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Five die in Borno bombing

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Five persons died in a suicide bomb attack on Mandarari, Konduga Local Government Area of Borno State, it was learnt yesterday.

The Commissioner of Police, Damian Chukwu, who confirmed this in a text message, said the attack was done by a male suicide bomber. He blew himself, killed four civilian JTF operatives and injured five others.

He said: "About 13:30hrs yesterday, a male bomber detonated his Improvised Explosive Device (IED) near an Airtel mast in Mandarari village, Konduga council, killing himself and four Civilian JTF operatives. Five others were injured.

"The Explosive Ordinance Team and other police teams have been deployed to sanitise the scene and environs, while bodies and the injured have been evacuated to the hospital."

He added that normalcy has been restored in the area and investigation is on.



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