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Current Claims of Responsibility for USS COLE Attack

• **Egyptian Islamic Jihad**

- EO 13526 1.4c report of senior EIJ official describing plan proposed by Asbat al-Ansar to be implemented by EIJ to attack Sixth Fleet warships [redacted]

• **Libyan Islamic Fighting Group**

- [redacted] that the LIFG, who is affiliated with al-Qida, carried out the attack with support from EIJ [redacted]

• **Egyptian Extremist Yusef al-Badri**

• [redacted]

• **Islamic Army of Aden-Abyan:**

- Fax to British Islamic Center claiming credit. (Press Reports), October 12.
- [redacted] report on PIJ Official speculating IAA was culprit [redacted] October 16.

• **al-Qida operatives from Jordan:**

- [redacted] report of 2 members from 5 member al-Qida cell in Jordan travelling to Yemen to attack U.S. warship [redacted]

• **al-Qida operatives from Afghanistan:**

- [redacted] EO 13526 1.4c, EO 13526 3.5c of 2 UBL trained operatives who went to Yemen (NSA report), October 18.

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