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## Hoodlums kill woman, sell her baby to Orphanage home

\*Delta CP confirms arrest of prime suspect, girlfriend and Orphanage proprietor

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OLICE in Delta State have apprehended a 29-year-old

suspect, Chukwuma, who heartlessly hacked mother of a 12- monthold baby to death in collusion with another fleeing accomplice, buried her remains in a soakaway pit at Asaba and sold the baby for N350, 000 to the proprietor of an Orphanage Home in Benin City, Edo State. The suspect sold the innocent baby through his girlfriend, Blessing, 25, resident in Enugu State to the Orphanage proprietor, one Samuel in Benin City. The seller and buyer are already in

police custody.

Commissioner of Police, Delta State Command, Muhammad Mustafa, who confirmed the arrest of the suspects Saturday Vanguard, said: "One Chukwuma Ehiwoguru, 29 years was arrested in connection with a case of conspiracy and threatening violence." "Upon interrogation of the suspect, he confessed to have killed an unknown woman with a 12month-old baby in connivance with one Saturday, surname unknown, who is now at large.

"He further stated in his confessional statement that the woman's 12-month old baby was sold in Benin City, Edo state, to a man running an orphanage for the sum of N350, 000. His girlfriend, one Blessing, 25 years of Obolo-Afor, Enugu state helped him to sell the baby. "The woman was said to have been buried in a soak away at No 3 Dickson Okwosa Street, Asaba.' he added.

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