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## Gunmen kill Akala's driver

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**Tragedy** struck yesterday in Ibadan as unidentified gun men shot dead the driver of the former Governor of Oyo State, Adebayo Alao-Akala.

The deceased identified as Alabi Ajikobi was said to have gone to a bank to cash some unspecified amount of money when he was shot by men suspected to be armed robbers.

Though, details of the incident were still sketchy as at time of filling this report, the incident was however confirmed by the State Police Public Relations Officer, Olabisi Okuwobi-Ilobanafor.

The police officer said it was true that the driver of the ex-governor was shot and killed on his way from the bank.

According to her, "it is true. We learnt that he went to a bank to collect some money. On his way, a man stopped him and had some discussions with him. Then, two men on a bike shot him and collected the money and ran away.

"We are on the trail of that man that stopped him, we have already begun investigation on the matter", the Police officer said.