

1 killed in renewed cult clash in Delta

BY FESTUSAHON

UGHELLI—ONE person was, weekend, confirmed dead and a house torched in Ovwian community, Udu Local Government Area, Delta State, following a renewed clash between two rival cult groups.

An earlier clash of the two cult groups, this year led to the death of one Erite. The deceased, who was said to be in his early 30s, was identified as Mr. Aboy.

A dependable source told *Vanguard*, that the late Aboy was allegedly shot on close range on the head at 5:30pm. The source, who pleaded anonymity, said Aboy was allegedly hit by bullet during a shootout between the rival cult groups, which also led to serious traffic jam at Orhuwhorun Junction in the area.

Speaking further, the source said after the suspected killers of Mr. Aboy escaped; his cult and fam-

ily members went straight to one of the assailants' residence, close to Onos

Estate in Ovwian and allegedly set his house ablaze.

Jonathan orders security to find senator's killers

BY BEN AGANDE

ABUJA—PRESIDENT Goodluck Jonathan has directed all security agencies in the country to track down all those involved in the killing of the senator from Plateau state, Senator Gyang Dantong, representing Plateau Central Senatorial district, saying his murder was cruel and regrettable.

In an interview with state House correspondents, special Adviser to the President on Media and Publicity Reuben Abati said the president has ordered all relevant security agencies to ensure that all those involved in the killing are brought to book.

Dr. Reuben Abati, said President Jonathan had directed all security agencies

to ensure that thorough investigation is carried out to ensure that the culprits are apprehended and brought to justice in due course.

He said the President commiserated with the government and people of Plateau State as well as members and the leadership of the Senate on the incident adding that "The Federal Government is working hard to ensure that there is a check on impunity.

"That much was demon-

Edo indigenes in support for Oshin

BY SIMONE BEGBULEM

BENIN CITY—EDO State indigenes based in the United