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# 6 killed in farmers/herders' clash in Jigawa

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A clash between farmers and herdsmen at Magiram Village in Guri Local Government Area of Jigawa State has reportedly resulted in the death of at least six persons, with scores of others injured.

Information from the area last night indicated that conflict had been brewing in the area as a result of the disagreement between the two groups.

The police spokesman in the state, ASP Lawan Shisu Adam, who confirmed the incident in a statement last night, however, said two were killed in the incident while five injured persons have been transferred to Hadejia

General Hospital for medical attention.

Adam said two corpses of one Umar Abdul Rahusa, 35, and a yet-to-be identified man were recovered.

He said one Adamu Ahmadu, 25, was arrested in connection with the crisis while police have launched manhunt for others on the run.

Adam said the Commissioner of Police, Aliyu Sale Tafida, and other high-ranking officers of the command visited the scene for assessment.

The spokesman confirmed that law, order and calm have returned to the area and advised residents to go about their normal activities without any fear of molestation.