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## 'How we killed six members of IPOB'

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THE Nigerian Army, yesterday, said that a raid conducted by its troops of 'Operation *Udo Ka*' on an Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) camp located in Igboro Forest, in Abia State, left six members of the secessionist group dead.

It stated that the raid was done to apprehend the killers of five soldiers at Obikabia Junction, Aba, last week.

In a statement posted on X by the NA, yesterday, the raid was carried out as troops engaged in a fierce battle with IPOB, resulting in the deaths of six members.

"In order to apprehend the perpetrators of the attack on our troops at Aba last week, as well as to recover arms and ammunition from the IPOB and its affiliate Eastern Security Network (ESN), troops of 'Operation Udo Ka' conducted another successful clearance/raid operation of the IPOB/ESN camp in

Igboro Forest, in Arochukwu Council of Abia State yesterday," it said.

It further added: "During the intelligence-led operation, troops encountered improvised explosive devices along the axis of advance, and one soldier sustained a minor injury from the fragment."