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NIGERIA

WEEK OF 15-21 MAY 2022


Organised Crime and Violent Extremism


(key concept clarification; causes; indicators and signs that push to radicalization; profiling and assessment or perpetrators of violent extremism; current violent extremism events; impact of violent extremism on population; the cross-cutting and patterns of violent extremism; actions and policies to counter violent extremism. Also crimes related to syndicates and criminal groups that lead to insecurity and instability)


Incident N*01:

 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED HOODLUMS

 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 15/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** Two (2) military operatives were allegedly killed in an attack carried out by hoodlums suspected to be members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) at a military checkpoint at 3-3 Estate, Nkwelle Ezunaka Area in Oyi LGA of Anambra State. Several cases of armed attacks in the State have been attributed to members of the IPOB.

 **Location:** 3-3 Estate, Nkwelle Ezunaka Area in Oyi LGA of Anambra State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Two males killed.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/military operatives.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of security agencies have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.


Incident N*02:


 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED ARMED BANDITS

 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 15/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** Three (3) people were reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits along Sarkin-Pawa Road in Munya LGA of Niger State.

 **Location:** Sarkin-Pawa Road in Munya LGA of Niger State.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three people (1 female and 2 males) killed.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of security agencies have been deployed to the affected area to maintain peace and security in the State.

Incident N*03:


 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK/ABDUCTION


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 15/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** One (1) person was reportedly killed and two (2) others including a female and her 8-year-old son abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at Tarabu Village in Kirikasamma LGA of Jigawa State. Kidnapping for ransom has largely been attributed as the motive behind the criminality in the State.

 **Location:** Tarabu Village in Kirikasamma LGA of Jigawa State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** One male killed, two people (1 female and 1 child) abducted.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community members.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The swift response of the security operatives led to the rescue of the female victim while investigations have commenced to rescue the other abducted victim.

Incident N*04:

 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK/ABDUCTION

 **Scale of incident:** Medium

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🚩 **Description of Incident:** Six (6) people were allegedly killed and three (3) people injured in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at Karfi Village in Takai LGA of Kano State. The attackers also abducted the village head in the incident. Kidnapping for ransom has largely been attributed as the motive behind the criminality in the State.

🚩 **Location:** Karfi Village in Takai LGA of Kano State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Six males killed, three males injured, one male abducted.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community members.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victim and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚩 Incident N*05:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST/DRUG TRAFFICKING

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 15/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly arrested ten (10) people including a suspected female drug trafficker at her residence in Warri Axis of Delta State. An undisclosed quantity of cocaine, methamphetamine as well as arms and ammunition were recovered in the incident.

🚩 **Location:** Warri Axis of Delta State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No reported casualty.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** illicit drugs, arms and ammunition recovered/suspected drug traffickers.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the NDLEA for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*06:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** MURDER

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 15/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** A police officer was allegedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected hoodlums at Eke Oko Area in Aguata LGA of Anambra State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

🚩 **Location:** Eke Oko Area in Aguata LGA of Anambra State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** One male killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/police officer.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚩 Incident N*07:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** MURDER

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 15/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** An erstwhile chieftain of the People's Democratic Party (PDP) in OrukAnam LGA of Akwa Ibom State was allegedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at his residence in Ekparakwa Area, OrukAnam LGA of Akwa Ibom State. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the attackers had attempted to abduct the victim.

🚩 **Location:** Ekparakwa Area, OrukAnam LGA of Akwa Ibom State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** One male killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community members.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚩 Incident N*08:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION/MURDER

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🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 15/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Two (2) males were reportedly abducted and beheaded in an attack carried out by suspected hoodlums in Aguata LGA of Anambra State. The victims include a lawmaker representing Aguata State Constituency 2 in the Anambra House of Assembly and his campaign director. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

🚩 **Location:** Aguata LGA of Anambra State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two males abducted and killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced investigations to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚩 Incident N*09:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** MURDER/ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 15/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected Muslim cleric for allegedly killing a female hairstylist at Oyetoro Community in Oyo West LGA of Oyo State. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the arrested suspect mutilated the body of the deceased.

🚩 **Location:** Oyetoro Community in Oyo West LGA of Oyo State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male female]:** One female killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/female hairstylist.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*10:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARSON BY SUSPECTED HOODLUMS

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The Enugu Electricity Distribution Company (EEDC) in Ogidi District in Anambra State was reportedly set ablaze by hoodlums suspected to be members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB). The State has continued to witness several cases of arson by hoodlums suspected to be IPOB members.

🚩 **Location:** Ogidi District in Anambra State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several properties destroyed/EEDC staff members.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of security operatives have been deployed to the affected area to maintain peace and security.

🚩 Incident N*11:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** MURDER/VIOLENT DEMONSTRATION

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** One (1) person was allegedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at his farm in Egbe Community, Yagba West LGA in Kogi State. The death of the resident resulted in a violent protest by community residents which led to the destruction of several properties including houses in the affected area. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

🚩 **Location:** Egbe Community in Yagba West LGA in Kogi State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male female]:** One male farmer killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several properties and houses set ablaze/community members.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced investigations to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.



