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Imo Police Command launches manhunt for accountant's killers

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THE Imo State Commissioner of Police, Mr. Abdulmajid Ali, has directed police officers in the state to fish out the killers of a Cash Supply Officer at the office of the Imo State Accountant General, Augustine Nwugo.

The ugly incident, The Guardian gathered, took place shortly after the Christmas holidays in the presence of the family members, amid excruciating, gory and anguish situation.

Nwugo, a member of the Institute of

Chartered Accountants of Nigeria (ICAN), was reportedly shot several times at his residence in Ulakwo, Owerri North Local Council of Imo State, but did not die immediately, until his assailants applied club and axe on him severally, dismembering parts of his body till he breathed his last.

Disclosing this to The Guardian yesterday, the Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Mr. Andrew Enwerem, a Deputy Superintendent of Police (DSP), said though the matter was yet to be reported at the office of the CP, officially, he had directed the officer-in-charge of the Criminal Investigation Bureau (CIB), to commence investigations into the details of the alleged killing, hoping that the report would be submitted as soon as it is concluded.

The PPRO promised to communicate to the media as soon as graphic details of the incident were made known to the Command.

Sources told The Guardian that the deceased was enterprising in his duties; hence the Accountant General of the state entrusted him with the Cash Supply Office portfolio.

The sources who stated that the deceased had other businesses and sources of income, further disclosed that the late accountant had just finished building a high brow hotel in Ulakwo, which had been scheduled for inauguration this month before his death.

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