

**Analysis of and Response to The Texas Department of Public Safety's
January 2020 Unclassified Domestic Terrorism Threat Assessment**

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Foreword

This author would like to thank the brave men and women who have taken the oath to protect this country from all threats both foreign and domestic, and faithfully kept the *integrity* of that oath in their continuing civil service. You are the best among us. Thank you to all who carry the torch by word and example in how best to protect and defend our Constitutional rights as they were written with the intent to preserve our liberties, our freedoms, and our humanity. Thank you to those who accurately define who our enemies are, where they lie, and how they operate to our destruction. For without the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth we are cowards and we are slaves.

Introduction

The purpose of this document is to provide unique direct intelligence collected, relevant facts, and empirical source and data as a Response to the Fusion Center's (FC) Domestic Terrorism Threat Assessment. This Response will provide supplemental and new information as stated below. This Response will do the following:

1. Identify the terrorist threats that were not included in the Threat Assessment Report (hereinafter Report) and provide supplemental supporting data.
2. Provide supplemental intelligence and data to the threats presented in the Report.
3. Provide a short list of recent domestic terror events not included in Threat Assessment Report.
4. Identify a significant terror threat that encompasses all the categories, types and trends the FC presented separately for the domestic terrorists profiled in the Report.
5. Briefly describe the ideology behind and show how this significant threat operates in response to the Report.
6. Supplement and/or correct any false statements of fact, errors and omissions, narratives, and biased appearing theories contained in the Report.
7. Provide expert source and first authority materials and information currently available to law enforcement and to citizens for education on the terror threat presented in this Response.

I.

Response to the Fusion Center's Executive Summary and Acknowledgements

1. The Fusion Center/DPS Report sets the main focus and tone with an Executive Summary that states: “*Based on the prevalence of recently conducted attacks nationwide, White Racially Motivated (WRM) crime is currently the most violently active domestic terrorism type. That since 2018 WRM actors were responsible for at least three (3) major attacks in the U.S. including one (1) in Texas and several thwarted incidents; and that this activity outnumbered the other domestic terrorism types.*” (Page 3) This Response would show that the underlined portion of the above statement is **false**. David Horowitz' Frontpage Magazine has written regarding this claim made in the mainstream media prior to the publishing of the Threat Assessment. In response to the *narrative* that white supremacy is the biggest threat, Frontpage reported that 51% of mass shooters in 2019 were black, in black areas with black victims.
2. Frontpage states that while the mainstream media was focused on the El Paso and Dayton shootings, 60 people were shot in Chicago over that very same weekend¹. Frontpage reveals that white mass shooters get more mainstream media publicity, are the focus of repetitive false claims made by the Southern Poverty Law Center, and asserts that “numbers don't lie, but people lie with numbers all the time”.² The Report overlooks published data and available statistics to include a fair analysis of Islamic terror, ideology and connections, including that which is related to some of the individuals it profiled.
3. The mainstream media has been active in pushing a white crime narrative as have our politicians. **FACT:** Congresswoman Ilhan Omar's on camera statement that “*Americans should be more fearful of white man*” [sic] reflects this bias. Omar is closely associated with Hamas doing business as CAIR (The Council on American Islamic Relations) and Turkey's President Recep Tayyip Erdogan, among others, and asserts that America and the West are the enemy of Islam and Palestine.³

¹<https://www.frontpagemag.com/fpm/2019/08/51-mass-shooters-2019-were-black-only-29-were-daniel-greenfield/>

²<https://www.frontpagemag.com/fpm/2019/02/adl-cant-stop-faking-hate-crime-statistics-daniel-greenfield/>

³<https://www.jihadwatch.org/2019/07/ilhan-omar-answers-question-on-jihadist-terrorism-by-saying-americans-should-be-more-fearful-of-white-men>

4. The Fusion Center Report lists one WRM event where the perpetrator wanted to “*kill Jews*” (Page 17) but does not report the statistics concerning the recent rise in antisemitic crime. **FACT:** A complete analysis and report would include the violence against Jews ongoing in the Palestinian cause, taught to non-white children in American Islamic schools,⁴ and carried out by blacks and Islamic individuals against American Jewish communities. Omitting these statistics makes the Report inaccurate and incomplete and creates false perceptions and bias against a particular class, namely white men. When facts and statistics are omitted, a proper analysis cannot be made. **QUESTION:** How can the Fusion Center accurately claim that white racially motivated crime is the most violent when it lacks a full analysis, and specifically when published crime statistics disprove such claim and/or prove otherwise?
5. The Executive Summary projects on Page 3 that “*Involuntary Celibates (Incels) are an emerging domestic terror threat that could soon match, or potentially eclipse the level of lethality demonstrated by other domestic terrorism types*”. **FACT:** While the FC attempts to highlight this Incel “*movement*”, sanctioned Islamic honor crimes far overshadow Incel violence. Honor violence including murder is a cultural and religious practice long cemented in the oppressive Islamic ideology towards the status of women. Sharia Law provides that women are worth ½ of a man. Following the Qur'an and the example of the Prophet Muhammad is obligatory. Sharia Law imposes and sanctions the suppression and inequality against all women globally, Muslim or non-Muslim, a clear violation of individual human rights under our Constitution. Child marriage, female genital mutilation and polygamy are accepted universal practices under the Sharia. The Hijab worn by women and even young females signifies the plight of inequality of Muslim women and is the sign that the woman and/or child is subdued. It is slavery on a mass scale as compared with an Incel “personal grievance or rebellion” as stated in the Report. One of the most high profile Texas cases is still unresolved and a thorough search under this topic will reveal many more across this country and countless across the Islamic world.⁵ **QUESTIONS:** If the Fusion Center presents Incel behavior and ideology as a lethal threat worthy of domestic terrorism status, why does it **omit** Islamic honor violence? Does the Fusion Center understand that

