

Edo police arrest three over murder of teenager

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POLICE in Benin have arrested three persons, who allegedly abducted and murdered one Godspower Idjerhoyibo, 16, in Benin City, the Edo State capital.

Edo State Commissioner of Police, David Omojola, who briefed journalists on the arrest on Wednesday, said Idjerhoyibo was reportedly abducted on November 10, 2011 while returning from school.

The Commissioner stated

that investigation revealed that one Daniel Etido, 21, who was the victim's close friend, arranged the abduction.

Omojola disclosed that on November 12, 2011 the kidnapped victim was found dead in a bush at Obeh village near

Benin City.

The Commissioner, who gave the names of the suspects as Godday Ogbeiye, 25; Kelvin Ogiemwonyi, 20, and Daniel Etido, 21, said they have all confessed to the crime and that they would soon appear in court.