

Two die

TWO people were feared dead in a crisis in Effiat, Mbo Local Government Area of Akwa Ibom State.

The crisis was said to have been caused by a lawyer who claimed that the people of Effiat owed allegiance to Efik in Calabar, Cross River State, and not to Akwa Ibom. He was said to have stated that, all royalties due the area should be paid to Cross River State.

The incident was said to have led to the violent crisis in the area that left two persons dead and many others wounded.

Speaking to our correspondent in Ibaka on Tuesday, the Head of Okwong Clan in Ibaka, Effiong Isemin, dissociated the area from the crisis.