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Loten Nishad's Family Feared Retaliation Once Police Left

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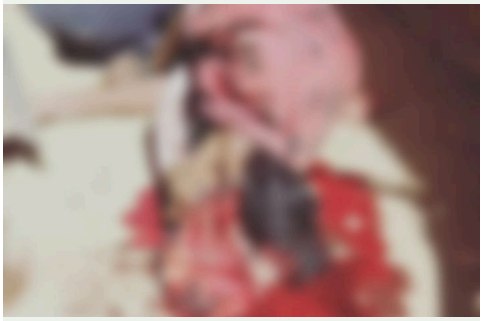

Loten Nishad

CASE SUMMARY

Date and place	The killing took place on 5 April in Bakshi Morha village, Prayagraj district, Uttar Pradesh.
Reported trigger	The earlier Swarajya account linked the shooting to a former village pradhan's comment about Tablighi Jamaat.
Police case	Police booked several named and unidentified people for murder based on the victim's brother's statement.
Security on 11 April	The victim's brother said security personnel were still heavily guarding the village.
State response	The Chief Minister directed authorities to charge the accused under the National Security Act and announced Rs 5 lakh for the family.

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