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Manhunt for killers of three policemen in Enugu

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THE Enugu State Police Command has begun a manhunt for the killers of four police officers along Upper Chime Avenue, New Haven, Enugu, the state capital.

Gunmen had on Wednesday night shot and killed three policemen in the New Haven area of the state capital.

Confirming the incident, the spokesman of the command, Daniel Ndukwe, said the command was on the trail of the suspects.

He said the deceased policemen were on a patrol van when the assailants suddenly opened fire on them.

He added that three of the officials sustained severe gunshot wounds, and were later confirmed dead in the hospital.

Ndukwe told *The Nation* that "Intensive manhunt operation is ongoing to fish out the assailants that suddenly opened fire on a moving police patrol van on duty, along Chime Avenue, New Haven, Enugu, on 07/09/2022 at about 10.15pm, leading to three of the operatives sustaining severe gunshots wounds and later confirmed dead at the hospital."