

## **Police probe Kano blast**

In Kano State, the blast on Saturday was reportedly from a military mortar bomb suspected to be in a truck transporting carbine.

Confirming the incident, the Kano State Commissioner of Police, Ibrahim Bakori, said investigations had commenced on the matter, just as he confirmed that the vehicle involved in the incident came from Yobe State.

“Five people have been confirmed dead, while 10 others are currently receiving treatment in hospital,” the commissioner said.

He added that it was too early to say whether any security personnel were among the victims.

Bakori assured the public that the police would carry out a comprehensive investigation on the matter, even as he called for calm and cooperation.

“We are working diligently to uncover the cause of the explosion and assess the full extent of the damage. More details will be made available as the investigation progresses,” Bakori stated.