

Police Probe Gruesome Killing Of Tenant In Ekiti

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The Ekiti Police Command has called on members of the public to volunteer information that could lead to the arrest of those behind the gruesome killing of a female tenant in Ado-Ekiti.

A 45-year-old woman and mother of three, Mrs. Motunrayo Olajide was found dead in her home in Ado Ekiti, Ekiti

State capital and believed to have been stabbed to death.

The Police Public Relations Officer, Ekiti Command, ASP Sunday Abutu, said the woman was believed to have been stabbed with a sharp object on her neck, which pierced the skin and created a deep cut that led to her bleeding to death.

He said police detectives have launched investigations into the matter to unravel

those behind the dastardly act.

"The remains of the woman have been deposited in the morgue, while investigations continue. We are waiting for the outcome of the autopsy that would be performed by experts and that will guide us in determining the true cause of the woman's death.

"We appeal to residents and neighbours of the deceased who have relevant information that can help our inves-

tigation to feel free to provide such," he said.

A neighbor, who did not want to disclose her name said, "It was the woman's daughter who returned from school around 5.30 pm that raised the alarm and when we rushed there, we saw her in the pool of blood with a deep cut on her neck.

"It was the landlords in the area that quickly reported the matter to the police," she said.