

Three killed in Ebonyi cult clash

EBONYI State police command on Wednesday confirmed the death of three men following a cult clash at Oriuzor community in Ezza North Local Govern-

ment Area of the state, Spokesperson for the command, Joshua Ukandu, told the **News Agency of Nigeria (NAN)** in Abakaliki that the clash was between

some cult groups in the area.

Ukandu said "there was a report of gun shots and cult members clashing on Sunday at Oriuzor

community and unfortunately, three persons were killed.

"Two persons have been arrested in connection with the clash and the situation

has been put under control.

"Our team has been on top of the matter and investigations are still ongoing to ascertain the root causes of the shoot-

ings and killings.

"We immediately deployed a team of our men in the community and normalcy has returned to the area."