

Oman Rochman



- ❖ Born: 05 Jan 1972;
- ❖ Gender: Male;
- ❖ Place of birth: Sumedang, Indonesia;
- ❖ Nationality: Indonesia;
- ❖ Address: Pasir Putih Prison, Nusa Kambangan Island, Indonesia;
- ❖ Rochman was designated for acting on behalf of ISIL in the areas of recruitment and media dissemination. As of late-2015 was considered to be the de facto leader for all ISIL supporters in Indonesia, despite his incarceration in Indonesia since December 2010.
- ❖ As of February 2016, Rochman, while incarcerated, recruited prospective militants to join ISIL and was likely communicating with ISIL leaders in Syria. He authorized terrorist attacks on January 14, 2016 in Jakarta, Indonesia and issued a fatwa (decree) from prison in January 2016 encouraging Indonesian militants to join ISIL. As of January 2016, Rochman was leading ISIL members in Indonesia and gave the order to a Jakarta attacker in December 2015 to carry out ISIL attacks in January 2016.
- ❖ Rochman pledged allegiance to ISIL in early 2014 and was actively recruiting for ISIL as of early 2015. In 2015, Rochman instructed an Indonesian associate to travel to Syria to join ISIL. He also recruited an individual in prison to travel to Syria to join ISIL after the individual was released from prison. As of mid-2015, Rochman required Indonesian extremists who desired to join ISIL in Syria to obtain a recommendation from him before departing for Syria.
- ❖ Since October 2014, Rochman was Indonesia's main translator for ISIL and disseminated information online from prison, including ISIL's call for Muslims to kill Westerners indiscriminately. In August 2014, Rochman was identified as a key figure who spearheaded the spread of ISIL's ideology in Indonesia by translating ISIL writings and distributing them through Islamic studies groups and social media.

- ❖ In December 2010, Rochman was sentenced to nine years in prison for violating Article 13 of Indonesia's counter-terrorism law. Rochman has been incarcerated for his role in contributing funds and recruiting for a terrorist training camp in Aceh, Indonesia that had been affiliated with SDGT [Abu Bakar Ba'asyir](#). As of 2016, Rochman remains imprisoned in Indonesia.

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