

Two suspected robbers set ablaze

TWO suspected robbers were, on Sunday, set ablaze by an enraged mob in Onitsha, after their escape bid was foiled by a commuter bus.

According to an eye witness, the suspects operating on a motor bike succeeded in robbing a middle-aged woman of an undisclosed amount of money.

According to the account, the woman, who was on her way to Abuja, was robbed of her bags on her way to the bus terminus. A commuter bus, coming from the opposite

From Adimike George,
Onitsha

direction, saw the robbers in action and foiled their escape bid by knocking them down.

Passers-by, who were returning from an early morning service, swooped on the felled robbers, beat them up before setting them ablaze, while the driver of the commuter bus was said to have disappeared.

When contacted, the Anambra State Commissioner of Police, Mr. Amusa Bello confirmed the incident.

This is the fifth incident in the commercial city.

Imo AC denies