

# Three Cops Held Over Auchi Poly Student's Death

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Three police officers are said to be in cell for their alleged roles in the death of a student of a Laboratory Science Technology of the Federal Polytechnic, Auchi, Delta State sometime in July 2006.

Mr. Achibong, Mr. Sunny, Corporal Sani and one Inspector Gladsto were alleged to have arrested the victim, Peter Odion Aigui, 23, around the College of Education, Agbor, Delta State at about midday on July 24.

Witness said Aigui was arrested for wearing a black face cap.

The policemen had allegedly taken him to the station and inflicted serious wounds on him in the presence of his parents who had run to the scene when they were informed of the ordeal their son faced.

Peter's father, Meshak Aigui, a retired headmaster was said to have secured the release of his son and had taken him to the Agbor Specialist Hospital. He was referred to the University of Benin Teaching Hospital.

Daily Independent sources informed that the UBTH on its part also referred Peter to the University College Hospital (UCH), Ibadan, Oyo State where he later died.