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(illegible line)

1. Name of deceased: Muhammad Abderridha Salem
2. Relationship: Husband
3. Age of the deceased: 45 years
4. His address: [REDACTED] lawyer Mahmoud Zuboon.
5. Occupation: Teacher
6. Date of the injury (incident) and death: 5/11/2003; death 7/11/2003
7. Time of the injury: Eleven thirty at night.
8. Cause of the injury: Gunshot in the abdomen
9. Did you see the injury (incident) yourself: My brother lawyer Mahmoud Zuboon and his lawyer wife Intisar Abdelbaqi saw it.
10. If you did not see the incident yourself, please ask witnesses to fill in the attached questionnaire.
11. Where did the incident take place specifically?

City/township/village: Basra province

Street: [REDACTED]

Block: House of lawyer Mahmoud Zuboon in [REDACTED], Basra

Other blocks in the neighbourhood: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], Basra

Site of the incident: Inside the above house

12. What were you doing at the site of the incident at the time? The incident took place in my brother's house where my husband the victim went to visit on the occasion of Ramadan
13. Who was with you at the time of the incident?
14. Specify your position and proximity from the site:

Before

Describe your position in the street or building

In what direction were you going

How far were you from the site of the incident

How do you describe seeing the incident

During

Describe your position in the street or building

In what direction were you going

How far were you from the site of the incident

How do you describe seeing the incident

15. Describe the events leading to the incident in detail

aerial shelling: No

when did it start

do you know from where the attack came

were the planes soaring

how was the reaction of those present

what did they do

when did the attack take place

was the injury direct

what was the injury resulting from the attack

what did you do immediately after that

If the answer was "no" what were the resulting wounds and injuries

who was also killed or wounded in this case, give the numbers and the details

give any relative information

what happened immediately afterwards

ammunition that did not explode before May 2003: No

what is the name of the area

how long was it before it went off from 1 May

were those present aware that there had been unexploded ammunition around

was the type of the ammunition known, i.e. cluster bombs

describe its shape and appearance

how did the victim deal with the ammunition

describe what happened exactly at the time of the explosion

the time of the explosion accurately (hour/minute)

what were the resulting injuries

how did those present react

what happened at that moment

who was also killed or wounded in the incident, please give the numbers and the details

Please give other details

who was also killed or wounded in the incident, please give the numbers and the details

Please give any additional information

gunfire: yes, when did the shooting start: at eleven thirty at night when my brother lawyer Mahmoud Zuboon's house was assaulted all of a sudden and doors were broken

how many shots were fired: one

do you know from where did the firing come: from a British soldier when my brother's house was assaulted all of a sudden by breaking the doors.

were there other people: yes, my brother and his wife (illegible)

can it be said that the firing started with the intention of injuring or killing victims: yes

could you see who fired: no because my husband the victim went to visit my brother in his house which was adjacent to ours.

describe the place of the injury of your relative: it was in his abdomen.

from which direction did the fire come (describe in detail the location of the building and the point of the firing: the British soldier fired as he was face to face with the victim inside the hall of the house .

do you the type of weapon used: a rifle equipped with a silencer.

specify where in the victim's body did the bullet hit: in his abdomen.

time of firing: eleven thirty at night 5/6/11/2003

how was the reaction of those present: wondered why as there was no reason for the firing.

what did they do: my brother's wife was entreating them not to fire but the soldier after firing was shouting at her asking the other soldiers to get her inside the room. there was no resistance because those present had been secure inside the house.

other:

when did the incident take place: at eleven thirty at night.

specify the cause of the injury or the death: gunfire.

how did those present react: our reaction was indescribable.

what were the measures taken: he was transported to the Czech Hospital one and a half hour after he was hit by gunfire.