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Incident N*12:


 **Title of Incident:** MURDER


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** A member of a local vigilante group was reportedly killed in an attack carried out by hoodlums suspected to be members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) in Oko Town, Orumba North LGA of Anambra State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

 **Location:** Oko Town, Orumba North LGA of Anambra State.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male killed.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/local vigilante member.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced investigations to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.


Incident N*13:

 **Title of Incident:** ARREST OF A SUSPECTED LAND GRABBER


 **Scale of incident:** Low

 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Department of State Service (DSS) reportedly arrested a suspected land grabber at Iju-Ota Area in Ado-Odo/Ota LGA of Ogun State. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the suspect has been on the wanted list of the State Police Command for the alleged murder of two (2) residents in the State.

 **Location:** Iju-Ota Area in Ado-Odo/Ota LGA of Ogun State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected land grabber.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect is in the custody of the DSS for further interrogation.


Incident N*14:


 **Title of Incident:** RIVAL CULT CLASH


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** One (1) person was reportedly killed in a violent clash between suspected cult gangs at Adaripon Ipage Compound, Badagry LGA of Lagos State. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the victim was hit by stray bullets. Supremacy tussle has been attributed to the recurrence of cult clashes in the State.

 **Location:** Adaripon Ipage Compound, Badagry LGA of Lagos State.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male killed.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community resident.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced investigations to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.


Incident N*15:

 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION

 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly killed two (2) suspected hoodlums along Umunze Road in Orumba South LGA of Anambra State. The suspects were killed while enforcing an illegal sit-at-home order by the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) in the State.

 **Location:** Umunze Road in Orumba South LGA of Anambra State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Two males killed.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** One vehicle recovered/suspected hoodlums.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to restore peace and security in the affected area.



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Incident N*16:

 **Title of Incident: ARMED ACTION**


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Nigerian Army reportedly killed six (6) suspected members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) in a shoot-out at Amaifeke and Ihioma Axis in Orlu LGA of Imo State. Several arms, ammunition and a truck were recovered in the incident.


 **Location:** Amaifeke and Ihioma Axis in Orlu LGA of Imo State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Six suspected hoodlums.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several arms, ammunition and truck recovered/suspected hoodlums.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.


Incident N*17:


 **Title of Incident: ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE**


 **Scale of incident:** Low

 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** The Kano State Command of the Nigerian Correctional Service (NCS) reportedly confirmed the killing of a vendor by one of their officers within the vicinity of the Goron Dutse Medium Security Custodial Centre in the State. One (1) person also sustained gunshot injuries from stray bullet fired by the prison warden in the incident. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the incident was an accidental discharge.

 **Location:** Kano State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** One male killed, one male injured.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community member.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has arrested the officer in connection with the incident.

Incident N*18:

 **Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED KIDNAPPERS**

 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** One (1) male resident was reportedly injured following failed attempts by suspected kidnappers to abduct his wife at their residence along Ring Road Axis in Jos North LGA of Plateau State. The victim reportedly sustained gunshot injuries in the incident.

 **Location:** Ring Road Axis in Jos North LGA of Plateau State.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male injured.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community resident.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The injured victim has been taken to the hospital for medical treatment.


Incident N*19:

 **Title of Incident: ARSON BY SUSPECTED HOODLUMS**


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 16/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** Suspected hoodlums reportedly set ablaze a section of Idemili North LGA secretariat and a Magistrate Court in Anambra State with several properties including vehicles destroyed in the incident. Incidents of arson and killing by hoodlums suspected to be members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) remain prevalent in the State.

 **Location:** Idemili North LGA of Anambra State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several properties damaged/staff members.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.



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Incident N*20:

 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly killed six (6) suspected armed bandits with arms, ammunition and livestock recovered in a shoot-out incident with armed bandits at Dabaibayawa Village of Batagarawa and Dankiri Village of Dutsinma LGA in Katsina State.

 **Location:** Dabaibayawa Village of Batagarawa and Dankiri Village of Dutsinma LGA in Katsina State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Six males killed.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Arms, ammunition, and livestock recovered/suspected armed bandits.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

Incident N*21:


 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION/ARREST

 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command in a joint operation with local hunters reportedly killed three (3) suspected kidnappers and arrested two (2) other suspects during a security raid on suspected criminal hide-outs in Fufore LGA of Adamawa State. An abducted victim was also rescued in the incident.

 **Location:** Fufore LGA of Adamawa State.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three suspected kidnappers killed, one abducted victim rescued, two suspected kidnappers arrested.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected kidnappers.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.


Incident N*22:

 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Nigerian Army reportedly killed a criminal gang leader in connection with several criminal activities during a security raid at Obon Ebot Area in Etim Ekpo LGA of Akwa Ibom State.

 **Location:** Obon Ebot Area in Etim Ekpo LGA of Akwa Ibom State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** One male killed.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected armed gang.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend other fleeing criminal suspects.


Incident N*23:

 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION BY SUSPECTED ARMED BANDITS

 **Scale of incident:** Medium

 **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** Thirty (30) people were reportedly abducted and several others injured in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits around Katari Axis along Abuja-Kaduna Highway in Kaduna State. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the attackers intercepted several vehicles including an 18-seater bus in the incident. Kidnapping for ransom has largely been attributed as the motive behind the criminality in the State.

 **Location:** Katari Axis along Abuja-Kaduna Highway in Kaduna State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Thirty people abducted, several people injured.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/commuters.



