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Tension Engulfs Enugu Community Over Murder Of Youth

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Tension has engulfed Ohom Unadu Community, Igboeze South LGA of Enugu State, following the murder of a youth in the community, Prince Nnabuike Eze.

The deceased, a young graduate of Electronic Engineering, was hacked to death by group of cultists that had been terrorising the community.

Daily Independent gathered that the cultists attacked the 32 year-old engineer with daggers and broken bottles and snuffed

life out of him.

The incident happened on June 2, but as at the time this report was filed on Monday only one of the alleged killer cultists had been arrested, while others were said to be moving around freely in the community and entertaining phone calls.

According to some residents of the community who pleaded anonymity, the same group of cultists, rape young girls and women with reckless abandon, rob people of their valuables, maim in broad day light and smoke Indian hemp in open market in the community without anybody daring

to question the atrocious acts of the cultists in the community.

Speaking with journalists on Tuesday, Prince Ekene Eze, senior brother to the deceased, said he was disappointed that the police arrested only one suspect, while the others were still moving around freely after committing such a heinous crime.

Eze recalled that when he reported to Igboeze South Police Station that his junior brother had been killed and lying in a pool of his own blood, the police bluntly refused to follow him to the scene of the

incident until the next day.

Meanwhile, Igwe Collins Uwakwe, the traditional ruler of Ohom Unadu Community, has petitioned the Enugu State Commissioner of Police, Mr. Suleiman Balaraba over the killing, cultism and hard drugs consumption in the community.

In his petition which was copied to Government House Enugu, DSS, Nigerian Security and Civil Defence Corps (NSCDC), Uwakwe called on police to save members of the community from activities of hoodlums and cultists that have taken over the community.

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