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The defendant, an Iraqi citizen, served as a corporal in the Iraq Army, and participated in military actions against ISIL. In March 2015, during an operation, the defendant cut off the head of a dead ISIL fighter and dangled it in his hands. He also displayed the "victory" sign with his hands while another person held the severed head in his hands, event which was captured on video, and were uploaded publicly on Facebook late April 2015, along with images in which he poses with burnt soldiers' bodies. Such conduct amounts to inhumane and defamatory treatment, which offends the honour of the deceased.