Meanwhile, an eyewitness, who declined to be identified, said the incident occurred at about dawn prayer time at Fulatari ward in Buni Yadi. Also, a resident, who spoke with journalists, said: "The attack happened at 4:30am, when a female suicide bomber disguised as a worshipper tried to entered the mosque while people were gathering for the morning prayers."

He said female bomber detonated her explosives, killing herself and injuring two other people, including Malam Babayo and Mallam Yakubu, who were taken to hospital for medical treatment A village head, who also told our correspondent that, the incident occurred at about 5:20am, when teenage female suicide bomber donated an Improvised Explosive Device (IED) strapped to her body very close to mosque.

When our correspondent

visited the hospital, the military rushed the two victims to the specialist hospital Damaturu. When contacted, the state's Police Commissioner, Abdulmiliki Salemon, confirmed the attack, saying his men had been deployed in the area and Buni Yadi in general to control the area.