⁴https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KHXCmEWxMY4&feature=emb_logo

⁵https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Yaser_Abdel_Said

honor violence is a fundamental Islamic religious ideology and practice sanctioned under the Sharia which all Muslims view as superior law to all other laws?

6. The Executive Summary (Page 4) states that the U.S. domestic terrorists it highlights sought inspiration or training from foreign actors, intentionally attack soft targets, radicalize, and find inspiration on the internet. The Report admits that a lack of chargeable federal or state statutes make it difficult for law enforcement to investigate and prosecute. Finally, the Executive Summary admits that leaderless domestic terrorism individuals sometimes with blurred ideologies challenge law enforcement to accurately identify domestic terrorism. **FACT**: Information, resource material and expert level training in this regard is available and geared towards law enforcement.⁶

7. The Acknowledgements paragraph (Page 7) states the Texas Fusion Center's "*collaborations with law enforcement and criminal justice agencies across Texas and the U.S. were invaluable to developing an accurate and complete assessment of the domestic terrorism threat in Texas*". This Response challenges this statement as other law enforcement agencies such as the FBI and The Department of Homeland Security release reports on Islamic terror that discuss al Qaeda and ISIS and their influence on American Muslims and their actual presence on our soil. This Response will show the Report is deplete of important information on the Islamic threat existing in the United States. **FACT**: Islamic terrorism encompasses political, informational, educational, financial, social, religious and military fronts thereby making it superior to all other forms listed in the Fusion Center's Report, and a significant if not the primary threat to the United States. The Fusion Center has a duty to understand the basic obligations of Islam and that these principals have never changed throughout history and that reformation is forbidden. There is not one action that groups like Al Qaeda and ISIS perform that is not fundamental or obligatory. **QUESTION**: Does the Fusion Center and its associates understand that 1) Islamic Jihad in all forms is universal and fundamental Sharia Law, 2) upheld in all texts including (The Reliance of the Traveler,⁷ and The Quran), 3) is pursuant to the life of

⁶<https://www.understandingthethreat.com/>

⁷ The Umdat al Salik (Reliance of the Traveler) is a 14th century book of Islamic Law that is relevant today because the leading Muslim Brotherhood entity in the United States, The Islamic Society of North America, tells Muslims this book should be in every Muslim home in America. Additionally, Al Azhar University, the oldest and most prestigious school of Islamic jurisprudence on the planet has a certification in the Reliance of the Traveler stating it approves

Muhammad, and that 4) all Muslims are obligated to perform Jihad in daily life in order to please Allah and receive his blessings? In Islam, to say otherwise would be punishable for invalidating Allah.

II.

Response to the Preface and Introduction of The Report

1. The Preface (Page 9) refers to the August 14, 2019 El Paso attack and reiterates a definition of terrorism simply stating without a source that “*there is no consensus on the definition of domestic terrorism*”. “*The Report is a furtherance of political or social goals by U.S. individuals and groups through acts of threats, force, violence and are criminal*”. Finally, it states that this definition closely aligns with those used by federal law enforcement agencies. **FACT:** Title 22, Chapter 38 of the United States Code (regarding the Department of State) contains a definition of terrorism in its requirement that annual country reports on terrorism be submitted by the Secretary of State to Congress every year. It reads: [T]he term 'terrorism' means politically motivated violence perpetrated against noncombatant targets by subnational groups or clandestine agents. The U.S. Department of Defense recently changed its definition of terrorism. Per Joint Pub 3-07.2, Antiterrorism, (24 November 2010), the Department of Defense defines it as "the unlawful use of violence or threat of violence to instill fear and coerce governments or societies. Terrorism is often motivated by beliefs and committed in the pursuit of religious, **political, or other ideological** goals that are usually political." This new definition distinguishes between motivations for terrorism (religion, ideology, etc.) and goals of terrorism ("usually political"). This contrasts with the previous definition which stated that the goals could be religious in nature.
2. **FACT:** Violent Jihad *is* the cumulation and manifestation of progressive fundamental religious indoctrination, ideological practice, and political motivation. *See*, The Reliance of the Traveler and The Quran.
3. The Introduction (Page 11) explains that the discussion of belief, opinion or ideology is *only* included in the document to provide context when the threat or application of the

what is contained inside it. There, jihad is defined as follows: “to war against non-Muslims...signifying warfare to establish Islam” and is “obligatory for every Muslim.”

criminal behavior, force or violence in furtherance of political or social goals exists. The Report distinguishes domestic terrorists with Homegrown Violent Extremist (HVE) actors who are inspired by foreign terrorist organizations (FTOs) yet act independently according to a definition from the FBI, DHS, and the NCTC-National Counterterrorism Center.

