Akwa Ibom CP orders probe of woman's killing

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THE Akwa Ibom Commissioner of Police, Olatoye Durosinmi, has ordered an investigation into the death of an unidentified woman said to have been beheaded by some suspected gunmen on Sunday.

PUNCH Metro gathered that the incident occurred around a banking layout, Udo Udoma Avenue in Uyo, where

the woman had lived and farmed before she met her death.

Speaking with our correspondent on Wednesday on the telephone, the Public Relations Officer of Akwa Ibom State Police Command, Odiko Ogbeche Macdon, confirmed the incident noting that the name of the deceased had yet to be identified.

The PPRO said that the Akwa State CP, Durosinmi,

had ordered an investigation into the incident which he said had discreetly been conducted.

He said, "In no distant time, we will get to know what transpired and fish out the perpetrators.

"We are committed to fishing out these perpetrators and bringing them to book."

He also made an appeal to the public to bring information that could help in the investigation to unravel circumstances behind such a dastardly act.

He clearly stated and said "but for us we will spend no resources in doing so"

A few days ago, the police confirmed the killing of a lady, name withheld, in her early 20s in a hotel in Adamawa State.

The state Commissioner of Police, CP Afolabi Babatola, strongly condemned the act and ordered an immediate investigation into the matter with a view to apprehending the perpetrators.