transferred the matter to the state CID for further investigation.

Residents Flee Homes, As 3 Die In Renewed Cult Clash

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A renewed cult clash has claimed the lives of three persons in Obiaruku, Ukwani local government area of Delta State, leaving several others seriously injured.

Reports said there was a bloody clash between two rival cult groups at the weekend where dangerous weapons, including guns, were alleged-

ly freely used.

It was learnt that fight broke out during a birthday party held around Ogbe-Aka quarters in the community after minor argument; a situation which left guests caught in cross-fire.

LEADERSHIP checks revealed that residents of Ogbe-Aka, Ghana, Okusu and Omuegueze quarters, all in the community, have fled their homes for fear of the unknown.

Police spokesman in the state, ASP Lucky Uyabeme, confirmed that six persons have been arrested in connection with the bizarre act, saying that the police are set to comb the entire community.



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