## Court sentences 2 to death in Ekiti for conspiracy, murder

## Adewumi Ademiju

nother two persons, Danjuma Fayomi Femi (30) and Jamiu Oyediran (30) have been sentenced to death in Ekiti by a high court sitting in Ado-Ekiti. They were convicted for conspiracy and murder.

Justice Adekunle Adeleye in his judgment said, "The prosecutor has led credible evidence linking the defendants to commission of the two offences. Having found them guilty of the offence of conspiracy and murder, two of them are hereby sentenced to 7 years imprisonment for offence of conspiracy and also to death for offence of murder, may God have mercy on your souls, he added."

According to the charge, the defendants on December 11, 2017 in Otun Ekiti, Moba Local Government Area of Ekiti State conspired and murdered one Adeoye Adegoke, contrary to Sections 516

and 316 of the Criminal Code Law, Cap C16, Laws of Ekiti State, 2012.

One of the deceased relatives who testified before the court said, he met his brother on the hospital bed on that day, struggling for his life, before he gave up the ghost, he mentioned the defendants name alongside Seyi a.k.a. Koro, Ilesanmi a.k.a Babaloja,

Dare a.k.a. DD, Jamiyu, Kabiru a.k.a. KB, Johnson, Festus a.k.a. Dudu, Ganiyu a.k.a. G-Boy, Owolabi Yinka a.k.a. AK-700, Michael Oyeniyi a.k.a. Poison and others, now at large, tied his hands and pennis and started beaten him on allegation of stealing a bag full of indian hemp.

## Enugu: Police exhume body of 7-year old boy, arrest father, pastor for ritual killing

peratives of Nigerian Police, Enugu State Command have arrested one Chidi Onyishi, 36, for allegedly masterminding the killing of his seven-year-old son, Chimdalu Chidi for money ritual.

The suspect, who resides at Taylor Avenue, Coal Camp, Enugu was arrested on November 6 by operatives of Central Police Station, Enugu, who are investigating the case of a missing child.

An anonymous source told journal-

ists that the man cut off the boy's private part, tongue and eyes before disposing of the body.

In a statement by the Enugu Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), ASP Ndukwe Daniel, the same man reported to the police that the child was missing on October 22, 2021.

Ndukwe also said that the man has confessed to the crime and named one Pastor Okeke Eneokwor, aged 95, who is said to be blind and of Dental Avenue, Trans-Ekulu, Enugu as his accomplice.