Police investigate death of woman in hotel

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■ HE Nigeria Police have begun a manhunt for a man suspected to have

murdered a 52 year-old woman in a guest house in Isale-Odo, Agege area of Lagos State.

The body of the woman was discovered on Saturday about 11pm in one of the rooms stark naked in the guest house located at 89 Old Ota Road.

Investigation showed that the woman, a mother of five, may have gone to the place with her male companion for some amorous reasons and died in the process.

The suspect, on realising that the woman was dead, allegedly slipped away from the hotel premises before attendants discovered the dead woman.

However, no part of the deceased's body is said to be missing, suggesting that it may not have been ritual killers.

The Nation learnt that immediately the body was discovered in the said room, management of the hotel rushed to Elere Police Station and lodged a complaint. Detectives were said to have been deployed to the scene.

Lagos police command spokesman, Frank Mba, a Superintendent said: "The deceased died in a very controversial circumstance."

He explained that police detectives took photographs before removing the corpse to Isolo General Hospital mortuary for autopsy.

Mba said investigation into the

case is in progress.