

US-based Nigerian lady assassinated

OWERRI—A 40 year-old woman, Mrs Bibiana Nwokiye, has been murdered in her room at Amuro, Onuimo Local Government Area of Imo State.

The deceased, based in the U.S. was allegedly killed by unknown assailants.

The late Nwokiye had returned home to renovate her husband's building when she met her death.

The Police Public Relations Officer in Imo, Mr Linus Nwaiwu, confirmed the incident.

He said the police already

had the report that the woman was shot dead by unknown assailants on Aug. 17 at 1.30 a.m.

He said that the police had commenced full investigation into the murder and added that some people were already helping in the investigation.

He said that the building where the body of the woman was later found was situated in a remote area of the town and had no security guards.

He said that the woman was shot on the chest. According to him, the deceased's husband is still in the U.S.