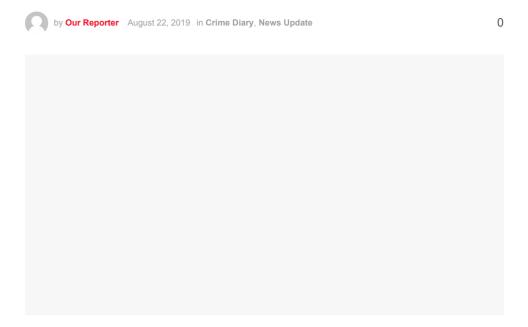
Man accused of stabbing neighbour to death





An Ebute Meta Chief Magistrates' Court, Lagos, on Wedneday ordered that a 54-year-old man, Tahir Jubril, who allegedly stabbed his neighbour to death with a knife, be remanded at Ikoyi Prison, pending legal advice.

Chief Magistrate O. Kusanu, who did not take the defendant's plea, remanded him, pending legal advice from the state Director of Public Prosecutions (DPP).

She adjourned the matter till September 23.

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Prosecuting Inspector Cousin Adams had told the court that the defendant committed the offence on June 17, about 7:30pm, at his home.

He said the defendant stabbed his neighbour, Mr. Abubakar Asale, 37, with a knife on the left side of his neck during a fight.

A fight, he said, broke out between the deceased and the defendant.

Adams said the offence contravened Section 223 of the Criminal Law of Lagos State, 2015.