

# Police Arrest Murder Suspect, Five Robbers In Lagos

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The police in Lagos have arrested five suspected armed robbers after an encounter with suspects who operated in a commercial bus.

Detectives also arrested one Okechukwu Agbanama who allegedly stabbed one Udoka Ibemeshi to death.

The incidents happened in separate locations last Tuesday.

It was gathered that Agbanama who resides at No. 16 Orison Street, Elembe Awori in

Ajamgbadi had a quarrel with the deceased over a girlfriend identified as Judith Chukwu.

The dispute, according to report, degenerated to a fight which resulted to the death of Ibemeshi who was allegedly stabbed.

*Daily Independent* investigation revealed that the same day at about 11p.m., the anti robbery policemen attached to Idimu police Station who were on patrol along Egbeda-Idimu road had an encounter with some gunmen operating in a commercial Volkswagen.

It was learnt that in the process, five of the robbers were arrested while the others escaped.

Lagos State Police command Public Relations Officer, Frank Mba, who confirmed the cases, said two locally made pistols, three live cartridges and 10 assorted handsets were recovered from the bandits.

He also disclosed that the two cases have been transferred to the State Criminal Investigation Department, Panti, Street, Yaba for further investigation.