

Cases and rulings

Country Code	Year	Reference details title	Reference details URL	Hate Bias motivation	Court / Body	Key facts of the case	Results (sanctions, outcome) and key consequences or implications of the case	Main reasoning / argumentation	Key issues (concepts, interpretations) clarified by the case	Key quotation in original language and translated into English with reference details
Denmark	2018	Denmark / the Western High Court/available in the Journal of Criminal Law (Tidsskrift for Kriminalret) Tfk 2019.45 V (appeal decision)		Racial or ethnic origin, Racial or ethnic origin	National higher court (Vestre Landsret)	The defendant commented an article on a newspaper's Facebook page. The article was about an offender in Germany who had thrown a hand grenade on a refugee camp in Germany, and the article also stated that there was an increase in attacks on German refugee camps. The defendant wrote "Good style the more black monkeys to Neanderthals we can shoot from the face of this earth the better I sure damn hope that he who threw it will receive a medal".	Suspended sentence of 60 days imprisonment.	The Higher court found the defendant guilty of violating § 136, section 1 and § 266 b, section 1 in the criminal code. The Higher court found that the statement incited that a crime be committed. The Higher court further found that the statement was levelled at a particular group, and that the description of the group as "black monkeys" was taunting or demeaning on the basis of race, skin colour or ethnicity.	No key issues can be drawn on the basis of this particular case.	"God stil jo flere af de sorte abekatte til neandertalere vi kan skyde af jordens overflade jo bedre håber fanme ham der kastede den får en medalje". "Good style the more black monkeys to Neanderthals we can shoot from the face of this earth the better I sure damn hope that he who threw it will receive a medal".

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