

33-yr-old apprentice killed over N500

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① THE police in Lagos State have begun investigations into the circumstances surrounding the death of a 33-year-old apprentice who was allegedly stabbed to death over N500.

② This is just as the police have arrested a 20-year-old girl who allegedly pushed a 47-year-old woman to death during a scuffle between them.

The state Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Bala Elkana, confirmed both incidents to the Nigerian Tribune in a statement signed by him on Sunday.

③ Elkana said "on February 25, at about 12:30 p.m., one Rafiu Dauda of Alebiosu Street, Ijebu, Satellite town reported at Elemoro police station that his apprentice, Afeez Oluwole (33), was stabbed on the right chest with broken bottle by one Kazeem (surname withheld) during a misunderstanding over N500.

Elkana said Oluwole was rushed to a hospital where he later died and that his body had been deposited at the mortuary for post-mortem examination.

The police image-maker also said the suspect had been arrested and would be charged to court soon.

④ Elkana said in another incident, "on February 28, at about 10:00 a.m., one Afeez and one Femi Olasunde reported at Elemoro police station that a day before, at about 6:00 p.m., at Aiyeteju-Ofiran town, Ibeju Lekki, a 20-year-old lady, Opeyemi (surname withheld) had a fight with one Abosede Bello (47) and that during the scuffle, the said Abosede slumped and was rushed to Akodo General Hospital, where she died on February 28 at about 9:00 a.m."