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A COUPLE, Elochukwu and Chiamaka Nnajiofor, charged with the murder of their 14-year-old househelp will on October 23, 2013 know their fate in the trial.

Justice. Lateefat Okunnu of an Ikeja High Court, Lagos yesterday fixed the date to deliver her judgment following the adoption of final written addresses by both the prosecution and defence.

The Nnajiofors were arraigned on a one-count charge of murder on September 22,2011 by the Lagos State Directorate of Public Prosecutions (DPP).

The DPP alleged that Chiamaka,27, had tortured the young boy, Oliver Arakwe, to death by chaining him for two days and beating him mercilessly.

State prosecutor, Mr Femi Adamson, alleged that Arakwe was tortured at the Nnajiofor's residence at No. 81, Femi Tella St., Ago Palace, Okota, Lagos.

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