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Nine bandits killed over ransom sharing formula

NEMESIS has caught up with two groups of armed bandits in Giwa Local Government who in a fratricidal gun duel killed nine of their fellows.

The state's Commissioner of Internal Security and Home Affairs, Mr Samuel Aruwan made this known in a statement.

The commissioner said the

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cause of the fratricidal face-off was unclear, but was said to revolve around a disagreement over sharing of accumulated ransoms, during which one of the groups felt cheated.

According to the Commissioner, a credible human intelligence networks informed the

Kaduna State government of the development, which was further corroborated by security agencies.

"Intelligence sources had reported that a notorious bandit known as 'Godon Mota' stormed Garke village last Wednesday with his gang and clashed with a rival bandit group, leading to the killing of nine members."