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TWO members of an armed robbery gang that specializes in robbing traders and customers at the multi-million naira Makurdi Modern Market were weekend gunned down by men of the Benue State Police Command through the collaborative efforts of members of the public.

The state Police Public Relations Officer, D.S.P. Emmanuel Ezeala who revealed the incidence to The Guardian, explained that the robbers, who specialised in bank robbery, had on the fateful day attacked two brothers, Lawal Karimu and Gambo Karimu, who had just withdrawn money from a bank at the market before they were shot and injured by the robbers.

Ezeala said unfortunately for the robbers, a police patrol team, acting on a tip-off from members of the public, responded promptly and on reaching the scene, the robbers opened fire and the patrol team responded, gunning down two of them, while the others escaped with gun-shot wounds.

He revealed that the two robbers were taken to the Federal Medical Centre, Makurdi for treatment but were later confirmed dead.

The PPRO who said the gang left behind a motorcycle with Registration Number: TSA137QA, a pistol, five life bullets and an expended cartridge, commended members of the public for their cooperation in giving information to the police and assured them of utmost confidentiality.

Ezeala further said the police in the state under the Commissioner of Police Emmanuel Katso were not resting on their oars to rid the state of criminals.

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