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Sit-at-home 'enforcers' kill two in Aba



• *Ebonyi residents ignore order*

• *Roads remain empty in Anambra*

Armed masked men in black shirts and trousers with hoods have killed two persons in Aba, the commercial nerve of **Abia State**.

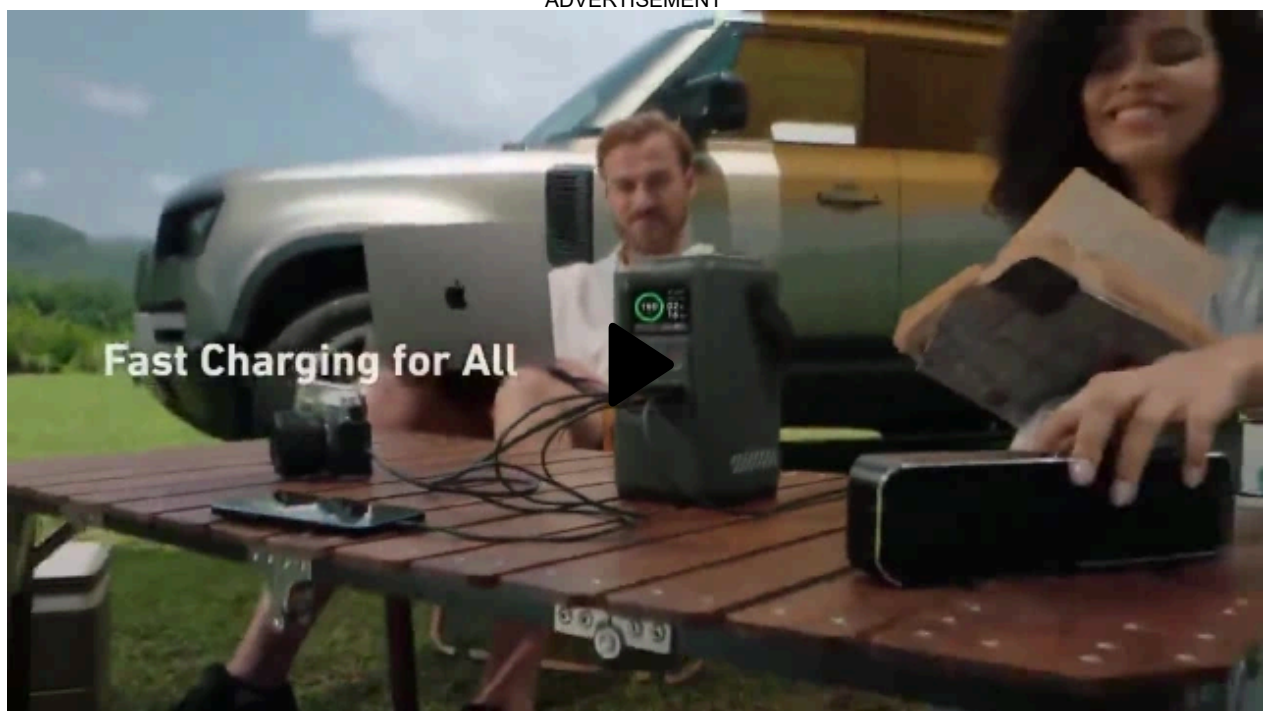
The incident occurred around Old Express off Sameck junction, near a popular slaughter within the area in Aba North local government area of the state.

One of casualties was simply identified as a caretaker of a nearby house; the other victim was left to die in the pool of his blood by the assailants.

No group has claimed responsibility of the death of the two, leaving residents of the area to live in fear as to the reason they (hooded men) decided to kill the two persons.

It was learnt that the children of the caretaker have been removed the body from the scene, the other body was still left at the scene at the time of filing the report.

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A source said the hooded men shot at the helpless man in front of his residence and subsequently abandoned his corpse with the other victim.

Meanwhile, residents of the state for the second day, stayed away from their business premises in adherence to the sit-at-home order by the members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB).

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The popular bus terminal, at Milverton was without its usual hustling and bustling.

Resident of Abakaliki yesterday ignored the sit-at-home order imposed by some pro-separatists groups in the southeast.

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After observing the Monday sit-at-home, residents on Tuesday tramped out in their numbers to their respective businesses.

Markets, shops, businesses, filling stations, eateries, malls and banks opened for business.

Buses playing intra state routes loaded passengers to various localities within the state.

However, buses plying interstate routes did not load as they were unsure of safety of their buses and passengers beyond the borders of the state.

A driver at one of the parks said they were told not to load by the management of the transport company.



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