FACT: The FTOs designated by the Secretary of State, Bureau of Counter Terrorism are dominated by Islam.⁸ This is by the Office of Foreign Asset Control, a division of the U.S. Treasury Department and tied to the Patriot Act. **QUESTION**: Why does the Report in this section highlight the Austin bomber, a white man, as a notable example, but does not provide any examples of the HVEs or the FTOs that exist in Texas and have committed acts of terror?

4. The Report on page 12 states that “*an additional challenge in analyzing the DT threat is the inability to identify trends through quantitative data. There is no finite dataset that can clearly show an increase or decrease in acts of domestic terrorists. Any attempt to count the number of U.S. based individuals harboring domestic terrorist beliefs presents significant civil liberties concerns.*” Homegrown terrorists committing Islamic Jihad is documented in the Exhibit attached which only spans a short period of time. This data is not a “trend”. The Report **omits** the amount of documented Islamic crime that exists in the U.S., while spotlighting “*trends*” from a small number of major events that have occurred. The fact is the domestic terrorism the Fusion Center wants to quantify lacks enough recent events to even create a data set. Not so for Islamic crime as shown in the Exhibit. **QUESTION**: Why did the Fusion Center **omit** available Islamic Jihad terror statistics?
5. There are well known political groups connected to terrorism that engage law enforcement and all levels of government in the guise of benign civil rights organizations, specifically CAIR (The Council on American Islamic Relations). These Islamic groups are engaged in “training” law enforcement and government in how to be sensitive to Muslims. They pressure government and law enforcement and provide **false** information about their communities thereby achieving a special class protection status, or at least a perception and cooperation of the same. If not given, these groups play the victim card and complain of Islamophobia, bigotry, racism, hate crimes and discrimination. They leverage mayors and

⁸ <https://www.ofac-guide.com/ofac-foreign-terrorists.htm>

city councils to be inclusive and welcoming, they lobby for Sharia family courts, Halal foods and slaughter privileges, Muslim-only neighborhoods close to the Mosque, and Muslim Days at the Capitol. These groups operate as obstructers to American justice pushing instead Sharia, and they seek to silence all criticism of Islam through the Islamophobia campaign so that the community they seek to infiltrate comes under the control of the Islamic Law of Slander. The best example of this obstruction of justice, was the success in the removal of language and data that pertained to Islamic terrorism from the Dept. of Homeland Security's Manual under the Obama Administration. Under Islamic Law, slander is anything that is offensive to Muslims including criticism and pursuant to Sharia Law there is a lethal punishment according to the Reliance of the Traveler - Islamic Law. **QUESTION:** Was the Fusion Center encouraged, contacted or pressured by CAIR or any Muslim “civil rights” organization similar to what was just described?

6. In the paragraph entitled Differentiating Between Extreme and Mainstream on page 12, the term extreme for their Report applies to an individual's or group's view towards force and violence. The Report states that domestic terrorists believe force or violence is an acceptable means to accomplish their goals, but this is a small portion of the population and not mainstream. Once again, Islamic violence falls into this very category however, it does not qualify as a small portion of the population. **FACT:** It qualifies through a list of lawful violent punishments justified for every Muslim under Sharia Law that are indeed criminal acts under American law.
7. The Report later points to Veterans and Patriot citizens who “*view themselves as defenders of the Constitution*” as extremists in this very context on the use of force. (Page 23) **FACT:** This inclusion of Veterans and Patriot citizens as extremists and/or domestic terrorists suggests there is a problem with the Constitution. This language pits law enforcement against our Military, our Veterans and tax paying citizens in the free exercise of liberty and the right to freely assemble and bear arms. **QUESTION:** Can the Fusion Center claim that declaring responsible gun owning and highly trained Veterans and Patriots domestic terrorists isn't echoing the **biased** mainstream media narrative and left-wing political agenda that is actively working to disarm a lawfully armed public?
8. **FACT:** In contrast to liberty and freedom, mainstream Islamic fundamental practice (sanctioned by Sharia Law obligations for every Muslim) is oppressive and violent. Examples are: Female genital mutilation, halal slaughter, sanctioned wife beatings,

polygamy, honor killings, and child marriage; as well as capital punishment for blasphemy, adultery, homosexuality, Christianity, and indeed simply being un-Islamic. The Mosque is described as a battalion, a military outpost. Muslims are forbidden to change the way they live, regardless of where they live and therefore, their political groups attempt to turn that spotlight off of the community for these very reasons, and specifically, the inequality of women in this community. **QUESTION:** Why doesn't the Report accurately include Islam's directed course of obligated violence taken from the Quran and the Hadith?

9. Under Grouping Types of Domestic Terrorism (Page 13), the Fusion Center determines three (3) types: Racially motivated, anti-government, and single issue:
 - a) Racially motivated . . . displays or threatens force or violence motivated by a bias against a single or multiple racial and/or ethnic populations;
 - b) Anti-government . . . displays or threatens force or violence motivated by a rejection of governmental authority, a perceived governmental injustice, or belief that government has failed in one or more of its duties; and
 - c) Single issue . . . displays or threatens force or violence motivated by a single, typically social, goal or grievance.

