Police deny arresting man for killing wife in Sokoto

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The Nigeria Police Force, Sokoto State Command, has denied the report that it arrested anyone in connection with the killing of his wife in the state.

The spokesman to the command, DSP Ahmed Rufa'i, while speaking with our correspondent in the state following a widely circulating story which has gone viral on social media, said no such incident happened in the command.

The spokesman, in a telephone conversation with our correspondent, simply clarified, "This is not in any of our divisions in Sokoto.

"I have contacted all our Divisional offices in the state. None of them has any of such case in their file.

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"If you also listen carefully to the voice added to the story, you will as well realise that the language spoken is not the Sokoto Hausa.

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"No such case was recorded in any of our stations," he emphasised.

Meanwhile, in a post shared with *Arewa PUNCH* through Instagram, there was a report of a man who was arrested for killing his wife by pushing her into a well.

According to the post, "a man was arrested for allegedly killing his wife and dumping her body in a well. His daughter raised the alarm, leading to police intervention.

"The suspect is currently under investigation, and the community is in shock, awaiting justice."

The post also mentioned that "a graphic video of the incident is available via a link in their bio."