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Report Topic / Title <p>6(a) [redacted] TI: <i>ISIL in 2021: Inspiring, enabling, expanding</i> issued 11 March 2021.</p> <p>21-41-TI</p>	National Security and Intelligence Priorities <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Terrorism
Context / Relevance <p>1. (R) This Threat Insight provides an analysis of developments concerning the terrorist organisation, Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant (ISIL), both within Iraq and Syria, and globally. It provides an assessment of the organisation's transformation from a proto-state in the Middle East, to a global insurgency conducting a war of attrition on multiple fronts, and considers the likelihood ISIL is seeking to move from inspiring attacks by its supporters in the West, to enabling such attacks.</p>	
Key Points <p>2. (R) The Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant (ISIL) has transformed into an insurgent movement engaged in a global war of attrition against its enemies.</p> <p>3. (R) In the West, it is a realistic possibility ISIL is seeking to move from inspiring attacks to enabling them, 6(a) [redacted]</p> <p>4. (R) Globally, ISIL is taking advantage of weak states and local grievances to expand its presence; Africa has emerged as a key focus for the group.</p> <p>5. 6(a) [redacted]</p>	

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