

Policeman kidnapped, killed

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Tongues are wagging in Ekiti State Police Command over the circumstances surrounding the death of the paymaster, Idowu Taiwo, on Sunday.

Taiwo, a Superintendent of Police (SP), was the officer in charge of Finance. He was allegedly kidnapped from a bar on Ikere Road in Ado-Ekiti, the state capital, by unknown assailants.

The police officer was reportedly taken to a location in Ajebamidele, where he was murdered.

His body was later found abandoned in a car yesterday morning by a search party.

The command's spokesperson, Alberto Adeyemi, said investigation has begun, adding that nobody has been arrested.

Adeyemi said: "He (Taiwo) was taken from where he was at Ologede and was later found dead at Ajebamidele.

"They abandoned his body in a car. Investigations have begun but no arrests yet."