Police arrest man for mutilating body of electrocuted 13-yr-old

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POLICE have arrested a man identified as Ogidan Mustapha for alleged unethical conduct by chopping off the hands an electrocuted minor before wrapping her remains in a mat and dumped it near a river bank.

Vigilante operatives had on Friday, September 20, at about 1:30 am observed suspicious activity in a bush near the Igbosoro river in Igode village, Ogun State, compelling them to storm the location.

The suspect, Ogidan Mustapha was sighted and apprehended while dumping the body of the girl in a mat in the area. He was handed over to the police.

The operatives revealed that both hands of the girl, Oriyomi Gboyega, 13, were amputated.

However, when the mother of the late girl, one Peace Adegboyega, was contacted, she stated that her daughter had died from electrocution on Thursday, September 20, at about 10.20 am, and arrangements were being made for her burial the following day but expressed shock that their neighbour, Ogidan, was found with the amputated body of her daughter in the bush.