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Man kills parents over refusal to give him money

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A 21-year-old man suspected to be a drug addict has reportedly killed his parents over their refusal to give him money.

The suspect, who is said to be an undergraduate of one of the universities in the state, and known to be addicted to Mkpurummiri (methamphetamine), is the only son of his late parents.

The suspect, identified as Chukwudi, was said to have carried out the act at Mr. Moses Nnodu's compound, Abubor Nnewichi-Nnewi, close to Orie Agbo Market in Nnewi Local Government Area of Anambra State, in the evening of Thursday, September 22.

Daily Trust on Sunday gathered that the suspect allegedly killed his parents, and fled to an unknown place, after a heated argument over their refusal to give him some money.

One of the residents, who did not want to be named, said neighbours discovered the corpses after they perceived an offensive smell from their bedroom.

The victims, Mr and Mrs Michael Ulor, were said to be natives of Nsukka in

Confirming the incident on Friday, the

spokesperson of the Anambra State Police Command, DSP Ikenga Tochukwu, said the command has launched a manhunt for the suspect.

According to Ikenga, the Commissioner of Police, CP Echeng Echeng, has described the discovery of the already decomposing dead bodies in an apartment in Nnewi on 22/9/2022 at about 5:20 pm with machete cuts, as an act of man's inhumanity to man.

He also stated that the commissioner has ordered an immediate manhunt of the suspect and the transfer of the case to the State Criminal Investigation Department for discreet investigation.