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CLO wants taxi driver's death probed

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FROM the Civil Liberties Organisation (CLO) has come a call that the police should commence probe into the circumstances surrounding the death of a taxi driver in Enugu State, Mr. Chukwuma Ihezue.

The organisation said the demand was necessary following complaints from the family that their son, who was arrested over alleged thrummed-up charges, died in Special Anti-Robbery Squad (SARS) cell a few days later.

The victim, a graduate of Mechanical Engineering at the Institute of Management and Technology (IMT), Enugu became a taxi driver due to lack of employment.

In a petition to the commissioner of police in the state, which was made available to journalists on Sunday, the CLO wondered why the police should kill the suspect instead of charging him before a court of competent jurisdiction if they felt he was guilty of the offence for which he was arrested.

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