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Tension high in Nsukka as gunmen kill Hausa indigene

By CHINENYEH OZOR, *Nsukka*

TENSION was high at the University town of Nsukka, last Sunday, following the wicked killing of an Hausa man, Aminu Mohammed by two gunmen. **Crime Alert** gathered that the two armed men simply identified as Emeka Nnamani (a.k.a Catiga) and Ifeanyi Okorie (a.k.a One Window), still at large, had walked into the shop of one Dauda Umaru who was a battery phone charger.

They reportedly demanded to take their phone which was being charged but the deceased did not allow them. He pleaded with them to wait for the shop owner, Umaru, to come back to give them their phone. It was learnt that the two gunmen ignored his pleadings, shot him on the head and threatened to shoot any person who ventured to accost them. The two shot sporadically into the air while fleeing the scene.

The incident took place along the popular slaughter road, Nsukka where the shop owner, Umaru, is suspected to be dealing also on Indian hemp. The victim, Aminu Mohammed was rushed to Bishop Shanahan Hospital, Nsukka where he was confirmed dead.

Meanwhile, a spokesman of the Hausa Community in Nsukka, Alhaji Azaga described the incident as strange, saying that Hausa people have been enjoying peaceful co-existence in the annals of history of the Community in Nsukka spanning over 30 years.

According to him, "The killing of Aminu Mohammed is very unfortunate; he was a victim of circumstance. I plead with my people not to take laws into their hands but to allow Police to carry out a full scale investigation into the incident and persecute the killers of the victim.

Enugu State Police Public Relations Officer, Ebere Amarizu said the Police has commenced a full-scale investigation into the incident while manhunt on the fleeing suspects has been intensified.

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