Group Tackles Gov Lalong Over Boko Haram Killings

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THE National Youth
Leader, Middle Belt
Forum, Emma Zopmal, in a
strongly worded statement,
yesterday in Jos, has called
on Plateau State Governor
Simon Lalong, as an illustrious son of the Middle Belt,
to resign his position as
Chairman of Northern
Governors Forum and join
the struggle for the Middle
Belt.

According to Zopmal, "Last year October, two hardworking youths who are indigenes of Mangu Local Government Area of Plateau State were gruesomely murdered by Boko Haram after capturing them at place of

work. We woke up today with devastating news of Mupun youth of Pankshin Local Council of Plateau State, a student of University of Maiduguri, has been murdered by the same group. This group abducted one Lilian Gyang from Barkin Ladi Local Council of Plateau State on January 10, 2020, on her way to Maiduguri resuming school. She's a 100L student of same University of Maiduguri. Up to now, she's still in their custody.

"We kindly urge Governor Simon Bako Lalong to resign that position of Chairman of Northern Governors Forum and join his people in the struggle of Middle Belt."