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American Islamic Extremism

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HISTORY

• Classification created in March 2009
  – Homegrown extremists
  – Adhere to radical Islamic agenda
  – Do not take direction from foreign power or foreign terrorist organization

GUIDANCE

• Islam-based movement
• Objectives of:
  – Promotion of Islamic teachings
  – Conversion of others to a radicalized version of the Muslim faith
  – Promotion of an extremist interpretation of the Koran
  – Creation of Islamic state within the U.S.
- American Islamic Extremism
  - Few distinctions in ideological motivators
- Clear definitions and guidance
  - Intelligence requirements
- Transfer between IT and DT
Questions?