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NSCDC discovers corpse of 2-yr-old in pond

THE Jigawa State command of the Nigeria Security and Civil Defence Corps (NSCDC), said on Thursday, that it recovered the corpse of a two-year-old boy, Sani Umar, from a pond.

The state commandant of the corps, Mallam Muhammad Gidado, told the *News Agency of Nigeria (NAN)* that the deceased was discovered by men of the command operating in the area.

Gidado said the incident occurred at Unguwar-Gabas quarters in Mallam-Madori Local Government Area of the state.

He said the victim was suspected to have fallen into the pond after a down-pour in the area.

The commandant said the boy was confirmed dead at the General Hospital in Mallam-Madori.

The corpse, he said, had been handed over to the parents and had since been buried according to Islamic rites.

Gidado, however, urged parents to monitor their children to forestall such ugly incidents.