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Muhammad quickly added that
no casualties was recorded.

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A decomposing body of a 13-year-old girl, Rachael Ekwe, has been discovered in a soak-away pit in Ugama Obosi, Idemili North Local Government Area of Anambra State.

The deceased, who hails from Enugu State, had disappeared for

three days before her decomposing body was recovered from the pit in her compound by the police.

Daily Sun gathered that after the deceased was declared missing, the compound started emitting offensive odour, which aroused the curiosity of the residents.

A witness, Uchechi, said that it

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Dr Tokunbo Oshin, the
husband and father of the

to ensure the safe rescue of
the victims.

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corpse of 13-year-old girl

was in the process of searching for the cause of the odour in the compound that some men opened the soak-away and saw the head of the missing girl with a rope on her neck.

She noted that the deceased was leaving with her elder sister before the incident happened. She explained that immediately the corpse was

discovered the residents alerted the police who came and took it away.

According to her, "we cannot say that the girl committed suicide, though there is rope on her neck because the soak-away was covered very well, the question is who covered the pit, I am suspecting that she was killed with the

rope and the killer dumped her corpse inside the soak-away pit."

The Divisional Police Officer (DPO) in charge of Obosi station Mr. Musa Ibrahim, a Chief Superintendent of Police (CSP), who confirmed the incident said that the body has been removed from the pit and deposited in a mortuary for

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Cops members have been