

# *US jury orders death for the Boston Marathon bomber*

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A jury sentenced Dzhokhar Tsarnaev to death Friday for the Boston Marathon bombing, sweeping aside pleas that he was just a "kid" who fell under the influence of his fanatical older brother.

The death sentence sets the stage for what could be America's first execution of a terrorist in the post-Sept. 11, 2001 era, though the case is likely to go through years of appeals.

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