FACT: While the Report states it is important to consider the specific ideology involved, the Report avoids references to religious extremism. Qualifying would be American converts to Islam before committing mass killings and that includes some of the Report's profiled individuals. The Report should at least reference 911, San Bernardino, The Pulse Nightclub, Pensacola, and Ft. Hood, -- all mass casualty Islamic Jihad, and the attacks listed in the Exhibit that pertain to Texas. The FC Report instead breaks out instances of WRM crime with examples of the mass killings that took place in New Zealand and El Paso and the similar ideologies that were found associated with these two events. (Pages 15-17) The Report discusses additional thwarted events repeating the El Paso event and looking elsewhere around the globe for supporting examples. **QUESTION:** Why does the Report minimize or otherwise omit attacks by Islamic converts that radicalized for the single purpose of waging Jihad to kill non-Muslims?

10. Islamic Jihad encompasses all three of the above (a-c) points and in keeping with the “roots” of the WRM domestic terrorists named in the Report such as the KKK and neo

Nazis, violent Jihad has been rooted and developed for over 1400 years. European society ignorantly denied the threat while allowing Pakistani Muslim industrial scale child rape. Muslim no go zones patrolled by Muslim police pepper the landscape, and Sharia courts were established and are now fully operational. Sharia Law inclusion is discussed in Parliament and some laws have been adopted specifically concerning the Islamic Law of Slander. Because of massive Islamic immigration and the development of a Sharia society, violent Jihad is now considered “part and parcel of living in a big city” according to London's Pakistani Muslim Mayor, Sidiq Khan.

11. The Report's “*accelerationism*” theory (Page 16) in advancing the WRM cause by creating new societies, rejecting the current society, and taking action to destabilize what they perceive as an unsustainable system, ultimately resulting in the call for violence is Jihad in a nutshell. Civilization Jihad, economic, political, financial, religious, social, informational, educational, and military ideologies are admittedly completely opposite of democracy yet are the make-up Islam and the Sharia. **FACT:** Islam/Sharia is a totalitarian whole system of life with violent Jihad being highest form of obligation and the most pleasing to Allah. There is only one Islam and one Sharia and this is what is taught in every Mosque in the U.S. From John Guandolo of Understanding the Threat:

12. **“Texas leads the nation with the most Jihadi attacks since 911. Texas also has a massive jihadi infrastructure to support and prepare for future attacks. Evidence from the largest terrorism financing trial ever successfully prosecuted in U.S. history – US v. Holy Land Foundation for Relief and Development (HLF), Northern District of Texas (Dallas) in 2008 – reveals there is a massive network of Islamic organizations around the United States, and specifically in Texas, supporting terrorist operations. These organizations are primarily led by the U.S. Muslim Brotherhood, which should be designated a terrorist organization.⁹ The Holy Land Foundation (HLF), located in Richardson, Texas, was convicted of providing over \$12 million dollars to the terrorist group Hamas overseas, and at the time it was indicted in 2001 HLF was the largest Islamic charity in America. This is not surprising since Dallas, Texas is the #2 hub for**

⁹<https://www.understandingthethreat.com/designate-the-muslim-brotherhood/>

Hamas operations in the United States, second only to Chicago, Illinois.”

13. **“There are numerous examples of terrorist attacks across the United States supported by the Muslim Brotherhood’s jihadi network. Here are a couple examples from Texas: The Islamic Jihadi Major Nidal Malik Hasan killed 14 people and wounded 32 others at Fort Hood, Texas in November 2009 after recently arriving (July 2009) from working at Walter Reed Medical Center (Washington, DC) where he attended the Muslim Brotherhood’s Dar al Hijra Islamic Center in Falls Church, Virginia, and was under the tutelage of Al Qaeda leader Anwar al Awlaki. The attack on a free speech event in Garland, Texas on May 3, 2015 was launched by two Islamic jihadis out of the Muslim Brotherhood’s Islamic Community Center of Phoenix who were killed by an alert and skilled police officer. This terrorist support network is significant across Texas. There are Muslim Students Associations (MSA) on every major college and university campus in Texas recruiting terrorists and providing misinformation to students about Islam. As a point of reference, Abdurahman Alamoudi, the former National MSA President, was an Al Qaeda financier who is now in federal prison.”**

14. **“The Muslim Brotherhood’s Islamic Society of North America (ISNA) has 20 subsidiary Islamic Societies across Texas, and the Muslim Brotherhood’s bank, the North American Islamic Trust (NAIT), owns properties across Texas. Both ISNA and NAIT were identified by the U.S. government in the US v HLF trial as being Muslim Brotherhood organizations who directly funded the designated Foreign Terrorist Organization Hamas. Research conducted by UTT reveals the teachings at the mosques/Islamic centers in the major cities in Texas are in line with the teachings of Al Qaeda and the Islamic State. They call for war to be waged by muslims against the non-muslim population to overthrow of the U.S. government and establish an Islamic State (caliphate) under sharia (Islamic Law). Materials supporting this revolutionary and seditious ideology has also been discovered by UTT in the muslim prayer room at the Taylor Chapel at Goodfellow Air Force base in San Angelo, Texas. To top it all off,**

