

[HOME](#) | [ABOUT US](#) | [ADVERTISE WITH US](#) | [CONTACT US](#)**WEDNESDAY 23 MARCH**Like [Oliyide Omotola](#), [Odedokun Oluwaseun](#) and 1,881,642 others like this.

Follow @vanguardngrnews

1.09M followers

Vanguard



Enjoy Life More...even after retirement

Make tomorrow better today

Choose ARM Pensions

ARM
PENSIONS

Search ...

[HOME](#) [NEWS](#) [SPORTS](#) [POLITICS](#) [BUSINESS](#) [TECH](#) [ENTERTAINMENT](#) [ALLURE](#)
[EDITORIAL](#) [VIEWPOINT](#) [FORUM](#) [JOBS](#) [COLUMNS](#) [RELATIONSHIPS](#)

Breaking News

TRANSLATE

SELECT LANGUAGE ▼

Boko Haram: Troops kill 58 terrorists, lose a soldier

ON MARCH 23, 2016 7:09 AM / IN [NEWS](#) / [COMMENTS](#)

By Kingsley Omonobi

ABUJA— The Nigerian Army said, yesterday, that it lost one of its soldiers and killed no fewer than 58 terrorists, following a clearance operation to rid insurgents from their hideout at Musari.

The Army in statement signed by Acting Director, Army Public Relations, Col. Sani Usman, said: “In continuation with the clearance of the remnants of the Boko Haram terrorists, troops of 153 Task Force Brigade, 5 Brigade, Monday, had an encounter with terrorists at Musari village.

“During the clearance operations, a soldier paid the supreme price, while the troops killed 58 terrorists and recovered two hand grenades, 52 motorcycles, and several bags of foodstuffs such as beans, onions, sweet potatoes and guinea corn, as well as cartons of fish.”

Meanwhile, the Police Service Commission, yesterday, approved the promotion of 156 senior police officers to the next rank, including one Assistant Inspector General of Police, 10 Commissioners of Police and 19 Deputy Commissioners of Police.

The new AIG is Musa Katsina Mohammed, the Commissioner of Police, Kano State, while the new commissioners of police include Ero Oga; Yunana Y. Babas; Dan-Malam Mohammed; Mu’azu Zubairu Halilu; Rabiul Yusuf; Sanusi Nma Lemu; Ahmed Iliyasu; Isyaku Muktar Garko; Mohammed Uba Kura and Alhassan Mamuda.