

Suspected cultists strike in Ikorodu, kill one

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MEN suspected to be members of a cult group, struck in Ikorodu, Lagos State on Tuesday and killed a yet-to-be-identified man.

The men, numbering about four, were said to have pursued the victim to a spot around Lambo Lasuwon Street before one of them pulled the trigger and shot him.

It was not clear what transpired between the dead man and his assailants but eyewitnesses said the killers operated like cultists.

Our correspondent learnt that there was a hot argument among the men before the victim was eventually shot.

Immediately the assailants shot the man, all of

them reportedly fled, leaving him in an agonising condition.

It was learnt that the shooting took place a few metres from the Ikorodu campus of the Lagos State Polytechnic.

Some sympathisers picked the man and rushed him to the Ikorodu General Hospital, but he died before they got to the hospital.

The corpse had been deposited at a public mortuary for preservation.

Spokesman for the Lagos State Police Command, Mr. Olubode Ojajuni, a superintendent of police, confirmed the incident to our correspondent on Wednesday.

Ojajuni said although nobody had been arrested in connection with the killing, the police were still investigating the incident.