

Flood Claims Lives, Render Hundreds Homeless In Jigawa

SULE TAHIR

DUTSE

Seven people have been confirmed dead while thousands of families were rendered homeless as a result of a downpour in Jigawa State.

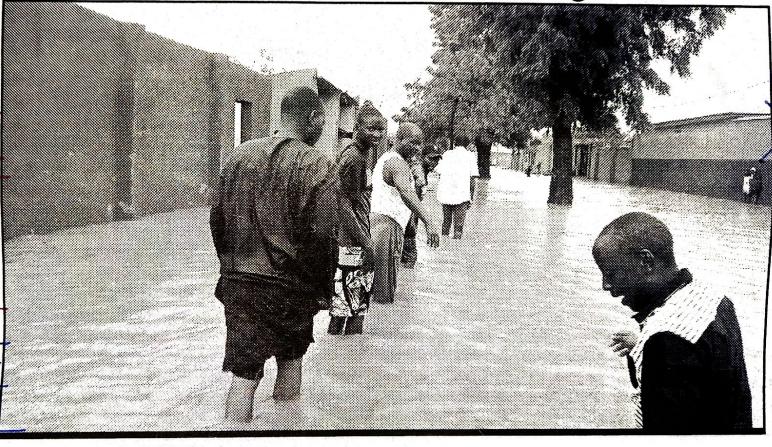
Reports from the state indicated that the flood ravaged the state and was worse in seven local government areas.

The most affected local government areas include Dutse. the capital city of the state, Hadeija. Gwaram and Kafin Hausa local government areas.

Other local government areas are Kirikasamma, Guri, Auvo and Jahun local government areas.

In Kiri-Kasamma council the floodhasclaimedfivelives, while two lives were lost in Bulangu, 2 firmed the incident, noting that and five in Kafin Hausalocal government areas in the state.

Contacted the executive secretary of the state's Emergency Relief Management Agency



The flood and ruins left behind.

Alhaji Sani Yusuf Babura, con-"the disaster affected several local government areas."

Babura explained that three people died in Likori town, two died in Kira village of Kiri-

kasamma local government area while seven people were injured and admitted in Hadejia general hospital."

He said that two others died in Bulangu town at Kafin Hausa local government area while

houses, livestock, foodst items and farm produce worth millions of naira at Ayama, Jura and Kafin hausa towns of Auyo and Kafin Hausa local government areas were destroyed by the downpour