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For an enabling investment environment, there is a need for provision of adequate security and other infrastructure. The 68-kilometre Imeko/Aiyetoro road is a security threat as hoodlums operate along the route unhindered.

Both day and night, armed robbers waylay motorists and other road users.

A good example of such an incident that will still remain indelible in the memory of the people of Imeko-Afon was an attack on a bullion van at Olorunda area, Abeokuta North LGA in August 2011 during which the van was carted away and seven armed policemen on escort were killed by the robbers, who were suspected to have come from a neighbouring community in the Republic of Benin.

Since then, the only bank located in Imeko town and that was serving the entire customers of Imeko-Afon, with a population of 82,972, according to the 2006 NPC census figures, has been shut down from operating as a result of the huge loss.

Now, the people have to go as far as Abeokuta to transact business.

The Ogun State Governor, Ibikunle Amosun, should intensify security in the area so as to engender economic development.

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