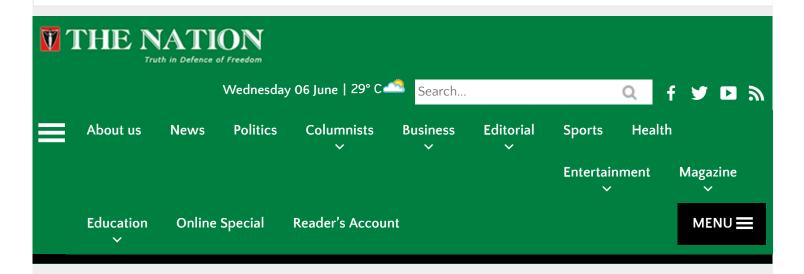


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Seven feared killed in renewed cult clash in Calabar

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At least seven persons are feared killed in a renewed cult clash in Calabar, the Cross River State capital.

The Nation gathered that the renewed fight started on Sunday when a reprisal attack on one of the members of one of the gangs.

Since then not less than seven have been reported killed in n attacks and counterattacks between the rival groups.

An eyewitness who witnessed some of the killings said three suspected cultists were killed in Ekondo Street and Mayne Avenue Street in Calabar South.

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He said that two other suspected cultists were gunned down along Atekong drive and Marian Road in Calabar Municipal.

"At least seven people or more have died in this clash. We pray that the police and other security agencies will step up and stem the crises because we are no longer safe. There is so much shooting and pandemonium in the metropolis and we pray it comes to an end," he said.

When contacted, the Police Public Relations Officer, ASP Irene Ugbo confirmed the incident saying that Police was on top of the situation.

"Actually the clash between the two rivalry cult groups occurred and Police is on top of the situation. But only one person was killed according to the report we have" she said.











