

Troops neutralise 3 notorious terrorist kingpins in Sokoto ambush

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Troops of the Joint Task Force Operation Fasan Yamma, OPFY, have neutralised three notorious terrorist kingpins during a deliberate ambush operation in Sabon Birni Local Government Area, LGA, Sokoto State.

A statement by the Army said the ambush was conducted between Mallamawa and Mazau villages in Tsamaye/Mai Lalle District of Sabon Birni LGA.

The statement said: "The operation led to the troops neutralising terrorist kingpins Kachalla Nagomma, Gurmu and Ali Yar Daribiyar with three AK-47 rifles with magazines and a motorcycle recovered.

"The criminals and their foot soldiers were reportedly in the area to collect ransom and levies imposed on the locals when they were intercepted.

"The successful operation has sparked widespread relief and jubilation among residents of Mai Lalle, Tsamaye, Rimaye, and proximate communities across Sabon Birni and Goronyo LGAs, who have long endured the atrocities of the neutralised terrorists.