Hamas doing business as the Council on American Islamic Relations (CAIR) – widely defended and supported by nearly every media outlet in Texas especially in the DFW and Austin areas – hosts “Muslim Day” at the Texas State Capital each year despite the fact they operate as a cover for a designated Foreign Terrorist Organization.¹⁰”

15. **“In Summary Texas has seen more jihadi attacks than any other state in America. The largest terrorism financing trial in U.S. history was adjudicated in Dallas, Texas because the largest Islamic charity (a terrorist front organization for Hamas) was in Richardson, Texas – a suburb of Dallas-Fort Worth. Dallas, Texas is the second largest center for activity for the terrorist group Hamas in the United States.”**
16. The most comprehensive and continually updated list of Jihad attacks across the globe can be found at **www.thereligionofpeace.com**. As of July 17, 2020, during the holy month of Ramadan, this website calculates 37,270 deadly terror attacks since 911. A search for American Jihad can be found there occurring since 1972 by date, location, the number killed and wounded, and a brief description of each attack. The site continually updates with the most current and accurate information. Other sources include Robert Spencer's Jihad Watch which has a month to month archive, and Creeping Sharia who archive by state and month. Texas can be easily searched on this forum. This Response will provide a short list of recent American Jihad attacks from these sites. **QUESTION**: How does the Fusion Center track Islamic motivated crime and criminals?
17. The Fusion Center's profiling of the WRM actors throughout its Report consistently excludes discussion on religious motivation and the pathway to Jihad. WRM criminals link to international actors as a course of inspiration and self-radicalization, travel overseas to train, and network with paramilitary groups and neo Nazis according to the FC Report. **QUESTION**: Why did the FC **omit** available data of American Muslims who traveled to the Middle East to fight with ISIS and al Qaeda and instead chose to present individuals who attack mosques?
18. The Fusion Center discusses black racially motivated movements (Page 19) and includes

¹⁰<https://www.understandingthethreat.com/cair-is-hamas-2/>

that they are often religiously or politically and/or anti-government motivated but *not* both or all three. **FACT:** Jihad encompasses all three at the very least. Left out is the indoctrination of the black prison population into Islam. Left out is any mention of the Nation of Islam or any other linked groups. (Pages 20-21) The Grafton Thomas case was an antisemitic attack. Micah Johnson, a black man who killed five Dallas police officers is reported to have identified with the Nation of Islam as well as its openly communist associate - Black Lives Matter. Brandon Baldwin and Olajuwon Davis in the Report were both “members of a known BRM group” (The Black Panthers according to other reports) who plotted to blow up public buildings. Both were Muslim converts. Brandon Muhammad is listed according to court documents and Davis goes by the last name Ali.^{11 12}



19. Zale H. Thompson, also profiled in the Report (Page 20) who attacked four white NYPD officers with a hatchet not only identified with BRM groups, but it is reported he visited hundreds of al Qaeda, al Shabaab and ISIL websites. Thomson stated, “*If the Zionists and the Crusaders had never invaded and colonized the Islamic lands after WW1, then there would be no need for Jihad!*”¹³

20. These actors may have identified with BRM groups they radicalized through and Islam that

¹¹<https://freedomoutpost.com/muslim-convert-black-panthers-planned-bomb-arch-kill-prosecutor-kill-ferguson-police-chief/>

¹²<https://www.cbsnews.com/news/2-sentenced-for-bomb-plot-in-wake-of-ferguson-police-shooting/>

¹³<https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-2806731/Was-terror-attack-Police-probe-extremist-links-online-rants-New-York-hatchet-attacker-emerge-shot-dead-attack-group-cops-Queens.html>

is not a *random ideology* or a *trend* but has the ability to provide individuals with a purpose, the promise of Paradise, and playbooks on how to operate in any market and on any level they choose. The Texas Department of Public Safety has a responsibility to engage in substantial training with persons other than CAIR who is an unindicted co-conspirator in the largest terrorism case prosecuted in the U.S. CAIR and others like it operate as justice obstructers by presenting falsehoods on Islam so that their subversive agenda is not discovered. Their own documents openly discuss this political warfare tactic. One of CAIR's main political and informational narratives is governmental abuse and Islamophobia. They campaign to politicians and the Southern Poverty Law Center on these narratives. CAIR teaches Muslims how to avoid the FBI and the police. **FACT:** The Fusion Center **omits** substantial facts from its Department of Public Safety Report concerning this significant and ongoing threat. **QUESTION:** Can the Fusion Center show it received training from an organization who is not involved or supporting terrorist activity?

21. While the Report attempts to present ideology found from its WRM actors by discussing The Turner Diaries published in 1978 as a source of information for the WRM attacks (Page 21), The Qur'an and its Prophet Muhammad provide a road map for Jihad and are responsible for the deaths of millions all throughout its history and over thirty-seven thousand just since 9/11. Jihadi groups operating training camps in the United States include members of al Qaeda and terror groups from Latin America. This Response suggests that the average police officer in the State of Texas could benefit from education from the proper experts.

