

Bandits kill 8 persons in Kaduna

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The Kaduna State Government on Friday said bandits allegedly killed eight persons in Giwa, Chikun, Igabi and Sabon Gari Local Government Areas of the state.

The state government also said that two suspected bandits were killed in reprisal attacks.

The Commissioner for Internal Security and Home Affairs, Mr Samuel Aruwan confirmed the killings in a statement on Friday in Kaduna.

Aruwan said: “Security agencies reported that bandits invaded Na’ikko village in Giwa LGA and community volunteers engaged the bandits and in the ensuing gun duel, three residents were killed.

“In reaction to this, youths of Na’ikko village attacked a nearby Fulani settlement, Rugan Abdulmuminu and killed two persons in allegation of being involved in the initial attack.

“In another incident, bandits invaded Dakyauro village, Sabon Birni, Igabi LGA and killed four persons after rustling about 25 cows. Two persons were also injured in the attack.”

Aruwan also said a community leader was killed by suspected bandits at Ungwan Ayaba in Chikun LGA.

“Bandits also invaded farmlands on the outskirts of Gigani village, Kerawa, Igabi LGA and rustled about 14 bulls being used by farmers to plough the land.”

The commissioner said Gov. Nasir El’ Rufai sent condolences to the families of those killed and all prayed for the repose of their souls.



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