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## Baby found dead in drainage

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A baby was yesterday found dead in a drainage on Enugu-Onitsha Expressway.

The body was discovered near a motor park in Upper Iweka, Onitsha, Anambra State.

The baby, wrapped in a black polythene bag, was said to have attracted passersby, including hawkers and drivers.

*The Nation* learnt a wheelbarrow pusher, who was the first to discover the baby, alerted traders. One of the workers at the park, Ejike Omeke, said a wheelbarrow pusher drew his attention to the body.

“He went inside the drainage and brought out the nylon for us to examine the baby, who was already dead. We saw marks of stabbing in his stomach,” he said.

Omeke condemned the act, describing it as callous.

A resident, Mrs. Uchanna Obiora, wondered why somebody will kill a baby, instead of taking it to a motherless baby home.

