

# Gang Leader To Die By Hanging For Killing Man Over Land

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*Mohammed Sani Audu*

A Kogi High Court sitting in Lokoja has sentenced the leader of a six-man gang, Mohammed Audu, to death by hanging for stabbing one Hussein Isa to death over a land dispute.

The trial Judge and Chief Judge of the state, Justice Nasir Ajanah, handed down the sentence on Friday upon conviction of the accused in a case of culpable homicide preferred against him.

"The sentence of the court upon you, Mohammed Sani Audu is that you be hanged by the neck until you are certified dead or by lethal injection," the judge ruled.

Earlier, the chief judge said the prosecution had proved its case beyond reasonable doubt and therefore, convicted the accused accordingly.