

White Helmets Are Denied Entry into US, Hollywood Dreams Over

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"A valid travel document is required for travel to the United States," a spokeswoman for the Department of Homeland Security told the Associated Press when asked for a comment on the findings. According to internal Trump administration correspondence seen by The Associated Press, the Department of Homeland Security decided to block Khateeb. $\sim Fox$ <u>News</u>

"A Syrian cinematographer up for an Academy Award Sunday night has been reportedly barred from entering the U.S. over the finding of "derogatory information"- a vague term that can mean anything from a simple passport irregularity to terror connections.

<u>Khaled Khateeb</u>, 21, who worked on the Netflix documentary "White Helmets," was scheduled to arrive in California on Saturday.

He was issued a visa to attend the awards show, however the Associated Press' internal U.S. government correspondence reported that Turkish authorities detained him this week."



21st Century Wire exposes Raed Saleh's Terrorist Connections Within the White

<u>Helmet Leadership in Syria</u>

This was the revelation that we woke up to, this morning...

It appears that US Homeland Security has once more, refused entry, to the White Helmet operatives. The previous time this happened was in <u>April 2016</u> when White Helmets leader, **Raed Saleh**, was denied entry into the US to receive an award from **InterAction**, for his contributions to *"humanitarian relief"*. Mark Toner of the US State Department, tried hard to field difficult questions from Matt Lee of AP but failed dismally, finally admitting that it was Saleh's possible "extremist connections" that had resulted in his deportation from the US.

AP also reported on Khateeb's US entry denial:

Khateeb was scheduled to arrive Saturday in Los Angeles on a Turkish Airlines flight departing from Istanbul. But his plans have been upended after U.S. officials reported finding "derogatory information" regarding Khateeb.

Derogatory information is a broad category that can include anything from terror connections to passport irregularities. Asked for comment, a spokeswoman for the Department of Homeland Security, Gillian Christensen, said, "A valid travel document is required for travel to the United States.



Raed Saleh tweeted yesterday, that he was basically "too busy" to go to Hollywood and mingle with the stars of the silver screen, to further promote his Al Qaeda affiliated organisation, already multi-million-funded by the moguls of war in the NATO and Gulf State alliance.

Has the attempt to give an Oscar to supporters of terrorism for their propaganda movie, endorsing a No Fly Zone that is effectively a declaration of war between Russia and the US on Syrian soil, just failed?

Has Trump's administration called a halt to the farce that is the promotion of this fraudulent non-Non-Governmental-Organisation, funded, in fact, by governments with Israel's best interests at heart in Syria? Remember that during Obama's administration, Homeland Security was overruled when Secretary of State, John Kerry, allowed <u>Raed Saleh entry into</u> the US in September 2016 (despite Saleh's 'extremist connections') and to the UN in New York for, <u>behind-closed-door-talks</u>, on why the US had failed to impose a No Fly Zone in Syria. Regretfully we won't be at the OSCARS due to intensity of work, our priority continues to be helping civilians & rescue operations in <u>#Syria</u>

- Raed Al Saleh (@RaedAlSaleh3) 24 February 2017

UPDATE: It appears that Khateeb has also been coached in the "*I'm too busy helping people*" excuse;

I get US visa but I haven't traveled to U.S At all and I won't travel to OSCAR due to intensity of work, our priority is helping our people.

- Khaled Khatib (@995Khaled) 25 February 2017

The following video is a compilation of the testimony from Syrian civilians released from a five year incarceration in East Aleppo, under a terrorist regime & occupation led by Al Qaeda factions aka Nusra Front and assorted extremist militant brigades, also funded by the US, NATO and Gulf states. These testimonies attest to the US and UK construct, the White Helmets, being nothing more than "*Nusra Front's civil defence*".

The Syrian Arab Red Crescent also told 21WIRE editor, Vanessa Beeley, that they had never seen the White Helmets conducting humanitarian work in East Aleppo, either during or after occupation by the extremist groups.

WATCH ~

The **SARC** reinforcing the claim made by Syrian civilians that the NATO & Gulf state-funded White Helmets did not conduct any civilian rescues or offer paramedic treatment in East Aleppo.

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Are we finally seeing vindication of the two years of independent investigation into this terrorist-supporting group of frauds, whose creators have milked the general public with a myriad of glossy, expensive marketing campaigns, designed to appeal to our better nature and to implicate the general public in crowd funding for terrorism inside Syria?

Perhaps this Oscar bid for the White Helmets is an indication of the level to which the ruling elite have stooped to maintain their facade, which has been eroded so successfully by the few brave people who have taken a stand against their global machinations, such as **Tulsi Gabbard** and **Carla Ortiz**, both of whom potentially risk their careers to present the truth of what is actually happening inside Syria.

Has the steadfast bravery, courage and resistance of the Syrian people, the majority of

whom are fully supportive of the Syrian state & the Syrian Arab Army, finally demolished the wall of lies that has prevented their voices being heard?

Would seems its official. I guess that <u>#MannequinChallenge</u> didn't help..<u>#WhiteHelmets</u> <u>#Oscarshttps://t.co/qGKP6MM97M</u>

- Syricide (@Syricide) 25 February 2017

History will show that Hollywood narrowily avoided inviting Al Qaeda, terrorist affiliates onto its red carpet...truth to power has once more emerged victorious as it did in the prevention of the Nobel Peace Prize for this same organisation of criminals, thieves and sectarian violence perpetrators & supporters, the not-so-white White Helmets. *The ghosts of East Aleppo.*

The White Helmets propaganda film may still be awarded the Oscar, but it will be a hollow prize when the recipients have been denied entry into the country of origin or are simply, "too busy" to attend. It will be embarassing for the producers to explain the absence of these self proclaimed, "saviours of humanity". The truth is revealing itself bit by bit and when the White Helmets fall, much of the NATO and Gulf State war effort in Syria will be damaged beyond repair.

White Helmets and Mayday Rescue:

The Syrian Civil Defence: Wikipedia

21st Century Wire article on the White Helmets:

Syria's White Helmets: War by Way of Deception ~ the "Moderate" Executioners

21st Century Wire compilation of most important articles and talks on the White Helmets:

Who are the Syria White Helmets

Original investigative report:

The REAL Syria Civil Defence Exposes Fake White Helmets as Terrorist-Linked Imposters

Cory Morningstar report:

Investigation into the funding sources of the White Helmets, including Avaaz, Purpose, The Syria Campaign

Open letter to Canadian MPs from Stop the War Hamilton (Canada):

Letter from the Hamilton Coalition to Stop War to the New Democratic Party in Canada ref the White Helmet nomination for the Nobel Peace Prize:

Open letter to Canada's NDP Leader on Nobel Prize:

Letter to NDP from Prof. John Ryan protesting White Helmet nomination for RLA and Nobel Peace Prize.

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