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Housemaid flees after killing boss

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A housemaid, whose identity could not be ascertained as at press time, has absconded after allegedly killing his boss.



Mr. Olubode Ojajuni, Police Public Relation Officer

The deceased, Charles Eboh, was said to be a resident of Shomolu in Lagos and had lived with the maid for some time before the worst happened on Saturday.

Both men were said to have had a disagreement, which later degenerated into a scuffle at about 7.30pm.

Although the cause of the disagreement could not be confirmed, it was learnt that it revolved around monetary issue.

During the fight that ensued between Eboh and

his boy, the former was said to have been stabbed with a sharp object.

Eboh, it was learnt, fell and groaned until he died. Immediately the maid noticed that his boss had fallen, he reportedly fled.

Some neighbours, who came to the scene after the death, reported the incident at the Shomolu Police Station.

Policemen visited the scene but could not get the suspect. They removed the corpse and deposited it at the Lagos Island General Hospital mortuary.

Spokesman for the Lagos State Police Command, Mr. Olubode Ojajuni, confirmed the incident to our correspondent on Sunday.

Ojajuni said the police had got sufficient information on the identity of the suspect and had spread their dragnet to every nook and cranny of the metropolis in order to arrest him.

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