

policemen to assist him to apprehend Muhammed.

The policemen arrested

October 14 for presentation of facts of the case and sentencing.

## Gunmen kill police inspector in Imo

A police inspector attached to a chieftain of All Progressives Congress (APC) in Imo State, Chief Marcellinus Nlemigbo, was shot dead on Sunday by gunmen suspected to be hired assassins, **News Agency of Nigeria (NAN)** reports.

The incident occurred at Umudagu, Mberri, in Mbaitoli Local Government Area of the state.

The inspector, whose name was given as Mr Ogbe, was at Chief Nlemigbo's compound at Umudagu when the gunmen arrived at about 8.00 p.m.

Sources close to Chief Nlemigbo told newsmen in Owerri that there was exchange of gunfire between the hoodlums and late Inspector Ogbe during which he (the inspector) was killed.

The source added that Chief Nlemigbo, who had just returned from the October lecture of the Grail Movement, Nigeria, in Owerri, was inside his house when the exchange of gunfire took place.

The mission of the gunmen was still not known as at the time of filing this report, but it was gathered that the whereabouts of one of Nlemigbo's drivers had yet to be ascertained.

Chief Nlemigbo, who is also a former Chairman of PDP in the state, told newsmen that the police were investigating the incident.

The Police Public Relations Officer of the state Police Command, Andrew Enwerem, confirmed the incident.

Enwerem said the officer was shot and killed Sunday night.

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discovered that the victim's parent had gone out, he called the victim into his room and defiled her.

"The accused who lives in the same compound with the victim's parents called her into his room, derobed her and inserted his penis into her vagina.

"As a result of the large size of his sex organ and forceful penetration, the victim sustained injuries in her private part.

"The victim was rushed to the General Hospital where medical report showed that there was forceful penetration through her vagina," he said.

He said the girl had been sick since the incident and the offence contravened Section 259 of the Criminal Law of Lagos State, 2011, which on conviction, attracts life imprisonment.