Troops kill 2 insurgents in Borno

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Troops of the Operation Lafiya Dole in Borno State have killed two Boko Haram suspects and arrested another one.

The arrested suspect, picked at Banki town of Bama Local Government Area of the state, was said to have been number 96 on the wanted list earlier published by the army.

He was apprehended after he infiltrated into the Internally Displaced Persons (IDP) camp in the area.

Army spokesman, Brigadier-General Texas Chukwu, said in a statement yesterday that "The suspect is currently undergoing preliminary investigation and will be handed over to the appropriate authority for further action."

He also said that the troops of the 222-Battalion deployed for the operation, while on ambush operation around Malari village, neutralized two Boko Haram terrorists while others fled into the bush.