

TROOPS NEUTRALISE 5 TERRORISTS, RESCUE HOSTAGES IN BORNO

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Troops of Operation Hadin Kai Joint Taskforce have neutralised five Boko Haram/ ISWAP terrorists and rescued hostages in Konduga local government area of Borno State.

A statement issued by the media information officer of Operation Hadin Kai (OPHK), Lt. Col Sani Uba, to Journalists on Sunday in Maiduguri, said troops of Operation HADIN KAI (OPHK) have recorded another significant success following a well-coordinated operation against terrorist elements around Konduga Local Government Area of Borno State, which also led to the rescue of kidnapped civilians.

Lt Col Uba said in the early hours of 4 January 2026, troops in collaboration with the Civilian Joint Task Force (CJTF), engaged terrorists at a known crossing point along the Sojiri axis.

He said the operation resulted in the neutralisation of 5 terrorists without any casualties to their own troops, "Demonstrating the effectiveness and professionalism of the security forces.