

Sokoto: Lifeless body dumped on Abdullahi Fodio road

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RESIDENTS of Abdullahi Fodio road, one of the major roads of the Sokoto state's metropolis yesterday waked up to be greeted by tragic news that a lifeless body was found dumped in their mists.

The body which was later identified to be that of one Taye was dumped beside the First Bank Plc by his killers who are

yet to be identified, though some of the eye witnesses said there was nothing to show that the killing was done by ritualists as the body was intact.

Dozens of sympathisers were seen milling around the corpse, expressing surprise and anger at the dastardly killing of the deceased.

The remains of the deceased were later conveyed to the mutuary of the Usmanu Danfodiyo University Teaching Hospital, Sokoto by the police from Kwanni police division in Sokoto metropolis for an autopsy.

The Spokesman of the state Police Command, ASP Al-Mustapha Sani who con-

firmed the incident said he could not ascertain whether it was carried out for ritual purposes as the police was still investigating into the matter.

Yesterday's sad happening was the third in the state this year as it would be recalled that, a niece to Speaker, Aminu Tambuwal and another bureau de change operator were killed by yet to be identified assailants.