Two remanded over alleged murder in Ibadan

AN Iyaganku Chief Magistrates' Court in Ibadan, Oyo State, on Wednesday, remanded two men, Niyi Olusola and John Adeyemo, in prison, for allegedly causing the death of one Olasunkanmi Olajide.

The Chief Magistrate, Mr O.O Adisa, remanded the defendants in Agodi prison

and ordered that the case file should be sent to the State Director of Public Prosecutions (DPP) for advice.

Olusola (40) and Adeyemo (41), whose addresses were not provided, are facing a two-count charge of conspiracy and murder.

Their pleas were not taken.

Earlier, the prosecutor, Sergeant Salewa Hammed, told the court that the defendants committed the offences with some others still at large on November 26, 2018, at about 4:00 a.m., at Olupoyi area of Ibadan.

Hammed said that the defendants inflicted severe machete cuts on Olajide's body, which led to his death.

He said the offences contravened Section 320 of the Criminal Code of Oyo State, 2000.

The case was adjourned till March 29.