

Zaki-ur-Rehman Lakhvi



- ❖ Born: 30 Dec 1960;
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- ❖ Barahkoh, P.O. DO, Tehsil and District Islamabad, Pakistan;
- ❖ Chak No. 18/IL, Rinala Khurd, Tehsil Rinala Khurd, District Okara, Pakistan;
- ❖ Lakhvi is a top leader of Lashkar-e-Taiba (LeT) and currently serves as Supreme Commander of operations in Kashmir and as a member of LeT's General Council.
- ❖ In 1999, he explained the reason for fidayeen suicide squad missions in the aftermath of the Kargil War: "After the Pakistani withdrawal from Kargil and the Nawaz-Clinton statement in Washington, it was important to boost the morale of the Kashmiri people. These Fidayen missions were initiated to teach India a lesson as they were celebrating after the Kargil war." He said that the next target would be New Delhi.
- ❖ In 2006, he asked LeT's members to begin training operatives for suicide bombings. In the past, he told operatives to mount attacks in well-populated areas.
- ❖ Indian officials claim Lakhvi also oversaw [Azam Cheema](#), who has been accused of being a leader in the 2006 bombing of the Mumbai rail network that killed more than 200 and left 700 injured.

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