

# Man shot dead by police, six injured, after terror attack at Auckland's LynnMall Countdown

*From [Speaking from the Beehive](#) in Wellington, Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern confirmed it was a terrorist attack on innocent New Zealanders. Ardern described it as a “despicable” and “hateful” act by “an individual, not a faith”. Well, Mrs Hijabette would, wouldn't she.*

*[The jury found him not guilty](#) of a third charge of possessing another objectionable publication – a video showing people being killed – and also not guilty of possessing a knife without lawful authority.*

*...the man (referred to elsewhere as S) took to the stand in his own defence claiming he was only learning about his religion and he was put in jail because he is a Muslim. However, crown prosecutor Henry Steele said it was no coincidence the man had bought a hunting knife then watched an instructional video on how to use it.*

*A seven-minute video, which is the cause of the third objectionable publication charge, shows people being murdered by Isis. The video also provides instruction on how to kill non-Muslims.*

*“You put me in jail because I am a Muslim and you don't like my religion. That makes you an enemy. Allah says you will be punished,” he told Steele.*

*Remember, at the moment Auckland is under a strict lockdown due to a case of Covid, and the whole country is closed to travellers.*