



Troops ambush B/Haram fighters, kill 7 in Borno

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Troops of Operation Hadin Kai have ambushed convoys of suspected fighters of the Boko Haram in Kayamla, a village in Jere Local Government Area of Borno State, and killed seven of them while others escaped with gunshot wounds, sources said.

A security source said troops of 73 Battalion in collaboration with the civilian joint task force conducted the successful ambush.

"The terrorists usually come to the areas to terrorise farmers and sometimes kidnap for ransom. Troops have intensified its offensives against the terrorists, their collaborators and logistics," the source said.

A security analyst and counter insurgency expert in Lake Chad, Zagazola Makama, said the marauding terrorists were those escaping from a massive military onslaught in Boko Haram enclaves.