Borno Rep Laments Killing Of 10 Farmers By Boko Haram*

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The lawmaker representing
Gwoza/ Damboa/ Chibok
Federal Constituency of
Borno State at the House of
Representatives, Hon Ahmed
Jaha has on Wednesday in
Maiduguri lamented the
Killing of ten farmers within
ten days in Gwoza local
government area of the state
by Boko Haram insurgents.

This is even as the lawmaker distributed thousands of farm inputs to 1700 farmers in the constituency for both rainy and dry season farming.

He observed as a matter of fact, that the terrorists killing of farmers in his constituency is at geometrical level against arithmetic level, noting that in the last ten days precisely between 9th September to 19th September, he lost at least ten people from his

constituency.

"Ten young men who went to their farms to farm for themselves were killed. The first one was six farmers and later last Saturday two people were beheaded In their farmlands, and yesterday. Tuesday, when I visited to condole and sympathise with the families of the killed farmers, unfortunately, they attacked and killed two farmers.

"They are doing this to scare farmers away so that they will not go back to harvest their farm produce. This is because we are fast approaching the harvest period. We are not going to take what is happening. We want the government, service chiefs to assist us to ensure that farmers are not afraid of going to harvest their farm produce," Jaha said.