

Suicide Bombers Kill Selves, 6 Others in Damboa, Borno State

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By Senator Iroegbu in Abuja

The two suicide bombers suspected to be members of Boko Haram, have killed themselves and six others through explosions in a Mosque in Damboa, Borno State.

The Director of Army Public Relations (DAPR), Col. Sani Usman, in a statement yesterday, said that at about 5.15am on Thursday, two Boko Haram terrorist suicide bombers attacked Damboa.

The first suicide bomber targeted Damboa Central Mosque but due to stringent security measures, he could not gain entry. Obviously frustrated, he blew up himself near the Central

mosque,” Usman said.

However, he added, the second bomber veered off and gained entry into another smaller mosque and detonated the bomb killing himself and six other worshippers and injuring one other person.

He stated that the wounded had been evacuated to a hospital while efforts were on to clear the rubbles.

He also noted that the troops and other security agencies had been mobilised to the area.