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A TRIGGER-HAPPY Naval officer Friday allegedly shot and killed a commercial bus conductor at Warehouse Bus Stop, along Apapa-Mile 2-Oshodi Expressway at about 7.15 am.

The Guardian gathered that trouble started when the victim, who was later identified as Lekan, a native of Ibadan, refused to give officer, a rating, a bribe of N500 which they usually collect from motorist that ply the route.

According to an eyewitness who works in one of the petroleum depots in the area, the officer killed the conductor with his service rifle. "The Naval officer took the boy's life for nothing, just

because he and his driver (Oga) refused to give the Naval team N500. It is unbecoming of these Naval officers; they extort money from motorists,” he said.

As a result, there was pandemonium, which resulted in hectic traffic on the road caused by the Petroleum Tanker Drivers Union (PTD) of NUPENG who took to the road to protest the killing of the young man.

The identity of the officer could not be ascertained at the time of this report.

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