Three arrested for killing 27-year-old man in Ogun

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The suspected killers

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Men of the Ogun State Police Command have arrested three suspects in connection with the killing of one Azeez Salami, 27.

The incident occurred on Friday at the Powerline bus stop, Agbado, in the Ifo Local Government Area of the state.

The Police Public Relations Officer in the state, Abimbola Oyeyemi, stated this in a statement on Sunday.

Oyeyemi named the suspects as Lanre Toriola, aka Weapon, 42; Mustapha Kazeem, 17; and Ajani Babatunde, 21.

They were arrested following a complaint by the father of the deceased, Monsuru Salami.

The PPRO said the deceased was killed during an altercation with the suspects.

According to him, Monsuru said his son had an altercation with the three suspects and one other, who is now on the run, and in the process, Toriola allegedly stabbed the deceased in the right side of his chest and he died on the way to hospital.

Oyeyemi stated, "Upon the report, the DPO, Agbado Division, CSP Aloko Amodu, quickly mobilised his men and moved to the scene.

"Three suspects were arrested, while the fourth accomplice, simply known as Sodiq, aka Sadek, escaped.

"Recovered from the suspects were a sharp knife and seven wraps of weeds suspected to be Indian hemp.