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Gunmen kill ex-EFCC operative

By Olusola Fabiyi, Abuja, Published: Monday, 22 Feb 2010

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Unknown gunmen on Sunday murdered a former operative of the Economic and Financial Crimes Commission, Mr. Danjuma Mohammed, at his home in Gwarimpa, Abuja.

An online blog, saharareporters.com, reported that the ex-EFCC operative, who was a deputy superintendent of police, was shot dead by the assassins. The blog said he was close to former EFCC Chairman, Malam Nuhu Ribadu, and was redeployed to the Nigeria Police after Mrs. Farida Waziri took over the leadership of the agency in 2007.

It said that Mohammed, was later engaged by the Federal Inland Revenue Service as an investigator. He was said to have handled a number of cases of tax evasion in its enforcement department before he was murdered.

Confirming the development, the spokesman of the Federal Capital Territory Police Command, Mr. Moshood Jimoh, told our correspondent that details of the incident were still sketchy. The spokesman, who described the police officer's murder as "unfortunate," said the FCT Commissioner of Police, Mr. Haruna John, had directed the DCP CID to take over the case.

When our correspondent contacted the Special Adviser, Corporate Communication, FIRS, Dr. John Edemede, on the telephone, he expressed shock at the development. He said he was hearing about it for the first time from our correspondent.

Comments :

it's a pity that a life has been lost but the looth recovered during rbadu regime has not been accounted for till today..what nigeria needs is a small elite force to wipe out criminals..that are above the law.....

Posted by: willy , on Monday, February 22, 2010

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Brother Jonah,Chief Onovo, Zebby) would say 'ngbanu" here we go again.The band plays on, from Harry Marshal, Engineer Funsho, Chief Bola IgeCicero)Dipo Dina and the list continues.Will we ever find the gut to go after these faceless apes?Any question about Nigeria ending up on "terror list"eventhough Farouk spent eight days in Ghana and 25minutes in NIGERIA???

Posted by: rasheed akangbe , on Monday, February 22, 2010

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What a shame, I'm quiet sure the killer will not be traced despite that the police knows who is the killer. This is what is wrong with this country when you have thieves like Ibori, Odili, Igbinedion and so on who will paid the killers and they been protected by our so called police just to go after the prosecutors that went after them. Ibori, Odili, Igbinedion are still much in action today, these people should have been given a life sentence God will punish all of you.

Posted by: Lan Ladi , on Monday, February 22, 2010

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this man appears to be an impotant person. the case of his death should be folloowed closely, no need to chase ribadu and el rifai about. the woman there now at efcc is doing fine. even if not others dey. They ran away!. if him dey get invloved with tax people then his death may be due to foolishness. nija no dey pay well. those wey dey pka je an still dey frustrate na them go die. rule is do not take if you wont stand in defence.

Posted by: nija we hail thee , on Monday, February 22, 2010

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You thieves are happy this man is dead? God will not forgive you. Nemesis will also catch up with you. Anybody that wants to or fighting corruption in Nigeria is a bad man but thieves like Ibori, Odili, Igbinedion, are your heroes. God's natural law of justice will jail all of you in no distance time in JESUS NAME. AMEN! AMEN!! AMEN!!!

Posted by: Omo , on Monday, February 22, 2010

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