

Police arrest man for killing father over inheritance

...suspect paid accomplice N110,000

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The Niger State Police Command have arrested a 25-year-old man, Abubakar Mohammed Buba, of Gidan Madara area of Chanchaga, Minna, after he allegedly attacked and killed his 52-years-old father over plans to inherit his properties.

Addressing journalists yesterday in Minna, the state Commissioner of Police, Mr Monday Kuryas said based on credible intelligence, policemen attached to Chanchaga Division on Wednesday, December 29, 2021 at about 10.30pm arrested the suspect.

The CP said: "The suspect was arrested for criminal conspiracy and culpable homicide of his father, Alhaji Mohammed Buba (deceased) whom he stabbed to death in his residence at Korokpan, Paikoro LGA on October 13, 2021.

"During interrogation, he con-

fessed to have conspired with 26-year old Aliyu Mohammed of Chanchaga who is presently at large to kill the deceased.

"The suspect later led Police operatives to Tagwai-Dam where the body of his deceased father was dumped after being severed and packed in a sack."

Kuryas added that, "the suspect confessed further to have contracted the said Aliyu for a sum of N110,000 in which he paid a deposit of N50,000 and later paid the balance of N60,000 after selling some of the deceased properties to raise the balance."

Responding to questions, the suspect told journalists that "I committed the act in order to quickly inherit my father's properties. I regret my actions, I have killed my own father."

The Police Commissioner further disclosed that, efforts are ongoing to arrest the fleeing Aliyu



The suspect, Abubakar Mohammed Buba

Mohammed while the case is under investigation at SCID, and that the suspect will be arraigned in court for prosecution immediately after investigation.

Police to unmask those behind