

The successful ambush, he explained, was on suspected Boko Haram terrorists' crossing point at Bocost, along Ngurosoye-Bama Road, Borno State.

"The troops neutralised a large number of the Boko Haram terrorists, while other terrorists sustained gunshot wounds.

"The troops recovered one AK-47 rifle, with the registration number 1029; one AK-47 magazine; 60 rounds of 7.62mm Special; three bicycles; four empty Jerry-cans, a cutlass and N5,600 cash.