

Also in the state, barely 48 hours after an unsuccessful attack on the chairman of the state Internal Revenue Service (BIRS), Dr. Andrew Ayabam, some gunmen launched another assault on the Service's tax point in Zaki-Biam, Ukum Local Government Area of the state.

A passerby was killed in the attack, while another was injured but no official of the Service was killed or hurt.

A local source Terkula Uganden said the gunmen numbering six in Nigerian Army attacked the tax point in a convoy of motorcycles shooting as they approached.

One person was killed by stray bullets, while another was injured, it was said.