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✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims.

✚ Incident N*24:

✚ **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly killed four (4) suspected members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) enforcing sit-at-home at Ogidi Area in Idemili North LGA of Anambra State.

✚ **Location:** Ogidi Area in Idemili North LGA of Anambra State.

✚ **Casualty [Male&female]:** Four males killed.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community members.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

✚ Incident N*25:

✚ **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK/ARSON BY SUSPECTED HOODLUMS

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** Hoodlums suspected to be members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) reportedly invaded the residence of the Chairman of Ikwo LGA in Ebonyi State and killed four (4) people with his house set ablaze in the incident. The victims include the LGA Chairman's elder brother, his two sons with a security guard. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

✚ **Location:** Ikwo LGA of Ebonyi State.

✚ **Casualty [Male&female]:** Four males killed.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Building set ablaze/community members.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

✚ Incident N*26:

✚ **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION

✚ **Scale of incident:** Medium

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly killed six (6) suspected members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) with several others injured following attempts by IPOB members to attack the palace of the Imo State Chairman Council of Traditional Rulers in Imo State. The police operatives also recovered arms, ammunition, cutlasses and three (3) vehicles suspected to have been stolen from residents in the incident. Although the attack was repelled by police operatives, the attackers burnt down the patrol vehicle belonging to the State Police Command.

✚ **Location:** Imo State.

✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Six males killed.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected IPOB members.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of security agencies have been deployed to the affected area to maintain peace and security.

✚ Incident N*27:

✚ **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED ARMED HERDERS

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** A shuttle bus driver was reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed herders along Uturu-Okigwe Axis of Abia State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

✚ **Location:** Uturu-Okigwe Axis of Abia State.



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- ✚ **Casualty [Male&female]:** One male killed.
- ✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community member.
- ✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

✚ Incident N*28:

✚ **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION BY SUSPECTED ARMED BANDITS

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** Four (4) female students of Kaduna State College of Education (KSCOE) were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Mile 1 Area of Gidan Waya Axis in Jema'a LGA of Kaduna State. Kidnapping for ransom has largely been attributed as the motive behind the criminality in the State.

✚ **Location:** Mile 1 area of Gidan Waya axis in Jema'a LGA of Kaduna State.

✚ **Casualty [Male&female]:** Four female students.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/students.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The swift response of security operatives led to the rescue of the abducted victims.

✚ Incident N*29:

✚ **Title of Incident:** MURDER

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** One (1) female was reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected hoodlums along Enugu-Abakaliki Road in Emene Axis, Enugu East LGA of Enugu State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

✚ **Location:** Abakaliki Road in Emene Axis, Enugu East LGA of Enugu State.

✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One female killed.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/female resident.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced investigations to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

✚ Incident N*30:

✚ **Title of Incident:** ARREST OF SUSPECTED CULT MEMBERS

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested eighteen (18) suspected cult members with several weapons recovered during security clearance operation at their hideouts in Ikole-Ekiti LGA of Ekiti State.

✚ **Location:** Ikole-Ekiti LGA of Ekiti State.

✚ **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected cult members.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

✚ Incident N*31:

✚ **Title of Incident:** ARMED ROBBERY

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** Suspected armed robbers reportedly attacked a military officer around Life Camp Area in Abuja-FCT and carted away with his vehicle.

✚ **Location:** Life Camp Area in Abuja-FCT.



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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No reported casualty.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Vehicle stolen/military officer.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced investigations to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚩 Incident N*32:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** SECURITY RAID/ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly uncovered a deadly shrine where members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) fortify themselves before they embark on criminal activities at Ubah Agwa Area in Oguta LGA of Imo State. Seven (7) suspected IPOB members were arrested with charms recovered during the raid.

🚩 **Location:** Ubah Agwa Area in Oguta LGA of Imo State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Charms for fortification recovered/suspected IPOB members.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*33:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected gunrunner with arms and ammunition recovered during security raid in Damari Village in Birnin Gwari LGA of Kaduna State.

🚩 **Location:** Damari Village in Birnin Gwari LGA of Kaduna State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected gunrunner.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*34:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** SECURITY RAID/ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Nigerian Army reportedly killed a suspected hoodlum and arrested three (3) other suspects during a security raid at suspected criminal hideouts' at Obon Ebot Area in Etim Ekpo LGA of Akwa Ibom State. Two (2) kidnapped victims were also rescued with arms, ammunition and mobile phones recovered during the raid.

🚩 **Location:** Obon Ebot Area in Etim Ekpo LGA of Akwa Ibom State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male killed, two abducted victims rescued.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected criminals.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*35:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** HOMICIDE

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** A female resident was reportedly killed by her lover with her corpse dumped in a bush at Kara-Kerere Community in Ogunrun Axis of Mowe in Obafeme Owode LGA of Ogun State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

🚩 **Location:** Kara-Kerere Community in Ogunrun Axis of Mowe in Obafeme Owode LGA of Ogun State.



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- ✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One female killed.
- ✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community resident.
- ✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has arrested the suspect in connection with the incident.

