

## Election Tragedy

## Security guard kills colleague over poll result

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**T**HE last general election may have come and gone but the intrigues, dust and rancours it generated are yet to settle.

How could one describe the action of an aggrieved security guard Mr Lekan Adenikan who shot his colleague, Johnson Dada over alleged minor disagreement, arising from the purported irregularities that characterised last general elections.

Daily Champion learnt that trouble started when the two colleagues who had sympathies for top different political parties in the state had a minor disagreement over the conduct of the election.

Our correspondent gathered that the deceased, who had sympathy for the victorious party in Lagos challenged his opponent, arguing that the election was free and fair and that the party deserved the victory.

Angered by the comment of his friend and colleague, Adenikan was said to have mistakenly touched the trigger of the gun and it exploded, killing Dada instantly.

At the scene of the incident at Pen Cinema, Agege, some of the traders described Dada as a sincere man, honest and humble. Some of the who spoke on the basis of anonymity said they heard the sound of the



Mr Isreal Aina, AIG zone 1, Lagos, and Mr Bolan Azele, CP, Lagos

gun and rushed to the scene, only to found Dada wreathing in his own pool of blood.

Confirming the incident, police spokesman Mr. Olabode Ojajuni said police are investi-

gating the case to ascertain the true reason for the action.

He stated that the corpse of Dada was immediately deposited at a public mortuary at the state for autopsy.

Ojajuni, a Superintendent of Police said the suspect has been arrested, arguing that investigations would prove the nature of charge(s) that would be slammed on him