III.

Anti-Government Including Militias, Sovereign Citizens, Anarchists

1. The FC Report lumps militia groups into the category of anti-government domestic terrorists (Page 23), and further that they are targeting immigrants and Muslims but providing little-to-none and some incorrect information to connect these two issues. The Report then contradicts itself by saying that modern militia DT activities primarily involve conflicts with federal entities over land use and anti-immigration operations providing events from 1992, 1993 and 1995. The report states "*they tend to view themselves as keepers of the U.S. Constitution and justify force or violence as necessary to maintain*

American rights and protect against government overreach". This is their explanation that Texas militias are anti-government.

2. The Report highlights two "*notable*" militia acts of force or violence. (Page 23) This Report specifically addressed the September 2018 event at the ISNA conference in Houston. The Report claims that a Texas-based militia group clashed with counter protesters which resulted in one injury and the members of the militia group openly discussed online their plans to attack counter protesters. This claim is false. The footnote link provided to this paragraph in the Report goes to the State of New Jersey Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness, not to anything associated with the ISNA event. **FACT:** The ISNA protest was a public Facebook event set by the Texas Patriot Network who are not organized as a militia. The event was attended by two additional groups, neither of which are organized militias, but friends and loose associations. Lastly, the protest was MC'd by a Christian syndicated radio host who possesses a White House Press Pass. Members of Houston's Black Panthers, members of The Nation of Islam, the Democratic Socialists of America, and the local AntiFA did come out armed and counter protested. There was no hand-to-hand combat or violence that resulted in any injury. The event was not to "*target Muslims*" as stated by the Report. The event was to protest Sharia Law. A small group of individuals were recorded on an intercepted radio signal making aggressive remarks about how they would react to the typically violent methods of the AntiFA and the known actors. No violence of any kind was demonstrated against the Muslims attending the ISNA conference. This claim makes additional vague and ambiguous statements not based in fact. What it appears to show is more bias favoring Muslims, *and* racism against white Americans who stand against the imposition of Sharia Law.
3. The Texas groups profiled are Patriots consisting of Veterans and citizens who are generally responsible in handling legal weapons. They are passionate in exercising their gun rights and liberty. In contrast, the subversive activities of Jihadi training camps and groups of foreign militants on our soil is a statement of force against our people and our Constitution. Citizens have the right to oppose and clearly do oppose the same systems and problems that are raging in Europe and elsewhere. This particular bias can create a dangerous condition by painting a **false** picture that in general, Patriots and Veterans are anti-government, anti-immigrant and anti-Muslim and therefore automatically qualify as domestic terrorists. This is contradictory to the Report's statements on the freedom of

speech. **QUESTION:** Why does the Fusion Center broadly define and name “militias” as domestic terrorists while **omitting** the known Jihadi terrorist camp activity?

4. The Report provides two more examples of individuals who received a 25-year average sentence for attacks and planned attacks against Mosques. *See* the Exhibit for a sample of Jihad in America.
5. The Report states that sovereign citizens typically claim to reside under different, unrecognized governmental entity and engage in document and financial fraud . . . some espouse a belief in justified violence that renders them a domestic terror threat and they react with violence to perceived governmental abuses. Harassment and intimidation of law enforcement and other public officials is common. (Page 24) This describes Jihad. **FACT:** Under the Sharia, Muslims are devoted to financing the Palestinian cause through Zakat, align with Hamas and the Muslim Brotherhood, and work within their groups to infiltrate all levels of our society to further the cause of Islam until all have submitted to the Sharia. Muslim groups have engaged in notorious financial fraud as has been proved in the recent Michigan childcare center fraud case, and the Holy Land Foundation trial in Texas among many others. Islam rejects any government except Sharia and asserts that violent Jihad is warranted to achieve their goals.
6. In discussing Anarchists, while the Report highlights some notable examples of the violent events, the paragraph on Austin does not include any of the names of the well-known groups nor their violent activities. Red Guards, Autonomous, AntiFA, and Revolutionary Student Front for examples who recently were involved in the defacing of downtown Austin, the smashing of cop cars and the looting of businesses. In fact, Red Guards Austin are Maoists who left their graffiti on the steps of City Hall in April 2020 and in late May defaced a large area of the downtown Austin area painting it with the hammer and sickle and angry, disparaging and threatening messages to the local law enforcement. Red Guards have been prolific in planting their posters on City electrical boxes and their messages in red paint on abandoned buildings on the east side of Austin for the past few years. They set up campaigns and operate under front groups. On March 8, 2020, Austin Police Department rounded up Red Guards members for blocking a main roadway. More were arrested on May 1st. Recently they posed as the Mike Ramos Brigade and were continually involved in the recent Austin crime and violence in conjunction with the nationwide AntiFA riots and protesting. Every year Red Guards engage in the May 1st International

Worker's Day event where they march in their colors and become violent with any opposition.