✚ Incident N*36:

✚ **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION/ARSON BY SUSPECTED HOODLUMS

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** The operatives of security agencies reportedly repelled an attack by hoodlums suspected to be members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) along Ugbolu/Illah Road at Mile 5 Area in Delta State. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the hoodlums who were deployed to enforce a sit-at-home order intercepted vehicles along the route and burnt down two (2) trucks and a tricycle with one vehicle damaged in the incident.

✚ **Location:** Ugbolu/Illah Road at Mile 5 Area of Delta State.

✚ **Casualty [Male&female]:** One suspected hoodlum killed.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Truck and tricycle set ablaze/suspected hoodlums, commuters

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

✚ Incident N*37:

✚ **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED HOODLUMS/SHOOT-OUT

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** Four (4) members of a local vigilante group were reportedly killed in an attack carried out by hoodlums suspected to be members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) in Awka Axis of Anambra State. The attack was also repelled by police operatives with arms and ammunition recovered in the incident.

✚ **Location:** Awka Axis of Anambra State.

✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Four males killed.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged, arms and ammunition recovered/local vigilante members.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of security agencies have been deployed maintain peace and security in the affected area.

✚ Incident N*38:

✚ **Title of Incident:** ARSON BY SUSPECTED HOODLUMS

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** Hoodlums suspected to be members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) reportedly burnt down a vehicle while enforcing the sit-at-home order at Orie-Emene Axis in Enugu East LGA of Enugu State.

✚ **Location:** Orie-Emene Axis in Enugu East LGA of Enugu State.

✚ **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** One vehicle set ablaze/community members.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to the affected area to maintain peace and security.

✚ Incident N*39:

✚ **Title of Incident:** MURDER

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** One (1) person was reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang in Ajowa-Akoko Axis, Akoko North-West LGA of Ondo State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

✚ **Location:** Ajowa-Akoko Axis, Akoko North-West LGA of Ondo State.



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- ✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male killed.
- ✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community resident.
- ✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced investigations to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

✚ Incident N*40:

- ✚ **Title of Incident:** MILITARY OFFICER COMMITS SUICIDE
- ✚ **Scale of incident:** Low
- ✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022
- ✚ **Description of Incident:** A former Battalion Commanding Officer who led the fight against Boko Haram in the North-East Region of Nigeria reportedly committed suicide at the premises of the Nigeria Defence Academy (NDA) in Kaduna State less than 72 hours to the verdict of a court-martial for alleged military infractions during the war against insurgency.
- ✚ **Location:** Nigeria Defence Academy (NDA) in Kaduna State.
- ✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male dead.
- ✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/military officer.
- ✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.

✚ Incident N*41:

- ✚ **Title of Incident:** VIOLENT CLASH BETWEEN IGBO TRADERS AND MOTOCYCLISTS
- ✚ **Scale of incident:** Medium
- ✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022
- ✚ **Description of Incident:** Eight (8) people were allegedly killed in a violent clash between commercial motorcycle riders and traders at Dei Dei Community in Abuja Municipal Area Council (AMAC) of Abuja-FCT. Several properties including vehicles with a section of the timber market set ablaze in the incident. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the violence occurred following a road accident that led to the death of a female passenger in the area.
- ✚ **Location:** Dei Dei Community in Abuja Municipal Area Council (AMAC) of Abuja-FCT.
- ✚ **Casualty [Male&female]:** Eight males killed.
- ✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several properties and burnt down/community member.
- ✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to restore peace and security in the affected area.

✚ Incident N*42:

- ✚ **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION
- ✚ **Scale of incident:** Low
- ✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022
- ✚ **Description of Incident:** Seven (7) people including five children were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at a residence in Abattoir New Extension in Abaji Area Coucil of Abuja-FCT. Kidnapping for ransom has largely been attributed as the motive behind the criminality in the State.
- ✚ **Location:** Abattoir New Extension in Abaji Area Coucil of Abuja-FCT.
- ✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Seven people (1 female, 1 male and 5 children) abducted.
- ✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.
- ✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The swift response of security operatives led to the rescue of the abducted victims.

✚ Incident N*43:

- ✚ **Title of Incident:** PHYSICAL ASSAULTBY SUSPECTED POLITICAL THUGS
- ✚ **Scale of incident:** Low
- ✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022
- ✚ **Description of Incident:** Several members of a faction of the Social democratic Party (SDP) were physically assaulted in an attack carried out by suspected political thugs during a meeting organized by the SDP at the



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Labour House in Ifelodun LGA of Kwara State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

🚧 **Location:** Ifelodun LGA of Kwara State.

🚧 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Several people injured.

🚧 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/party members.

🚧 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime. Also, the injured victims have been taken to the hospital for medical treatment.

🚧 **Incident N*44:**

🚧 **Title of Incident:** ARREST

🚧 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚧 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

🚧 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected illegal dealer of Improvised Explosive Devices (IED) during security routine patrol along Auchi/Aghenebode Axis of Edo State.

🚧 **Location:** Auchi/Aghenebode Axis of Edo State.

🚧 **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported.

🚧 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several explosive devices recovered/suspected IEDs dealer.

🚧 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for interrogation.

🚧 **Incident N*45:**

🚧 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED POLITICAL THUGS

🚧 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚧 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/5/2022

🚧 **Description of Incident:** Forty-eight members of the All Progressive Congress (APC) were reportedly injured in an attack carried out by suspected political party thugs during an APC meeting in Biu LGA of Borno State. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the victims were supporters of a lawmaker representing the Borno South Senatorial District of the APC who convened at the APC secretariat ahead of his re-election bid in the State.

