

Suspected cultists kill tricycle operator in Anambra



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Awka and Emma Elekwa,
Onitsha

Atricycle operator has been killed by
hoodlums suspected to be cultists in Ifite,



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Awka North Local Government Area of Anambra State.

The incident occurred Tuesday evening close to the back gate of Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka.

The deceased was left in a pool of his own blood after being shot.

A student who did not want to be named said: “For the past two or three days, there have been records of young people being gunned down and that of today happened at UNIZIK school gate in Ifite Awka.”

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Police spokesperson, Tochukwu Ikenga, said it was cult-related.

He said the Command’s operatives have intensified surveillance in the city.

Ikenga said: “Our operatives have been deployed in the area and the situation is closely monitored.

“Preliminary information shows that the shooting is a result of a cult-related clash between two rival groups.

“Police patrols have been intensified within Awka and other sides of the state.”