

Delta: Mob Sets Two Suspected Armed Robbers Ablaze, Two Others Escape



By KELVIN ONYEKACHIKA

On Dec 23, 2020 4:52 AM

METRO



WARRI – An angry mob has reportedly set ablaze two men suspected to be armed robbers for robbing and raping a pregnant woman in Ugbo-kodo community, Okpe Local Government Council Area of Delta State.

DAILY INDEPENDENT gathered that the incident occurred on Tuesday, December 22, 2020. With two of the four-man gang (robbers) narrowly escaped from the scene of incident.

Sources said that the deceased suspects were in a robbery operation in the area.

“They robbed some residents of unspecified amount of money, mobile phones and other personal property at gunpoint.

“They were apprehended after one of the residents who after being robbed raised alarm which attracted the mob as they gave the suspects a chase.

“In the process, two of the suspects were caught and quickly set ablaze while the other two escaped,” sources said.

When contacted, the State Police Public Relations Officer, DSP Onome Onovwakpoyeya, confirmed the report in a telephone chat with our Correspondent in Warri.

She said, “It’s true but I have not got the details.”