🚧 **Location:** Biu LGA of Borno State.

🚧 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Four-eight people injured.

🚧 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/party members.

🚧 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚧 **Incident N*46:**

🚧 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED ARMED ROBBERS

🚧 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚧 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/5/2022

🚧 **Description of Incident:** One (1) person was reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed robbers at his residence in Dabi Community of Kwwali Area Council in Abuja-FCT. Several residents in the area were also dispossessed of their valuables in the incident.

🚧 **Location:** Dabi Community of Kwwali Area Council in Abuja-FCT.

🚧 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male killed.

🚧 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several valuables stolen/community residents.

🚧 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced investigations to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚧 **Incident N*47:**

🚧 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION

🚧 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚧 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/5/2022



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- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Three (3) children were reportedly abducted by an unidentified woman allegedly searching for accommodation at Igbo-Etche Area in Etche LGA of Rivers State. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the suspect lured the children between the ages of 3 to 7 years old from their residence in the process of enquiring about the apartment in the area.
- 🚩 **Location:** Igbo-Etche Area in Etche LGA of Rivers State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three children abducted.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command have commenced investigations to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚩 Incident N*48:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK/ ABDUCTION

- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/5/2022

- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Two (2) people including the Chairman of Keffi LGA of Nasarawa State and his driver were reportedly abducted and a police officer killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang along Gudi District of Akwanga LGA of Nasarawa State. Kidnapping for ransom has largely been attributed as the motive behind the criminality in the State.

- 🚩 **Location:** Gudi District of Akwanga LGA of Nasarawa State.

- 🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** One male police officer killed, two males abducted.

- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community members.

- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚩 Incident N*49:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION

- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/5/2022

- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Nigerian Army reportedly recovered a cache of arms and ammunition belonging to members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) and its armed affiliate, Eastern Security Network (ESN) after a shoot-out incident with members of the IPOB at Amaifeke-Akkatta Road in Orlu LGA of Imo State.

- 🚩 **Location:** Amaifeke-Akkatta Road in Orlu LGA of Imo State.

- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No reported casualty.

- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/members of the IPOB/ESN.

- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security clearance operation in Imo State to counter criminal attacks.

🚩 Incident N*50:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST OF SUSPECTED BOKO HARAM MEMBERS

- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/5/2022

- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The Department of State Services (DSS) reportedly arrested two (2) suspected Boko Haram members in connection to the bomb explosion in Kano State in a security clearance operation. Several arms, ammunition and explosive items were recovered in the incident.

- 🚩 **Location:** Kano State.

- 🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported.

- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several weapons and explosive items recovered/suspected Boko Haram members.

- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.



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Incident N*51:

 **Title of Incident:** RIVAL CULT CLASH


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** Two (2) people were allegedly killed in a violent clash between suspected cult gangs at Adesan and Onibode junction, Mowe-Ofada Area in Obafemi-Owode LGA of Ogun State. Supremacy tussle has been attributed to the recurrence of cult clashes in the State.

 **Location:** Adesan and Onibode junction in Mowe-Ofada Area of Obafemi-Owode LGA in Ogun State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Two males killed.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected cult members.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to the affected area to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

Incident N*52:

 **Title of Incident:** RIVAL CULT CLASH


 **Scale of incident:** Medium


 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** Five (5) people were allegedly killed in a violent clash between suspected cult gangs in Ketu and Mile 12 Areas of Lagos State. Supremacy tussle has been attributed to the recurrence of cult clashes in the State.

 **Location:** Ketu and Mile 12 Areas of Lagos State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Five males killed.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected cult members.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.


Incident N*53:

 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED ARMED BANDITS


 **Scale of incident:** Medium


 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** Seven (7) people were allegedly killed in separate attacks carried out by suspected armed bandits at Kwan-doka, Gidan kada and Kaura-dawa Communities in Gusau LGA of Zamfara State. The attackers also carted away with an undisclosed number of livestock and food items in the incident. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the victims were killed while attempting to prevent bandits from gaining access to their communities.

 **Location:** Kwan-doka, Gidan kada and Kaura-dawa Communities in Gusau LGA in Zamfara State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Seven males killed.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several livestock and food items stolen/community members.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to the affected area to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.


Incident N*54:

 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED ARMED HERDERS

 **Scale of incident:** Medium


 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** Six (6) people were allegedly killed in separate attacks carried out by suspected armed herders in Tse Alashi Kaambe Community in Guma LGA of Benue State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

 **Location:** Tse Alashi Kaambe community in Guma LGA of Benue state.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Six males killed.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community members.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.



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Incident N*55:

 **Title of Incident:** ARREST OF SUSPECTED KIDNAPPERS


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested two (2) suspected kidnappers during a security raid at their hideout at Odolu Area in Igamalamela LGA of Kogi State.


 **Location:** Odolu Area in Igamalamela LGA of Kogi State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected kidnappers.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

Incident N*56:

 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** An associate professor at Kano State University of Science and Technology (KSTU) was reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang after delivering the ransom for the release of a village head earlier abducted on May 16, 2022 at Karfi Area in Takai LGA of Kano State.

