

ISIS UNCOVERED

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There was a major breakthrough in the fight against ISIS this morning after it was revealed German Intelligence have uncovered the identities of twenty two thousand of the organisations new recruits.

Attacks by the extremist group such as the atrocities in Paris last year have led to increased security concerns around Europe, causing the UK to take the decision to call in airstrikes on the group's strongholds in Syria and Iraq.

The top secret documents are believed to have been in German hands since 2013. Their release will come as a huge boost to the governments of other western countries as the revelation is a massive dent in the reputation of the previously secretive 'Islamic State'.

The documents reveal that over a quarter of known ISIS recruits come from Saudi Arabia whilst sixteen made the journey from the UK. These figures could prove to be extremely useful in helping to prevent further attacks as it will give intelligence services a chance to build up a profile on possible assailants.

When asked about the leak, former M16 terrorism director Richard Barrett said: "It will be an absolute goldmine of information" and could be "the biggest breakthrough in years."

The German interior ministry added that it was "a great chance to identify Germans taking part in terrorist activities of the so-called IS."