Two Terrorists Killed As Police Repel Attack on Katsina Community

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Two terrorists operating in Katsina State have been killed by police operatives while repelling the hoodlums' attack on Dagwarma Village in Kurfi Local Government Area of the state.

The marauding terrorists, who launched the onslaught on the residence of Sarkin Fulani Danmarke in the wee hours of yesterday, were successfully repelled by the police operatives.

The State Police Public Relations Officer, CSP Gambo Isah, who disclosed this yesterday in a statement in Katsina, said many of the terrorists escaped the hitherto gun battle ground with varying degrees of gunshot wounds.

Isah, in the statement, said: "Today, Friday, 14/04/2023 at about 0130hrs, a distress call was received that terrorists in their numbers,

shooting sporadically with AK 47 rifles, attacked the residence of one Sarkin Fulani, Danmarke village, Dagwarwa district, Kurfi LGA of Katsina State.

"Consequently, DPO Kurfi Division led police patrol teams to the area, engaged the hoodlums in a fierce gun duel and successfully repelled them. In the course of scanning the scene, two bandits were neutralised and all the rustled cows recovered.

"Many of the terrorists were reasonably believed to have been neutralised and/or escaped the scene with gunshot wounds. Search parties are combing the nearest bushes with a view of arresting them and/or recovering their dead bodies.

"The Command is appealing to members of the communities around the area to report to the nearest police station any person found or seen with a suspected injury."