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FEMALE SUICIDE BOMBER STRIKES IN KANO

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A female suicide bomber yesterday struck at the ever-busy Dange roundabout in Kano killing herself around 9.30pm, Daily Trust has gathered.

The girl whose age was put at 13 by security operatives went to the roundabout where policemen are stationed before detonating her explosives.

Witnesses told our correspondent that the girl alighted from a car and that after she detonated the explosives the occupants of the car zoomed off.

One Abdulrazak, who witnessed it said immediately after the explosion, the occupants of the vehicle also fired shots in the air.

When Daily Trust visited the scene by 10pm, security men were seen clearing the scene.

Spokesperson of the Kano Police Command, ASP Magaji Musa Majia confirmed the report, saying that only the suicide bomber died.

"The girl is around 13 years, she went straight to the round-about and detonated the explosives. Only her died," he said.

The last time bomb exploded in Kano was in February when suicide bombers killed 20 persons at the Kofar Nasarawa Car park.

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