

Gunmen kill lawmaker's guard



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A security guard at the home of the lawmaker representing [Owerri Municipal Council](#), [Victor Mere](#), was at the weekend shot dead by unknown gunmen.

It was gathered that the incident occurred when the gunmen stormed the resident of the lawmaker at [World Bank Housing Estate, Owerri](#), to allegedly assassinate the lawmaker.

It was further gathered that when the men visited, the lawmaker was not at home.

The guard, Daily Trust learnt, attempted to jump over the wall to escape when the gunmen shot him.

Public Relations Officer of Imo State, Mrs Joy Elemoko, confirmed the incident.

She said the police command has already commended investigation to unravel the circumstances behind the incident.

She advised citizens of the state to go about their normal duties as the command is doing everything possible to track down perpetrators of the act.