

Police kill two gunmen in Anambra

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Anambra State Police Command said it has killed two gunmen along Obosi Nkpor road, in Idemili North Local Government Area of the State.

Police spokesperson, Tochukwu Ikenga, in a statement on Wednesday, said the hoodlums were killed during a gun battle.

He said one pump action, one locally fabricated pistol and a red Toyota Corolla with reg nos. AKD 303 DW were recovered from the hoodlums.

He said police operatives also rescued two suspects from mob action along Zik's Avenue, Awka, adding that the suspects were caught with a locally made pistol, in an attempt to dispose a young lady of her cash, after withdrawing money from ATM.

According to Ikenga, the suspects were already beaten to stupor by angry mob before they were rescued, adding that one locally made pistol and one live cartridge were recovered from them.

He said, "Anambra State Police Operatives while on patrol along Obosi Nkpor road by Obosi town hall at about 11:39pm on 26/6/2022, accosted a gang of armed men in white Toyota Hiace bus, red Toyota Corolla and a motorcycle.

"The Operatives engaged the armed men in a gun battle, neutralized two of the hoodlums and recovered one pump action, one locally fabricated pistol and red Toyota Corolla with reg nos. AKD 303 DW.