

Gunmen Abduct Chris Azubogu, Kill One In Anambra

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Gunmen on Thursday attacked the convoy of Honorable Chris Azubogu, the member representing Nnewi North/South and Ekwusigo Federal Constituency, killing one of his drivers.

Azubogu was attacked on the Nnewi–Nnobi Road on his way to Awka at 3:15 pm Thursday afternoon in front of the St Paul Anglican Church, Nnobi,

in Idemili South Local Government Area of Anambra State.

According to eyewitness, the driver of the vehicle with plate number, Abuja ABC 307 CM was shot and was feared dead instantly, while the black car on which Chris was driven had several gun shots.

Azubogu was said to have been abducted after several gun shots refused to penetrate his body while his police orderly was said to have escaped unhurt.

When Daily Independent got to the scene of the incident,

the blue Toyota car with Abuja plate number ABC 307 CM and another black jeep with bullet holes were still there while the dead driver's body had not been removed.

Newspapers, documents bearing 'Mr. Project', Azubogu's pet name were among other documents that littered the road and onlookers were around talking about the incident.

The PPRO Ikenga Tochukwu was not disposed to pick his call when this newspaper contacted him on the phone.