

Police recover bodies of 4 suspected cultists in Anambra

POLICE operatives said they have recovered four bodies of suspected cultists in Anambra State.

A statement by the Police Public Relations Officer, Anambra State Police Command, SP Tochukwu Ikenga yesterday, said police operatives attached to Nimo Police Station responded to a distress call on Sunday by 8:25 PM, of a suspected cult clash at Umuka, Nawfia.

It said, the operatives upon arriving at the scene, found four lifeless bodies of young men in a pool of blood with suspected multiple gunshot injuries lying on the road.

The victims were later confirmed dead by a doctor on duty and have been deposited to the morgue.

They were later identified as one Ebuka Nwaonkwube Ekenia of Mmimi Village Nawfia; Nnatuanya Junior AKA Starboy of Mmimi Village Nawfia; Aniemena AKA Osama of Umuariam Village and one Ahmed Auwal.

Information from eyewitnesses and some villagers revealed that the victims are known for their nefarious activities and are always in rivalry with another cult group in the area.

The statement said a Joint patrol by Operatives of the Special Unit Cultism Squad (SPACS) has been intensified in the area.