7. AntiFA is a worldwide organization and particularly active in Portland, Oregon. Portland CAIR works directly with AntiFA to target Patriots and waged street wars that have caused millions in property damage, violence against the elderly, political and informational warfare, protests against the police and ICE, and internet campaigns against their opponents. The AntiFA groups that operate on the University of Texas have engaged in campaigns targeting professors they deem to be rapists. One professor killed himself after Red Guards members painted his areas in red with “rapist” and engaged in a brutal smear and stalking campaign. The aforementioned groups in Austin could have easily been discussed and referenced as there is a wealth of data, photos, arrest records, and their own websites full of doxing, photos, videos and rhetoric to draw from. What is **omitted** is doxing and the online terrorism that AntiFA engage in such as targeting Patriots and civic leaders who are Republican, Christians and Veterans.
8. AntiFA engage in phone brigades calling the workplaces of citizens and reporting them to their employers as Nazis. Workers are then fired. It is successful. They engage in campaigns on Facebook and Twitter tying their targets to hate groups through the Southern Poverty Center's “Hate Map”. They stalk and brand people as white supremacists and Islamophobes. They destroy people's lives. They have gone on for years in this manner. One example is Kit O'Connell, The Gonzo Journalist a well-known Austin Anarchist. Kit terrorized the Austin Celtic Festival contacting musicians from around the world telling them that the Austin Celtic Festival organizers were a bunch of Nazis. Donnelle, the owner and founder of the Festival had to engage the police to protect the event from Kit and his AntiFA cohorts. AntiFA chants are: “The only good cop is a dead cop”, “all cops are bastards”, “who do you protect, who do you serve”, and “no Trump, no KKK, no fascist USA”. There is no lack of video and solid information available on AntiFA and their affiliation with members of the Muslim Student Association, the Students for Palestine and CAIR. The recent riots across the nation are clear evidence of what AntiFA are capable. This is not only “blended ideology” but collusion with other known violent groups and agent provocateurs including communist Black Lives Matter. **QUESTION:** Does the Fusion Center engage in education regarding the Red Green Axis which is the alliance between Islam and Communism?

IV.

Involuntary Celibates

1. On page 29 and 30 the discussion is about the ideology of incels which is a hatred for women. **FACT:** Islam views women as being worth ½ that of a man under the Sharia. Their every freedom is controlled, and that issue alone calls for a separate briefing. Applicable herein is the issue of honor killing to which the Report does not mention. Honor killings are carefully planned conspiracies carried out typically by more than one family member.¹⁴ The western media is reluctant to address this problem due to misguided beliefs. **QUESTION:** Is the Fusion Center well educated on all aspects of honor violence and if so, why did it **omit** this from the Report?

V.

Symbology and Organizational

1. The Report discusses *blended ideologies* and *symbolism* between Communism and Nazism showing a splash of examples including one tiny photo from a University of Texas. (Page 31-32) While the Report shows the Maoist ideology, it fails to name some of the main Texas groups such as Red Guards and others previously listed herein.
2. The Report again brings up WRM actors stating that “*In Texas, WRM groups appropriate patriotic colors, slogans, and emblems of liberty such as bald eagles, elements of the U.S. Flag and pro-America messaging.*” The **fact** is that Patriot groups come in all colors and ethnicities. **QUESTIONS:** Is the Fusion Center declaring that the American Flag and emblems are now symbols of domestic terrorism, that a freedom march and assembly is domestic terrorism? What does this say about how the Fusion Center views the Constitution and the Oath that all military and law enforcement take to protect, defend, and serve? Does the Fusion Center have an American Flag?

¹⁴https://www.meforum.org/60916/honor-killings-a-family-conspiracy-with-phyllis?utm_source=Middle+East+Forum&utm_campaign=71ea77a286-MEFW_chesler_2020_05_27_03_40&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_086cfd423c-71ea77a286-34074765&goal=0_086cfd423c-71ea77a286-34074765&mc_cid=71ea77a286&mc_eid=e9a50e7658

3. The Organization paragraphs describe a “*leaderless resistance*” highlighting Devon Arthurs who left a white supremacist group and converted to Islam before murdering two roommates. (Page 33) The Report theorizes that isolation is a reason for the acceleration of radicalization and mobilization. Devon stated that he murdered his roommates because they “disrespected” Islam.¹⁵ **QUESTION**: Does the Fusion Center not know that the punishment for violating the Islamic Law of Slander is death and that was what motivated Devon?
4. While the Report consistently points to elements of Islam in its own profiles, the Report states “*the decentralized nature of domestic terrorism actors makes it difficult to ascribe group affiliation to their actions*”. The Fusion Center's lack of including the most very basic of Islamic fundamentals, the organizations operating in the U.S., and how Jihad is waged, leaves a dangerous gap in identifying this enemy to the detriment of the people they serve. This is not a “*unique challenge*” for law enforcement due to some abstract inability for discovery. The ability to learn complex Islamic ideology is available and must be undertaken through the proper sources. Education must not come from the enemy itself. Hamas d/b/a CAIR and the Muslim Brotherhood mask their goals while conducting subversive operations and avoiding detection. **QUESTION**: When CAIR holds seminars and publish documents regularly on how to avoid the police and the FBI how then can they be trusted?
5. How convenient for Jihadists to continue when “*there is no standard requirement for law enforcement agencies to report DT arrests, prosecutions or incidents, again complicating the capability to conduct trend analysis*”. However, the Report states that hate crimes are reported including crimes against gays. **FACT**: Under the Sharia, gays must be killed. **QUESTION**: If the Fusion Center and the DPS do not recognize the ground movements, the language, the ideology, the purpose of the Imams in the masjid and the mosque that operates as a battalion, then how can it understand this threat in the United States?
6. The Report continues in the Challenges to Law Enforcement section (Page 35-36) that the attributes of blurred or multiple motivations, decentralized movements and lone actor attacks and a preference for soft targets present challenges. The Report states that regarding motivation, rarely is there a single obvious motivation involved. **FACT**: While the Report