 **Location:** Karfi Area in Takai LGA of Kano State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** One male abducted.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community members.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victim and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

Incident N*57:

 **Title of Incident:** COMMUNAL CLASH


 **Scale of incident:** High


 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** Thirty (30) people were reportedly killed in a violent clash over land ownership between Ikot Offiong and Okoyong Akpap Communities in Odukpani LGA of Cross River State. Several houses and properties were reportedly destroyed in the incident.

 **Location:** Odukpani LGA of Cross River State.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Thirty people killed.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several houses and properties destroyed/community residents.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command have been deployed to the affected communities to maintain peace and security.

Incident N*58:

 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION

 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** A Christian cleric and his son were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang along Ifon-Okeluse Road in Ose LGA of Ondo State. Kidnapping for ransom has largely been attributed as the motive behind the criminality in the State.

 **Location:** Ifon-Okeluse Road in Ose LGA of Ondo State.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Two males abducted.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community members.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

Incident N*59:

 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK BY SUSECTED HOODLUMS



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🚩 **Scale of incident:** Medium

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Five (5) people including a pregnant female and her four (4) children were allegedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected hoodlums at Isulo Area in Orumba North LGA of Anambra State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

🚩 **Location:** Isulo Area in Orumba North LGA of Anambra State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Five people (1 female and 4 children) killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community members.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚩 **Incident N*60:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED HOODLUMS

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Two (2) people were allegedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at Abatete Area in Idemili North LGA of Anambra State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

🚩 **Location:** Abatete Area in Idemili North LGA of Anambra State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Two males killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community members.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚩 **Incident N*61:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a 16-year-old community resident for attempting to exhume a body at Chanchaga cemetery during security clearance operation at Kasuwan-Gwari Area in Minna Axis of Niger State.

🚩 **Location:** Kasuwan-Gwari Area in Minna Axis of Niger State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/16-year-old suspect.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 **Incident N*62:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Medium

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly killed ten (10) suspected armed robbers in a shoot-out between police operatives and suspected kidnappers around Kwale Axis in Ndokwa West LGA of Delta State. Several arms and ammunition were reportedly recovered in the incident.

🚩 **Location:** Kwale Axis in Ndokwa West LGA of Delta State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Ten suspected kidnappers killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several arms and ammunition recovered/suspected kidnappers.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend other fleeing suspects.

🚩 **Incident N*63:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION/ARMED ATTACK



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• MEDIUM

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- o Moderate Capacity of the state to respond to it

• LOW

- o Low effect on Political destabilisation
- o Loss of life (0 to 5)and property destruction not significant
- o High Capacity of the state to respond

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** A community resident was reportedly abducted and his son injured in an attack carried out by suspected hoodlums at his residence in Umudiji Umuohama Village, Ukpok Axis of Nnewi South LGA of Anambra State.

🚩 **Location:** Umudiji Umuohama village, Ukpok in Nnewi South LGA of Anambra State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** One male abducted, one male injured.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community members.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victim and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime. Also, the injured victim has been taken to the hospital for medical treatment.

🚩 **Incident N*64:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** MOB ATTACK

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** A suspected armed robber was reportedly beaten to death by community residents for allegedly stealing a vehicle and several other valuables from a community resident at his farm in Kirkini Village, Kankia LGA of Bauchi State.

🚩 **Location:** Kirkini Village in Kankia LGA of Bauchi State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** One male killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several properties stolen/suspected armed robber.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.

🚩 **Incident N*65:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The State Police Command reportedly arrested two (2) suspects in connection with kidnapping and killing of a 4-year-old for ritual purposes in Lapai LGA of Niger State.

🚩 **Location:** Lapai LGA of Niger State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected kidnappers.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 **Incident N*66:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED ARMED BANDITS

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Medium

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Eleven (11) people were reportedly killed and five (5) others injured in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits in Ruwan Bore Community of Talata Mafara LGA of Zamfara State. Armed attacks by suspected armed bandits remain prevalent in the State.

🚩 **Location:** Ruwan Bore Community of Talata Mafara LGA of Zamfara State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Eleven males killed, five people injured.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security clearance operation to counter armed bandits' attack in the State.

🚩 **Incident N*67:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** RIOT/ARSON BY SUSPECTED COMMUNITY YOUTHS

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low



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• LOW

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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Several people including a Christian cleric were reportedly injured by community youths over an alleged blasphemous message against Islam posted on social media in reaction to the Sokoto State incident at Katangan Area of Warji LGA of Bauchi State. Six (6) houses and seven (7) shops were reportedly burnt down in the incident.

🚩 **Location:** Katangan Area of Warji LGA of Bauchi State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** Several people including a Christian cleric injured.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several houses and shops destroyed/Christian cleric.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to the affected area to maintain peace and security.

Women, Peace and Security

Key concept clarification violence against women and girls; women participation in conflict; impact of conflict on women; women's role in peace and security; policies for and against women; assessment of current events on women peace and security.

🚩 **Incident N*68:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST/HUMAN TRAFFICKING

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Nigerian Security and Civil Defence Corps (NSCDC) reportedly rescued four-under-aged girls in Kwara State who were being trafficked from Port Harcourt in Rivers State to Ilorin in Kwara States as sex slaves. Also, a suspected human trafficker was arrested in the incident.

