



## **Dutch Killed in Port Harcourt**

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GUNMEN have killed a Dutch citizer identified as Tonny Konweahoven, while another gang kidnapped a staff of Afribank demanding N10 million in two separate raids in Port Harcourt, Rivers State.

Rivers State Police Commissioner, Mr. Felix Ogbaudu confirmed the death of Konweahoven, noting that the matter a criminal action that had nothing to do with militants.

He stressed that police retrieved a note left behind by the killers of the Dutch citizen.

Daily Champion learnt that Konweahoven, the owner of a sprawling night club known as Blue Café in the Government Reservation Area of Port Harcourt was shot dead in front of his apartment along Evo Road GRA Phase 2 in Port Harcourt.

His a killers left a note behind explaining that they killed him because he defrauded them.

According to the note, the killers alleged that their victim, who is married to a Nigerian, collected \$50,000 to import cars from Holland for them but he never delivered the vehicles..

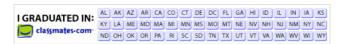
In a related development, some unidentified gunmen kidnapped a staff of Afribank along Ada-George Road in Port Harcourt and demanded a ransom of N10 million as a condition for his release.

Simply identified as Osuji, the bank staff was taken away to an unknown destination by his captors as he came out of the bank premises last Friday.

The police have also ruled out the involvement of militants in the kidnap of the bank staff, saying that it could have been borne out of an internal wrangling or an unsettled issue

As at the time of filing the report it was not clear whether the bank or the family of Osuji has establish contact with his captors.

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