Police arrest female teacher's kidnappers, NSCDC personnel killers

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The Kaduna state Intelligence Bureau has arrested eight suspects involved in kidnapping and armed robbery in the state.

The Police Public Relations Officer ASP Aliyu Usman said in a statement that the suspects were involved in kidnapping Mrs. Fatima Inusa, a primary school teacher and wife of Dr. Inusa Umar of the Faculty of Education ABU Zaria at their residence in Zaria on 19th September, 2016 as well as in the killers of Timothy Ayuba, a personnel of the Nigeria Security and Civil Defence Corps (NSCDC).

He said, "On the 19th of September 2016 One Mrs Fatima Inusa, wife to Dr. Inusa Umar of the Faculty of Education ABU Zaria was kidnapped by unknown gunmen at their residence in Zaria. Following a massive manhunt and deployment of technical intelligence resources, operatives of the State Intelligence Bureau led by the O/C SIIB arrested three suspects involved in the crime, including Mohammed Tukur, Suleiman Auta and Shuaibu Umar Rabiu, all of Hayin Liman village behind ABU Main Campus, Zaria. The suspects confessed to have committed the crime and investigation is on to arrest the rest of the accomplices.

"Similarly, on the 8th of September, 2016 about 2pm, armed men attacked and killed one Timothy Ayuba, a personnel of Nigeria Security and Civil Defence Corps who was on his way from Bakin Kasuwa village to Sabon Gayan in Chukun Local Government Area, Kaduna State. The armed men made away with the victim's motorcycle which was later recovered from the suspects: Mustapha Idris, Shamsudeen Ahmadu and Ali Garba. The suspects were arrested with two Bajaj

motorcycles which they confessed to have robbed from one Idi Bello and one other person not known yet. Investigation is in progress to arrest other members of the syndicate."