

**P**OLICE in Lagos have arrested a middle aged man who allegedly killed his friend of many years over N700.

*Daily Champion* learnt that Mr. Kolawole Kazeem Musa of Naval Dockyard base, Texaco Apapa, beat his friend to death during a fisticuffs arising from the sharing of N700.

Trouble started when Ganiyu challenged his colleague over the money said to have been paid to them by their client.

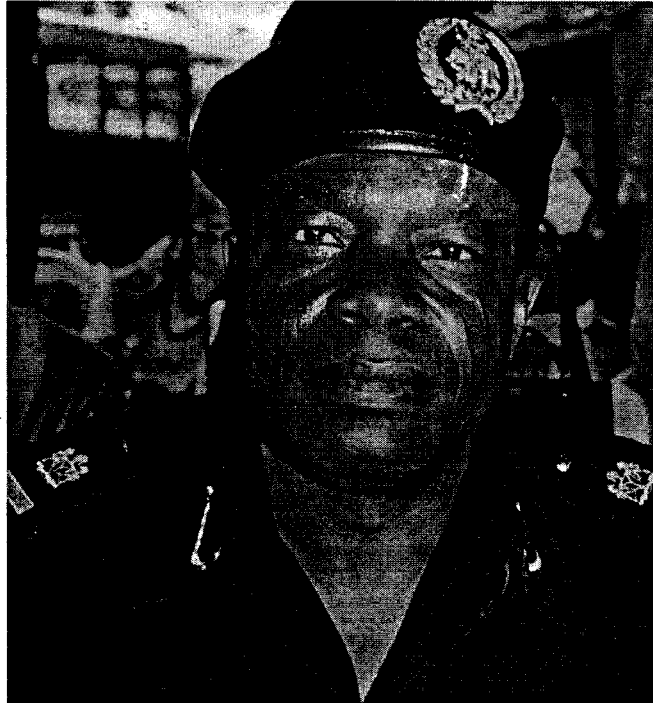
An eyewitness told *Daily Champion* that both men who worked at the place as 'casual workers' had a minor misunderstanding over who should get the lion share of the money.

# Man kills friend over N700

Our source stated that while Ganiyu insisted that the money be shared equal, Musa disagreed, noting that he was the one that negotiated the job.

He added that the money was not part of the total money charged by the duo but extra money their client added to them as a result of satisfaction of job well done.

However, *Daily Champion* learnt that Musa hit a deadly blow to Ganiyu who immediately slumped and became unconscious. He was said to have been quickly rushed to a nearby



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hospital where he later died.

Investigating Police

Officer, at the homicide section of State Criminal Investigating Department (SCID) Panti, Yaba (name

withheld) said the corpse of Ganiyu has been deposited in the morgue for autopsy.

He said "On July 27, 2006 at about 1pm, there was a report at SCID, that one Kolawole Kazeem Musa of Naval Dock Yard base, Texaco and Ganiyu engaged themselves in a fist blows over the sharing of payment of N700. Ganiyu slumped and was rushed to the hospital for treatment where he later gave up".

At SCID cell, Musa blamed his action on the devil, noting that "it was the devil's work, I loved him, and I didn't mean to hit him".