

n a related development in Karem, Wase Local Government Area, troops disrupted a large movement of terrorists on motorcycles.

When engaged by the military, the insurgents fled after a firefight, during which three terrorists were neutralised.

This came barely hours after the Chief of Army Staff ordered the deployment of a battalion plus specialised counter-terrorism troops to the state on Thursday morning.

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Military authorities described the fresh deployment as a game-changer that has strengthened the security architecture and restored proactive control in volatile areas.

The troops have vowed to deal ruthlessly with hoodlums, insurgents and criminal syndicates operating in the state.

“Troops of Operation Enduring Peace remain resolute in their mission to eliminate all threats to public peace,” the statement added.

They called on the public to remain vigilant and report any suspicious persons or activities to the nearest security agencies.