¹⁵<https://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2017/may/22/devon-arthurs-former-neo-nazi-and-convert-to-islam/>

omits religious motivation, Jihad is exactly a single and undisputed motivation that also has a centralized location, a mosque. **QUESTION:** Why does the Report divert from a universally known fact regarding the most prolific and sanctioned religious violence worldwide? Please see the Exhibit attached for a sample list of Jihad crime in the U.S.

7. Finally, at the end, the Report discusses “*violent jhadist ideology*”, and “*Islamic extremist materials*” (Page 37) offering some examples but combines Jihad with other “*blended ideologies*”. The Report offers that Kori Ali Muhammad “*adhered to his own brand of domestic terrorism ideology*” because he was found to have a variety of materials and was diagnosed with paranoia and psychosis. The Report brings up the cases of Devon Arthurs, Zale Thompson and Joseph Jeffrey Brice in connection with Islam but repeats its prior theories and other possible causes, and crimes against immigrants and Muslims. The evidence regarding Jihad as a single source and issue as this Response and the Exhibit present is overwhelming. **QUESTION:** Why is the Report replete of Quranic ideology and Jihad as the only motivation for Islamic practice that qualifies as crime here in the States such as child marriage, female genital mutilation, honor violence, killing gays, halal animal slaughter, women as slaves, capitol punishments for apostasy, fire jihad, vehicle jihad, antisemitic hate crimes, and sanctioned killing just because a target is a Jew, a Christian or a non-Muslim?
8. If this Report can refer to WRM crimes in other countries, certainly it can refer to the global Islamic slaughter, slavery, and crimes currently ongoing in other countries just to be fair and thorough.
9. The Report complains of challenges for law-enforcement to track and arrest domestic terrorists due to a lack of legislation and trends. The Report on page 38 states that it relies on digital media including the private sector for information. This Response offers numerous private sector options for tracking Jihad and predicting Jihad. There are known processes and persons who are openly operating in Texas. **SOLUTION:** Understanding the Threat has programs available for law-enforcement training that will alleviate many of the challenges and help DPS be more effective in detection and investigation.
10. The paragraph entitled Preferences for Soft Targets (Page 38) talks about the following being targets: “*Houses of Worship (logical for someone motivated by anti-Semitic or anti-Islamic beliefs) anti-immigration and targets that attract certain racial or ethnic groups*”. **FACT:** Islam's anti-Christian stance and worldwide Christian slaughter and church

burnings statistics are staggering. **QUESTION:** Why does the Report **omit** Islamic ideology against the Jews and the Christians and the global slaughter? See, <https://thereligionofpeace.com/> tracking systemic Islamic crime including Europe, Canada, Australia and the U.S. **QUESTION:** Has the Fusion Center encountered pressure to eliminate or minimize reporting on Jihad in the U.S?

VI.

Summary

If any law-enforcement officer cannot answer a series of basic questions on Islam, then they are not armed to understand this threat, they cannot discuss it, and therefore are not equipped to detect, investigate, and counter. America will mirror the path of Europe and violence will increase exponentially. The Report admits that a “*corresponding increase in international connections and inspiration of domestic terrorism actors in Texas and nationwide remains a concern . . . soft targets will remain attractive options . . . and lone actors will inspire an audience on wide reaching platforms*”. The FC must consider ISIS, al Qaeda, al Shabaab, the Taliban, Boko Haram and the Latin American groups as front runners in this equation. Agencies must understand that Imams are the commanders of military outposts responsible for the fundamental teachings of obligatory Jihad. Law-enforcement agencies must be open to tough discussions and extensive education on Islam from experts who are not Muslims that are compromised by their obligations to deceive all non-Muslims and conquer this country. Law-enforcement must understand Islam operates a full warfare front on all levels. Law-enforcement agencies must not reach for some other excuse to connect Jihad to as that would in itself be offensive to Muslims. Most importantly, law enforcement must understand how Muslims see us, and their view of us and our Constitution.

What is most disturbing, is that the Fusion Center seems to be presenting in favor of a Marxist narrative that American Veterans, Patriots, and tax paying citizens are “far right” extremists and are domestic terrorists. **QUESTION:** Is this the Fusion Center's support of a political attempt at the disarmament of the public? The Fusion Center would benefit from a sophisticated peer review of the Report by experts in the field of Islamofascism and Marxism. Please refer to the Exhibit attached for references, research data, and statistics of Jihad in America.

“When you know yourself and your opponent, you will win one and lose one. However, when you do not know yourself or your opponent, you will be imperiled every time. All war is deception.”

Sun Tzu