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Man rapes, murders corps member her phone



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25-year-old man, Chukwuemeka Eze, from Umuorji, Mgbidi in Oru West Local Government Area of Imo State is presently cooling his heels in police net.

Eze allegedly raped, murdered and robbed a 27-year-old female youth corps member, Mgbanwa, of her mobile phone.

Trouble started on July 3, 2019 when the victim, Mgbanwa, from Delta State was reported missing.

Upon receipt of the report, operatives of Oru West Division of the Nigeria Police swung into action and through valid intelligence, arrested the suspect, Eze.

Two days after the victim was declared missing, the suspect, Eze, took an Android phone from a shop belonging to a man, Ahamefule Onyeka, to charge the battery.

When he left, Onyeka switched the phone on based on the suspicion that it must have been stolen as he reasonably believed that Eze could not possibly own the smart phone.

A few minutes after switching the phone on, it rang. When Onyeka picked the call, the caller who was at the other end told him to hand over the handset to the owner.

Onyeka told the caller that the owner left the phone in his shop for charging but the caller claimed the phone belonged to her sister.

At that point, Onyeka switched off the phone and took it to police station. He reported that Eze brought the phone for charging in his shop and someone else called, claiming it belonged to her sister.

Upon reception of the report, the DPO led other officers to arrest Eze. The suspect confessed to have raped and murdered the victim. He led operatives to the scene where they saw Mgbanwa's decomposing body.

Mgbanwa had concluded her national youth service and was preparing to return home when the tragic incident occurred.

Eze, who had feigned madness, was still in police custody and would soon be charged.



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