

Announcement: Moving to a single list for UK sanctions designations - 28 January 2026

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As of 09:00 GMT on Wednesday 28 January 2026 [the OFSI Consolidated List of Asset Freeze Targets](#) and its [search tool](#) are now closed. It will remain available for reference but will no longer be updated.

[The UK Sanctions List](#) is the only source for all UK sanctions designations. No changes have been made to the structure of the current UK Sanctions List. [A format guide for the UK Sanctions List](#) is available, which includes mappings to the fields on the OFSI Consolidated List.

What has changed:

The [UK Sanctions List search tool](#) has been improved, implementing fuzzy logic search and ranking of search results by relevancy.

The '[Russia: list of persons named in relation to financial and investment restrictions](#)' has been moved to a new page with a simplified table. The list will continue to be separate and has not been merged into the UK Sanctions List.

A new set of regime pages to hold future sanctions notices has been created. These are available from the [Current UK sanctions regimes](#) collection page.

A guidance page is available to describe [all changes](#).

[The UK Sanctions List](#) from FCDO lists which people, entities and ships are designated or specified under the Sanctions and Anti-Money Laundering Act 2018, and why.

[The OFSI Consolidated List](#) from HMT provides information relating to asset freeze and investment ban targets across all financial sanctions regimes implemented in the UK. This list will close at 09:00GMT on Wednesday 28 January 2026. Guidance has been published to help you [prepare for the change](#).

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