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Further information on UA 186/01 (MDE 16/004/2001, 26 July 2001) - Death
Penalty/Torture/Legal concern

JORDANBadr Ramadan Sha'th [m], Agricultural Engineer, aged 26

Badr Ramadan Sha'th has won his appeal against his death sentence and will be re-tried.

The Court of Cassation ruled that the Criminal Court had not followed correct procedures when it sentenced him to death for murder in May 2001 and ordered that he be retried by the Higher Criminal Court.

Many thanks to all those who sent appeals. No further action is requested from the UA network.