

Gunmen kill district head in Kebbi
Police arrest bandit, wife with 2 AK-47 rifles in Kebbi

THE District Head of Bajida in Fakai Local Government Area of Kebbi State, Alhaji Musa Muhammad-Bahago, was on Tuesday, killed by unidentified gunmen.

Speaking to the ***News Agency of Nigeria*** (NAN) through the telephone on Wednesday, Alhaji Umar Muhammad, the late district head's elder brother, said the incident occurred at about 6:00 p.m.

"He was brought down from his vehicle and killed; we are already making efforts to arrest the perpetrators of this dastardly act," the police spokesperson said.

The state Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), DSP Nafi'u Abubakar, also con-

arrested a suspected bandit with two AK-47 rifles in Birnin Kebbi.

He explained that the suspect was arrested alongside his wife on June 29 by a team of policemen on stop-and-search duty along Birnin Yauri-Zuru Road, and found in their possession were two AK-47 rifles and 154 calibre

"The police also recovered one army camouflage shirt and charms in their possession.

"In the course of investigation, one Taru Mai Unguwa of Danmaraya village in Ngaski Local Government Area of the state was arrested for being a bandits' informant," he said.

He said the suspects would be charged to court for criminal conspiracy, being in possession of prohibited firearms and abetment.