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Flood kills 3, injures three others in Gombe

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The National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) said yesterday that three people died while three others were injured in a flood in five local government areas of Gombe State. It added that 122 households were destroyed in the incident.

Head of Operations at NEMA in Gombe, Sa'idu Mining said this while fielding questions from newsmen at the end of their assessment tour of affected areas in collaboration with the Gombe State Emergency Management Agency. He said the affected local governments include Akko, Funakaye, Nafada, Kwami and Gombe.

The NEMA official said their findings would be forwarded to their national headquarters for further action. He advised people living in flood prone areas to move to safer areas to avoid losing their lives and property.

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