

## Two die, 1,000 houses burnt in Borno IDP camp fire

**T**WO Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) have died and more than 1,000 houses burnt when fire swept through Muna Alamdari IDP camp in Maiduguri, Borno State.

The fire began at about 6am and lasted for over an hour before it was brought under control by fire service personnel.

The Director General of the State Emergency Management Agency, Dr Barkindo Muhammad, said yesterday in Maiduguri that the IDPs, Civilian Joint Task Force, security agencies and some good Samaritans also assisted in putting out the fire.

He said the agency had begun assessment of the damages while making efforts to provide humanitarian support for the victims.

"We are immediately providing 500 bags of rice, blankets as well as other non-food items to mitigate their suffering," the official said.

**T**HE Murtala Muhammed Airport Command of the Nigeria Customs Service (NCS), said yesterday that it generated N74.28 billion as revenue from import between January to October, 2023.

The command also intercepted Tramadol worth N3.55 billion imported into Nigeria from Pakistan and India.

Disclosing this at a briefing, Customs Area Comptroller, Muhammed Yusuf, said the command has recorded strides in the last 10 months as a trade facilitation agency at one of the