5 die in Delta boat mishap

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WARRI—AT LEAST five persons including a woman were con-

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tention to prevent mercenaries from invading the country during election.

"We urge ECOWAS to pass a resolution to encourage member countries along Nigerian border to carry out enlightenment programme against the special recruitment exercise that unpatriotic Nigerian politicians are trying to embark in their countries."

The group warned that it will prosecute any one caught in the act at the "ECOWAS court for committing electoral Fraud in Nigeria."

firmed dead, weekend, in a boat mishap that occurred at a creek between Torugbene and Ojobo communities in Burutu Local Government Area of Delta State.

The incident occurred on Saturday night at about 10 pm, while they were on their was to a burial ceremony

Sources disclosed that two speed boats had a head-on collision at the narrow creek due to poor visibility and nature of the creek. A source said, "just as these boats do not usually have head light with all the passengers thrown over board, that may explain why it collided."

The victims were identified as Keke Odaubo, Kare Ebi, Enagozigha Eyefeotu, Babawo Gbafade and Ayakurai Opuaba

"The two boats were coming from opposite direction when suddenly they had a head-on collision," the source added