

37-year-old man nabbed for allegedly killing grandparent, uncle in Ibadan

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OPERATIVES of the Oyo State police command have arrested a 37-year-old man, Hammed (surname withheld), for allegedly killing his grandparent and uncle at Apete area in Ido Local Government Area.

The state Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Adewale Osifeso, disclosed to the *Nigerian Tribune* that investigation had already commenced into the matter.

The incident, which occurred on Sunday evening, has created tension in the area.

The suspect, as reliably gathered, beheaded the victims for yet to be ascertained reasons.

A source informed the *Nigerian Tribune* that, "The suspect is staying in the same house with the victims at Apete at the time of the incident.

"It cannot be confirmed whether they had disagreement prior to the killings, but what we gathered is that he attacked the victims with a machete and he succeeded in severing off their heads.

"We cannot say whether it was for ritual purpose or not," he said.