

Suspected Cultists Shoot Banker Dead In Edo



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A member of staff of a new generation bank in Benin City, Edo State, identified as Nosa, has been shot dead by gunmen suspected to be cultists.

The incident occurred on Thursday, June 20, in the Government Reservation Area of Benin City, the state capital. It was learnt that the deceased while at work, received a call from a yet-to-be-identified person inviting him for a hang out at a joint after the close of work. The deceased who did not suspect any foul play, it was further learnt decided to join his caller at the close of work at their said joint.

While on his way to the place, his assailants who apparently have been trailing him, were said to have blocked his vehicle with their car and opened fire on him. The deceased was said to have been rushed to the hospital where he was confirmed dead. The State Police Command's spokesman, SP Chidi Nwabuzor, who confirmed the incident, described it as unfortunate.