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TWO, 47 COWS KILLED IN FULANI/MORO'A YOUTHS CLASH

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Two persons and 47 cows were killed yesterday in a gun battle allegedly between Fulani and Moro'a youths in Zankang under Moro'a chiefdom in Kaura local government of Kaduna state.

This came a day after Monday's incident in which eight people including a woman were killed in Adu village close to Zankang. Both towns are close to the Plateau-Kaduna

Police confirmed that two houses were burnt in Zankang after the attack but denied that two people were killed.

Daily Trust learnt that there was apprehension among villagers following the attack while extra policemen were deployed to the area.

A resident said youth groups in Zankang started attacking perceived enemies shortly after the attack on Adu that led to the arrest of one of their community leaders, Ade

Chairman of Miyetti Allah, Southern Kaduna branch Alhaji Haruna Usman also confirmed that two people were killed while about 47 cows were killed in the Zankang clash.

Usman said Women and chil-dren who were stranded at motor parks have gathered at a protected place adding, "everywhere is calm and life is going on without any problem," contrary to media reports yesterday saying that Fulani's were fleeing the area.

Police Commissioner in Kaduna, Olufemi Adenaike said seven corpses were removed from Adu village after the Monday's attack while the dead body of woman "believed to have been shot by the attackers on their way out" was picked up on a road not far from area. He said six people were arrested and a military forensic expert had confirmed their involvement in the attack



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