

Police, Military Kill Five Bandits, Repel Attack in Katsina

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The police in Katsina State in synergy with the Nigerian Army yesterday repelled coordinated bandits' attack on Tsaskiya community of Safana Local Government Area of the state, killing five suspected bandits.

The spokesman of the state Police Command, Gambo Isah, in a statement issued to journalists yesterday, said the bandits were on revenge mission in the community.

Isah, a superintendent of police, said the marauding bandits numbering over 200, armed with sophisticated weapons, stormed the community, shooting sporadically where they killed one Rabe Bala and kidnapped three women.

He said: "On October 27, 2020, at about 04:00hours, based on credible intelligence, the command in collaboration with the military, succeeded in repelling coordinated attacks by