Man butchers 4yr-old boy

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It was a parade of horror Wednesday at the Delta State Police Command headquarters in Asaba as the Police paraded a young man in his early twenties, who literally butchered a four-year old boy and attempted to remove his genital organ and, in the process, disembowelled him.

Briefing newsmen in his office, the state Commissioner of Police, Udom Ekpoudom, said that the suspect, Daniel Igheni of Obera Street, Orogun in Ughelli South, abducted the little boy at the Ughelli main market on Tuesday, September 12 , 2006.

Ekpoudom stated that Daniel, 24, confessed that he was hired by one Carson Agida, a traditional doctor, requiring him to get the genital organ of a boy apparently for ritual purposes, a job for which he was paid N200,000 by Agida to execute.

Narrating the gory incident, the CP said: "the said Daniel was found with the lifeless body of a boy at a secluded area of the market. The policeman promptly arrested the suspect and a close observation of the boy revealed that the boy's lower abdomen had been cut in a bid to remove his genital".

The State Command boss continued: "On interrogation, the said Daniel Igheni confessed that he is a gateman to one Carson Agida of Carson Street, Ughelli and that the said Carson who is a traditional doctor sent him to get him the genital of a boy.