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## Police arrest five over Ogun murder

THE Federal Special Anti-Robbery Squad on Monday announced the arrest of five persons in connection with the murder of three persons in Owode-Eqba, Ogun State.

The Commissioner incharge FSARS Annex, Adeniji Adele, Mr. Jubril Adeniji, told the News Agency of Nigeria that two other persons connected with the murder were still at large.

Adeniji explained that the incident which took place on August 8 in Owode-Egba in Obafemi Owode Local Government Area of Ogun, followed a rivalry crisis between two groups in the community.

He said that one of the groups named Federal Troupe was headed by one Dotun (aka Lobito) while the other faction was headed by Muritala, now deceased

Adeniji added that the three victims were murdered and their bodies hidden for four days in a plantain farm and were decomposing before they were discovered.

## Bwari residents ask for more police patrols

RESIDENTS of Sabon Gari area of Bwari in the Federal Capital Territory have called for increased police patrol to ensure the security of lives and property.

Some of the residents told the News Agency of Nigeria that the increased activities of criminals in the area had become a source of concern.

A civil servant, Mr. Chuks Emordi, said the high rate of burglaries and armed robbery in the area required immediate action from the security agencies to ensure the safety of residents.

A trader, Mrs. Grace Emmanuel, however, complained about the lack of access roads, especially behind Deeper Life Bible Church in the area, stressing that the bad road impeded access to the area by police patrol vehicles.