

INEC official shot dead in Delta

THE Delta State Resident Electoral Commissioner (REC), Reverend Monday Udoh-Tom, has confirmed the killing of an election official after Saturday's presidential and National Assembly election in the state.

According to the *News Agency of Nigeria (NAN)*, Udoh-Tom stated this when he spoke with newsmen on Monday in Asaba.

He said the unnamed official was shot on his way to deliver election results on Saturday at Ukwani Local Government Area (LGA) of the state.

"There was an attack in

Ukwani LGA where one of our staff members was shot on his way with the election results after the election.

"The gunmen opened fire on their bus and unfortunately killed the INEC official, while others sustained injuries.

"The other ad hoc staff who were injured were identified as members of the National Youth Service Corps (NYSC).

"The NYSC corps members are now receiving treatment, but we are planning on how to move them to a hospital in Asaba," Udoh-Tom said.