

Suspected robbers kill 3 policemen, 3 others in Anambra

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A WKA—SIX persons, including three po-

licemen and three members of Anambra Vigilance Service, AVS, at Amichi, Nnewi

South Local Government Area of Anambra State, were feared dead on Wednesday night during a gun battle with armed bandits.

Anambra State's Police Commissioner, Mr. Philemon Leha, who confirmed the incident yesterday in his office, said other persons who sustained injuries during the attack, were receiving treatment at Nnamdi Azikiwe University Teaching Hospital, Nnewi, and other unnamed private hospitals.

According to the commissioner, the armed gang trailed a school principal who was said to be returning to Anambra State after attending a prayer session at Orlu,

Imo State.

He said when the robbers failed to get the principal who was said to be driving a Cherokee Jeep, they abducted a girl at Amichi market and on their way, encountered policemen on patrol.

The commissioner explained that on citing the police, the robbers opened fire and killed three policemen in the process.

He said members of the AVS who heard the shots also approached the scene, adding that another exchange of fire ensued, which led to the killing of the three AVS members and wounding of some others.

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