

# Gunmen Kill Herder, Injure One In Fresh Plateau Attack



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**Gunmen on Sunday evening opened fire on herders, killing one and injuring one more in Byei village of Riyom, Plateau, the Secretary of Miyetti Allah Cattle Breeders Association of Nigeria, in Riyom, Abdullahi Yusuf Ibrahim, told Daily Trust.**

The secretary said five cattle were shot in the attack.

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The Secretary who gave the name of the deceased as Sama'ila Abdulkarim said the injured one, Bashiru Alhassan, had been taken to Bima Hospital, in Bukuru where he is currently receiving treatment.

According to him, the incident had been reported to Riyom Police Divisional Headquarters and the Deputy Crime Officer of the Division who took the injured one to the hospital, was at the scene of the incident, adding that they have reported the case to the Operational Officer of Sector 6 of Operation Safe Haven (OPSH).

Spokesman of the State Police Command on the development, ASP Ubah Gabriel confirmed the incident.

"The Command is aware of the unfortunate incident at Riyom on 27/06/2021," he said.

"The CP [commissioner of police] has ordered an immediate investigation to unravel the circumstances surrounding it and to arrest the perpetrators of that dastardly act."