🚩 **Location:** Kwara State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No reported casualty.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/trafficked children and a suspected human trafficker.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The victims and the suspect have been handed over to National Agency for the Prohibition of Trafficking in Persons (NAPTIP) in Kwara State for further action.

🚩 **Incident N*69:**

🚩 **Title of incident:** RAPE/ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Western Nigeria Security Network (Amotekun Corps) reportedly arrested two (2) suspected cult members for allegedly raping a 17-year-old girl in Oke Bode Area of Iwo Town in Osun State.

🚩 **Location:** Oke Bode Area of Iwo Town in Osun State.

🚩 **Casualty[Male & female]:** 17-year-old female raped, suspected cultists arrested.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/17-year-old female.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The victim has been taken to the hospital for medical treatment.

🚩 **Incident N*70:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested six (6) suspects in Oyo State for allegedly raping a female resident and publishing her nude pictures and video on social media.

🚩 **Location:** Oyo State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No reported casualty, six male suspects arrested.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.



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Incident N*71:


 Title of Incident: RAPE/ARREST


 Scale of incident: Low


 Date of Occurrence: 19/5/2022

 Description of Incident: The State Police Command reportedly arrested a 25-year-old school teacher for allegedly defiling a 13-year-old female student at his residence in Ago Iwoye Area of Ijebu North LGA of Ogun State.

 Location: Ago Iwoye Area of Ijebu North LGA of Ogun State.

 Casualty [Male&female]: 13-year-old female raped, 25-year-old suspect arrested.

 Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/13-year-old female.

 Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation. Also, the injured victim has been taken to the hospital for medical treatment.


Democracy and Governance


(Key concept clarification—rule of law; actions of branches of government; elections and its implications to transition processes; stakeholders' analysis; events of threats to political transitions; protocols and threats and treaties for democratic stability; constitutional amendments; stakeholders' response)

Incident N*72:

 Title of incident: PEACFUL DEMONSTRATION

 Scale of incident: Low


 Date of Occurrence: 16/5/2022

 Description of incident: Students of tertiary institutions reportedly conducted a peaceful protest along Sagamu-Benin Expressway in Sagamu LGA of Ogun State over the prolonged strike by members of the Academic Staff Union of Universities (ASUU).

 Location: Sagamu-Benin Expressway in Sagamu LGA of Ogun State.

 Casualty [Male & female]: No casualty reported.

 Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/students.


 Coping mechanism/Responses: There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.

Incident N*73:

 Title of Incident: PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION


 Scale of incident: Low


 Date of Occurrence: 16/5/2022

 Description of Incident: Students of the Federal University of Technology, Adekunle Ajasin University and Olusegun Agagu University of Technology reportedly conducted a peaceful protest along Ilesha/Akure Highway in Ondo State to register their displeasure over the prolonged strike by the Academic Staff Union of Universities (ASUU).

 Location: Ilesha/Akure Highway in Ondo State

 Casualty [Male & female]: No reported casualty.

 Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/students.


 Coping Mechanism/Responses: The operatives of the State Police Command were deployed to disperse the protesters.

Incident N*74:

 Title of Incident: VIOLENT DEMONSTRATION/ARREST

 Scale of incident: Low

 Date of Occurrence: 16/5/2022

 Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested three (3) people in at Pompomari Axis in Maiduguri LGA of Borno State during a protest over a blasphemous statement made against Prophet Muhammad (SAW) by a community resident on her social media page. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the female resident was allegedly accused of making the blasphemous statement in reaction to the killing of the female student at the Shehu Shagari College of Education in Sokoto State



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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

- 🚩 **Location:** Pompomari Axis in Maiduguri LGA of Borno State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No reported casualty.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the Nigerian Army were deployed to disperse protesters and maintain peace and security in the affected area.

🚩 **Incident N*75:**

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION BY MEMBERS OF THE ALL PROGRESSIVE CONGRESS (APC)
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Members of the All Progressive Congress (APC) in Abeokuta South LGA of Ogun State reportedly conducted a peaceful protest at the Ogun State secretariat of the APC over the removal of their names from the delegate list ahead of the political party's primary elections.
- 🚩 **Location:** Ogun State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No reported casualty.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/APC members.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.

🚩 **Incident N*76:**

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Students of the University of Benin (UNIBEN) reportedly conducted a peaceful protest at the Federal Secretariat in Benin-City Axis of Edo State over the prolonged strike by the Academic Staff Union of Universities (ASUU).
- 🚩 **Location:** Edo State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/students.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.

🚩 **Incident N*77:**

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** VIOLENT DEMONSTRATION
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** One (1) person was reportedly killed in a violent protest by some members of the All Progressive Congress (APC) political party over an alleged exclusion from the screening of aspirants for the State House of Assembly primary election in Port Harcourt LGA of Rivers State. Preliminary investigation have revealed that the victim was hit by a stray bullets fired by the police operatives to disperse protesters in the incident.
- 🚩 **Location:** Port Harcourt LGA of Rivers State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male&female]:** One male killed.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/party members.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.

🚩 **Incident N*78:**

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/5/2022
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Members of the All Progressive Congress (APC) in Egor LGA of Edo State reportedly conducted a peaceful protest in Benin-City Axis of the State over the substitution of the list of elected delegates.
- 🚩 **Location:** Benin-City Axis in Edo State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No reported casualty.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/members of the APC.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.



