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## **Police inspector murdered in Ibadan**

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AN Inspector of Police was on Monday found dead in the Iwo Road area of Ibadan, Oyo State. The Inspector, attached to the Area Command's office, Testing Ground, Iwo-Road, Ibadan, was said to have been dragged out of his car, stabbed to death, while his body was later placed beside the car.

His pistol and two mobile telephone sets were also found on his chest. Sources told the Nigerian Tribune that the dead officer was to be on night duty performing his official functions while the incident happened.

When the Nigerian Tribune visited the area command's office at Iwo Road, police authorities in the area said the man was killed by unknown people. Also confirming the incident, the Police Public Relations Officer(PPRO), Ms Bisi Okuwobi, stated that the Inspector was killed by unknown assailants on Sunday night, adding that the circumstances behind his death were yet to be unravelled.

Okuwobi said the state police command was still investigating the cause of his killing with a view of unmasking those behind the murder of the serving officer. His remains were said to have been deposited in a mortuary in Ibadan.