Ogun police kill suspected armed robber

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Asuspected armed robber was on Sunday shot dead by men of the Ogun State Police Command along the Sagamu-Ikenne Expressway.

The state Police Public Relations Officer, DSP Abimbola Oyeyemi, disclosed this in a statement on Monday.

Oyeyemi said the robber met his Waterloo after a distress call was made to the police at the Ikenne divisional headquarters.

He said the police were told that a gang of armed robbers were operating between Adelex Filing Station and Ladgroup Company, along the expressway, and dispossessing people of their valuables at gunpoint.

He said after the call, the DPO Ikenne division, CSP Ndoukauba Onuma, mobilised a patrol team and personnel of 71 PMF to the scene.

"On sighting the policemen, the hoodlums engaged them in a gun battle consequent upon which one of the robbers was shot dead, while others escaped into the bush with gunshot injuries.

"Recovered from the scene were a mock gun and a Toyota Corolla car with number plate, KNN 84 TD, which was snatched from its owner," he added.

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