Police kill alleged leader of robbery gang

GUSAU

THE police in Gusau have killed the alleged leader of a notorious armed robbery gang and arrested another member.

Zamfara State Police Commissioner, Mr Keffas Gadzama, said in Gusau, the state capital, that the suspected robber, Aliyu Mu'azu, alias "Jan-kosai," was killed after attacking one Malam Mohammed Sa'idu's

household.

He said the hoodlums robbed their victim of N22,000 cash, one Nokia mobile phone and a wrist watch about 3am. on the day of the incident.

Gadzama said the hoodlums were later accosted by a team of policemen on patrol and in the process, the leader was shot dead.

"Subsequently, one Abubakar Abdullahi of Rigasa in Kaduna State, who happened to be a member of the gang, was arrested at Laben-Laben Bus Stop".

The commissioner listed some of the

items recovered from them as four machetes and knives, saying the corpse of the dead robber had been deposited at the hospital for post-mortem examination.