

# MEND attacks Agip terminal in Bayelsa

→ **M**OVEMENT for the Emancipation of the Niger Delta yesterday launched an attack on the Brass Terminal Local in Bayelsa State leaving scores of people badly injured and some security personnel feared dead. ←

The terminal is operated by the Nigeria Agip Oil Company. Last week, the same, yet to be identified persons also launched an attack and took four operatives hostage.

As at press time yesterday, officials of Agip could not be reached for reaction. It was however gathered that the attack by the militant is part of a wider agenda to shut in crude oil and gas exploration and production in the area.