

Electrician stabs wife's lover to death in Delta

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Warri

An electrician, identified as Ochuko, has allegedly killed his wife's lover on Emebiren Street, in the Warri South Local Government Area of Delta State.

PUNCH Metro learnt that the incident occurred on Saturday at the residence of the lover, identified as Robinson Otuke.

Residents of the area told our correspondent that the electrician's wife, Rose, had been having an affair with the deceased for a long time.

It was gathered that after a disagreement between Rose and her husband, she moved into Otuke's house.

Otuke, who lived a stone's throw away from the couple's residence, was reportedly challenged by Ochuko, which led to an exchange of words between them.

During the argument, the electrician allegedly brought out a knife from his pocket and stabbed the victim in the neck, killing him in the process.

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