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Country Report on Terrorism 2022 - Chapter 5 - Harakat Sawa'd Misr

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Description: Harakat Sawa'd Misr (HASM) was designated as an FTO on January 14, 2021. Formed in Egypt in 2015 with the goal of overthrowing the Egyptian government, HASM attacks Egyptian security officials and other government-affiliated targets.

Activities: Since 2016, HASM has claimed responsibility for numerous attacks, including the 2016 attempted assassination of Egypt's former Grand Mufti Ali Gomaa, the 2017 assassination of Egyptian National Security Agency officer Ibrahim Azzazy; the 2017 attack on Burma's embassy in Cairo; and the 2019 car bomb attack targeting security forces in Giza, killing or wounding 10 soldiers. HASM was responsible for a car bombing on a government health institute in Cairo, killing at least 20 people and injuring dozens.

HASM did not claim responsibility for any terrorist attacks in 2022.

Strength: Precise numbers are unknown.

Location/Area of Operation: Egypt.

Funding and External Aid: Sources of funding are unknown.

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