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Boko Haram kills 7, abducts dozens in Borno attack

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n Commander 33 Artillery Brigade Nigerian Army, Bauchi, Brig.-Gen. Abraham Dusu (right), District Head of Bura, Alhaji Yau Abubakar (third right) and other soldiers with villagers, moving to the venue of the handover of cattle and rams recovered from rustlers by soldiers to their owners at Kyata Village in Ningi L.G.A of Bauchi State yesterday. PHOTO: NAN

At least seven people were killed and dozens of civilians abducted in a fresh attack by terrorists on a village in Borno State late Thursday evening, a local vigilante said yesterday. Boko Haram insurgents stormed a remote village of Kamuya in Biu local government area at about 11pm on Thursday while some of the villagers were asleep and

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abducted dozens of girls and seven others were killed, as well.

The insurgents burnt down the village completely, a local vigilante in Biu town, Bukar Dili, told Daily Trust.

"They came in two SUVs and some motorcycles and started shooting indiscriminately, killing at least 5 people, while dozens of young girls were forcefully taken away, their whereabouts yet to be known," Dili said.

Another Civilian JTF member, Muhammed Yamutta, said the militants killed seven people and abducted scores of villagers.

Kamuya village is about 38 kilometres to Biu town in southern part of Borno State.

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