

# Gunmen kill cop, burn police station in fresh Imo attack

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Unknown gunmen

Gunmen have attacked and burnt a police divisional headquarters in Arondizuogu in Ideato Local Government Area of Imo state.

The attack, which happened around 2am on Tuesday, left one of the policemen on duty dead.

Sources in the community disclosed that the attack left the Divisional Police Officer with a broken head after he was attacked by the invaders.

Also, a vehicle attached to the division and the DPO's personal vehicle were vandalised by the gunmen.

"Gunmen have attacked the Arondizuogu Divisional Police Headquarters. They burnt and killed one of the police officers. They attacked at the odd hours and left the DPO with a broken head.

"They gave him machet cuts and vandalised his Jeep and a police vehicle belonging to the division," a source told our correspondent.

The spokesperson for the state police command, Micheal Abattam, confirmed the attack to our correspondent in a text message and added that the state Commissioner of Police, Rabiul Hussaini, had ordered investigation into the attack.

"Yes. The CP is on his way there," Abattam wrote.