

Police officer gun down colleague in Kano

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A Police officer, identified as Inspector Ya'u Yakubu, has reportedly shot dead his colleague, Sergeant Basharu Alhassan after a misunderstanding.

The incident happened on Tuesday evening at Warawa Divisional Police Headquarters, Kano.

Confirming the incident, the spokesman for the Kano State Police Command, Abdullahi Haruna Kiyawa, said the deceased was rushed to the Wudil General Hospital by his colleagues where he was confirmed dead by doctors.

Kiyawa added that the inspector was immediately arrested after firing the shot at the deceased shoulder.

"He is presently at the state CID and will be subjected to a medical test to ascertain his mental fitness as directed by the state's Commissioner of Police, CP Sama'ila Dikko," he said.