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The Police yesterday said one life was lost during the Peoples Democratic Party (PDP) ward congress in Ogun State. Many were also injured.

The deceased was identified as Toyin. He was 27.

The Nation gathered that the deceased, who is an indigene of Ago–Iwoye, was mediating in a brawl involving two factions of the party in the area when he was allegedly stabbed severally in the eyes and nose.

The deceased, who bled profusely, was said to have been rushed to Best Care Hospital in Ita-Merin area of the town where he was confirmed dead. The fracas, which occurred at ward 8 situated at Idode Primary School, Ago–Iwoye also left scores injured.

The Police Public Relations Officer, Mr Olumuyiwa Adejobi, told The Nation he was yet to be briefed about the incident but the Divisional Police Officer in-charge of Ago—Iwoye, said the victim was macheted to death. He said two persons, including one Moruf Idowu, have been arrested in connection with the crime.

In <u>Tube ward 12</u>, the Deputy Governor Salimatu Badru's ward in <u>Ipokia Local</u> government, and which is equally the stronghold of former Council Chairman, Emmanuel Hosu, alleged irregularities and manipulation of results nearly led to a fight between supporters of Mrs Badru and Hosu.

The situation was the same in Ifonyintedo, Mahun ward 11, Ijofin ward among others, where election results were either allegedly annulled or manipulated in favour of preferred candidate for delegates of the forthcoming primaries.

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The begining of the end of politics of DO-OR-DIE, PDP must go.





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