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•Residents decry security agents' 'incompetence'

An Ughelli businessman, Michael Onajiyowwi (aka Onamike), has been killed by suspected cultists in Ughelli North Local Government Area of Delta State.

His killing has added to several other killings in the area by suspected cultists.

Onajiyowwi was said to have been shot dead at a popular drinking spot belonging to his wife on the Ughelli end of the East/West Road.

Residents of the community have blamed security agents for failing to protect them from hoodlums.

Onajiyowwi was an electrical parts dealer. He was shot in a drinking spot he opened for the wife on the Ughelli end of the East/West road.

Although details on his death were still sketchy last night, our reporter learnt that he was shot by three gunmen at a close range.

A member of the Ughelli vigilance team, who spoke in confidence, confirmed the incident.

He said the incident might be connected with recent cult killings.

Efforts to contact police spokesperson, Celestina Kalu, a Deputy Superintendent of Police (DSP), were unsuccessful.

Calls to her mobile phone were not answered.

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