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Herder kills kinsman in Kuje

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A herder has allegedly stabbed his kinsman to death at Pegni community in Kuje, Abuja.

A witness said the incident happened on Friday about 9:12a.m. when some herdsmen invaded the deceased's camp with cattle.

Our reporter learnt that when the victim queried the suspect why his camp was invaded, an argument ensued and the suspect unsheathed his cutlass and cut the deceased in the neck.

Our reporter also gathered that another herder, including a middle-aged Fulani woman, sustained serious machete

cuts and were taken to an undisclosed hospital in Kuje town.

City News further learnt that the suspect and other herdsmen were migrating from Zamfara State, along with their wives, to a neighboring village near Kuje town.

"Two of the suspects, who attempted to escape, were later

apprehended by soldiers and handed over to the police at Kuje Police Station," the witness said.

Efforts to get the reaction of the Kuje divisional police officer over the incident was unsuccessful, but a police officer at the station confirmed the incident, saying three persons were arrested through the help

of the Ardo Fulani in Kuje.

When contacted, the Commissioner of Police, Federal Capital Territory (FCT) Command, Mr. Wilson Inalegwu, said he was in a meeting, but the spokesman of the command confirmed that two persons had been arrested in connection with the incident and handed over to the homicide department.

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