretary

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#### CA colleagues:

We've received several new and revised manifests from (b) (6) this morning and wanted to touch base on most effective way forward:

- As we receive new manifests, how should we convey any reported AMCITs to your team? Would you like us to
  pull out specific information about reported AMCITs (and if so, what data points would be most useful), or
  would you prefer we send you the full manifest?
- Who are the specific POCs on your team that are working this issue over the weekend?
- Do you want us to similarly send your team any data about reported LPRs, AMCIT family members?

Happy to hop on a call if that's easier.

Thanks, (b) (6)

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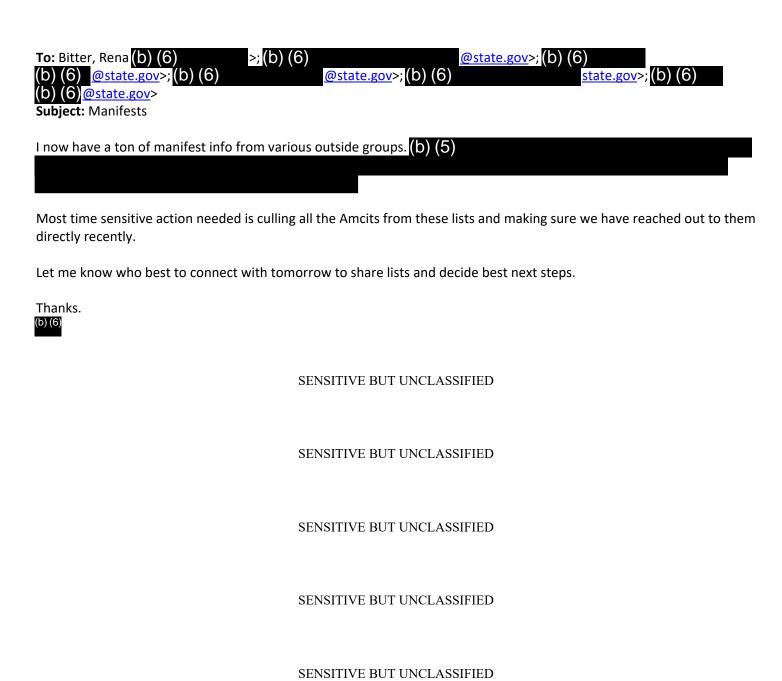
We have been checking manifests and deconflicting the amcits - as you know the same few appear on all manifests. Of the ones actually there, one left overland and one on a Qatar charter from kabul. The others that we know are there wouldn't leave family behind - (b) (5)

But there are two new ones on the last manifest and you are correct - we need to check in with them and see if they are actually there and if they are interested/ready for a Kabul charter.

Will do so this weekend.

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Sent: Friday, September 10, 2021 11:40:19 PM



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