

Court remands man for alleged murder

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An Ota Magistrates' Court in Ogun State yesterday ordered the remand of 23-year-old Jamiu Ramon, arraigned on a two-count charge of conspiracy and murder.

Senior Magistrate G. E. Alan ordered that the accused be remanded in Oba Prison, Abeokuta, pending legal advice from the Director of Public Prosecutions (DPP).

Prosecutor Chudu Gbesi told the court that the accused allegedly committed the offences on April 26, last year, at 12:20 am., at Ogba-Ayo, under bridge, Ijoko, Ota.

He said the accused, with others at large, allegedly killed Lanre Adebowale and a pupil (name unknown).

Gbesi alleged that the accused is a member of Eiye Confraternity. The offences contravene sections 319 (1) and 324 of the Criminal Code Vol. 1, Law of Ogun State, 2006.

The accused's plea was not taken.

The case was adjourned till June 21 for mention.