

# Man killed by friend after ‘taking Indian hemp’

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A minor disagreement between two friends, after allegedly taking Indian hemp, has led to the death of one of them.

It was learnt that the victim, 25-year-old Abubakar Gambo and his friend, Danasabe, both residents of Tunga, Minna, Niger State, reportedly smoked Indian hemp on Monday evening and began arguing when they got home.

Gambo, who was agitated by the direction the argument was taking, reportedly took a stick to hit Danasabe, who evaded the attack.

With a dagger he was carrying in his trousers, Danasabe reportedly stabbed Gambo on the neck, causing heavy bleeding.

Gambo was immediately rushed to the hospital but died of haemorrhage (excessive bleeding) before he got to the hospital.

The Police arrested Danasabe after youths in the area caught him when he attempted to escape after the incident.

Doubting that the Police might not do justice to the suspect, some commercial motorcycle riders followed the suspect to the Tundun Wada Police Station before he was transferred to the state Police Headquarters for “security reasons”.

A senior Police officer, who pleaded anonymity, confirmed the incident.

Gambo’s body was handed over to his parents for burial according to Islamic rites.

Contacted, the Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Mr. Richard Oguche, said he was yet to receive details of the incident.