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## Gunmen kill two Policemen, two civilians in Edo



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Less than 24 hours after four policemen were killed by dare-devil armed robbers in Delta State, two other policemen and two civilians died on Wednesday near Ibillo in Akoko-Edo Local Government Area of Edo State, when unidentified gunmen dressed in army uniform opened fire on them.

The policemen and civilians were attacked at about 11.30am, while traveling in an 18-seater police bus with registration number NPF 3148 C to Lagos from Abuja.

Edo State Police Commissioner, Foluso Adebanjo, while confirming the incident, said a Police Inspector and two other Policemen, who survived the attack, were receiving medical treatment at an undisclosed hospital.

He also confirmed that the attackers, who were dressed in military uniform, flagged down the traveling police bus and opened fire on them.

The remains of the victims have since been deposited at the morgue at Anyakur Specialist Hospital Ibillo.

It would be recalled that on Tuesday, four policemen were killed by robbers at Obulu-Ekiti in Aniocha South LGA, Delta State while escorting a bullion van to Asaba, after which the hoodlums escaped with all the cash in the bullion van.

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