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## Police arrest 3 car thieves in Jigawa

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The police in Jigawa State have arrested three specialized car thieves. This was disclosed yesterday by the state Commissioner of Police, Mr. Theophilus Kayode, while briefing newsmen at the police headquarters on success recorded by the state command in November.

He said one Abdullahi of Tudun-Nufawa area of Kaduna State and Abubakar of Jimeta area of Adamawa State were arrested in Dutse metropolis on November 2, 2013 after they had used a master key and opened a booth of a car belonging to one Musa Shehu and made away with N2 million in a Honda E.O.D with registration number DGW 225 AA.

Kayode said in an effort to escape, the hoodlums hit a cyclist around the Police Mess Street of Dutse metropolis, adding that the cyclist died instantly.

The police boss also disclosed that the command arrested another specialized car thieves in Sule-Tankarkar Local Government Area in the state and their leader, Husaini of Ungoggo Local Government Area of Kano State.

The commissioner said the gang leader met his waterloo on December 2, 2013 when he stole a red Honda Civic car with registration number AA 482 SKT belonging to one Alhaji Ahmed Abdullahi.

According to him, on December 2, a patrol team attached to Dutse Division, on a tip-off, intercepted a Mercedes truck with registration number SW 508 ABC, laden with 58 bags and nine rolls of dried leaves suspected to be Indian hemp about to be trans-loaded into an empty white Toyota Hiace bus with registration number XA 467 GYA, in Laraba area of Dutse Local Government Area.

He said the two suspected Indian hemp dealers, Ahmed and Usman were from Dutse Local Government Area of Jigawa State, saying efforts were being intensified to arrest the fleeing suspects as the case was still under investigation.