

Zimbabwean man shot dead in Maputo to be buried in Mutare

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THE body of Cde Kenneth Magodo (33), who was shot in Maputo, Mozambique, 11 days ago, was flown home on Sunday and will be buried in Mvududu village, Chigodora, near Mutare, today.

Relatives yesterday were battling to get a burial order which they finally obtained towards the end of business with assistance from the police. They said absent from the documents ac-

companying the body were the death and health certificates.

However, hospital authorities in Mutare, where the body was taken from Harare, had granted permission for the body to be buried. The documents were in Portuguese and relatives had to travel to the Forbes Border Post, about 10 km from Mutare, for translation.

Cde Magodo was shot several times by militiamen, allegedly in the presence of Mozambican

police, after an argument at a gate to a social club, an official at the Zimbabwean embassy in Maputo said.

The embassy official said that three militiamen had been arrested in connection with the death of Cde Magodo, a boilermaker and welder by trade, who was working for a company called Cometal Mometal in the Mozambican capital.

Four days before his death, Cde Magodo was due to fly home for a 15-day break.