Legend:

Islamic State of Iraq and al-Sham (ISIS)	Control Zone (black)	Operational Presence (gray)
ISIS's Wilayats	Control Zone (red)	Operational Presence (orange)
Groups Pledged to ISIS	Support Zone (yellow)	Operational Presence (light yellow)
ISIS's Declared and Future Wilayats	(black star)	(yellow star)

ISIS-Linked Regional Activity in June 2015

ISIS's affiliates gained new terrain in Libya and Afghanistan, while launching significant attacks in Yemen, Egypt, and Kuwait. ISIS also declared a new governorate in Russia's North Caucasus. These gains allow the organization to offset territorial losses in Libya and northern Syria and maintain its claim that it is "Remaining and Expanding" a year after the a year after the declaration of the Caliphate.

1) June 06-09: ISIS's Wilayat Tarablus (Tripoli) consolidated control over the Libyan city of Sirte, expanding east and west along the central coast.

2) June 09-10: ISIS's Wilayat Sinai (Egypt) fired rockets at an airbase used by the Multinational Force and Observers in North Sinai.

3) June 12: ISIS's Wilayat Khorasan (Afghanistan-Pakistan) conducted the first of 5 publicized beheadings.

4) June 14: Local militias expelled ISIS from its stronghold in Derna, eastern Libya.

5) June 15: Syrian Kuridsh and rebel forces seized the ISIS-held Tel Abyad border crossing in northern Syria.

6) June 17- 29: ISIS's Wilayat Sana'a (Yemen) detonated seven VBIEDs in Sana'a, targeting Shi'a religious sites and al Houthi political and military locations.

7) June 22: ISIS announced the creation of a new affiliate in the Caucasus, Wilayat Qawqaz.

8) June 26: ISIS's Wilayat Najd (Saudi Arabia) conducted an SVEST attack at a Shi'a mosque in Kuwait City.

9) June 26: ISIS claimed an attack by two militants that opened fire on toursists at the Imperial Marhaba Hotel and the Sofil Hostel in Sousse, Tunisia.

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