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- o High Capacity of the state to respond



Incident N*79:



Title of Incident: PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION



Scale of incident: Low



Date of Occurrence: 19/5/2022



Description of Incident: Residents of the Lekki Phase 1 Axis of Lagos State reportedly conducted a peaceful protest against the activities of commercial motorcycle riders in the area. The Lagos State Governor, Babajide Sanwo-Olu, had issued a ban on commercial motorcycle riders in Ikeja, Surulere, Eti-Osa, Lagos Mainland, Lagos Island and Apapa LGAs of Lagos State.



Location: Ikeja, Surulere, Eti-Osa, Lagos Mainland, Lagos Island and Apapa LGAs of Lagos State.



Casualty [Male & female]: No reported casualty.



Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community residents.



Coping Mechanism/Responses: There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.



Incident N*80:



Title of Incident: PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION



Scale of incident: Low



Date of Occurrence: 20/5/2022



Description of Incident: Hundreds of residents of the Abuja Municipal Area Council reportedly shut down the office of the Minister of the Federal Capital Territory (FCT) and the FCT Administration Secretariat in Abuja-FCT over the inauguration of the newly elected council chairmen and councilors. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the administration announced the suspension of the inauguration citing the ruling of an FCT High Court which extended the official tenure of six (6) Area Council Chairmen and Councilors by one-year¹.



Location: Abuja-FCT.



Casualty [Male & female]: No reported casualty.



Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community residents.



Coping Mechanism/Responses: There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.



Incident N*81:



Title of Incident: PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION



Scale of incident: Low



Date of Occurrence: 20/5/2022



Description of Incident: Staff members and students of Abia State University and members of the neighbouring Okigwe Community reportedly conducted a peaceful protest along Uturu-Afikpo Road in the State over the incessant rate of kidnapping and killings in the area.



Location: Uturu-Afikpo Road in Abia State.



Casualty [Male & female]: No reported casualty.



Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community residents, students and staff members of the Abia State University.



Coping Mechanism/Responses: There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.



Incident N*82:



Title of Incident: BUILDING COLLAPSE



Scale of incident: Low



Date of Occurrence: 21/5/2022



Description of Incident: Four (4) people was reported dead and five (5) others injured in a two-storey building collapse at Freeman Street in Lagos Island LGA of Lagos State. Preliminary investigations have revealed that the building was under construction when it collapsed.



Location: Freeman Street in Lagos Island LGA of Lagos State

¹ <https://punchng.com/residents-protest-tenure-extension-of-fct-lg-chairmen-councillors/>



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• LOW

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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

- ✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Four people dead, five people injured.
- ✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Building collapsed/residents.
- ✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The officials of the State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA) have been deployed to the affected area for rescue operation.

Environmental Security

(Key concept clarification-Epidemics and pandemics (causatives factors, impact and threat to human security at localized levels and at regional levels); food security (agro-pastoralist conflicts); natural and man-made disasters, humanitarian crisis, climate change (industrialisation, pollution, destruction of ecosystem). Biodiversity)

✚ Incident N*83:

✚ **Title of incident:** FIRE OUTBREAK

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:**15/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** Several properties were reportedly burnt down in a fire outbreak incident on a residential building along Atufe Road in Sapele LGA of Delta State. The cause of the fire is unknown.

✚ **Location:** Atufe Road in Sapele LGA of Delta State.

✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several properties destroyed/community members.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The officials of the State Fire Service were deployed to douse the fire.

✚ Incident N*84:

✚ **Title of Incident:** CHEMICAL EXPLOSION

✚ **Scale of incident:** Medium

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** Nine (9) people were reported dead and several others injured in an explosion incident along Aba Road of Sabon Gari Market in Fagge LGA of Kano State. Several properties including a building and a shop were destroyed in the incident.

Technical Investigation conducted by the State Police Command's Explosive Ordinance Disposal-Chemical,Biological,Radiological and Nuclear Defence (EOD-CBRN) have revealed that the explosion is suspected to have occurred as a result of mixed chemical/gas reactions exposed to a source of heat, such as fire, spark or increase in pressure resulting in combustion/shock waves thus leading to an explosion². Items recovered at the scene include five bottles of different brands of Acidic Liquid, three bags of Potassium substance, one Jerrycan of mixed chemicals, six and a half cartons of Tobacco and five drums of Polymer (Chemical)³.

✚ **Location:** Aba Road of Sabon Gari Market in Fagge LGA of Kano State.

✚ **Casualty [Male&female]:** Nine males killed, several people injured.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several properties destroyed/pupils and community residents.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The injured victims have been taken to the hospital for medical treatment. The officials of the State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA) and security operatives have cordoned off the area.

✚ Incident N*85:

✚ **Title of Incident:** FIRE OUTBREAK

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 17/5/2022

✚ **Description of Incident:** Several properties including eight lock-up shops were reportedly burnt down in a fire outbreak incident at Itam Market in Itu LGA of Akwa Ibom State. The cause of the fire is unknown.

✚ **Location:** Itam Market in Itu LGA of Akwa Ibom State.

✚ **Casualty [Male&female]:** No property damaged/traders.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several properties damaged/community members.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The officials of the State Fire Service have been deployed to douse the fire.

² <https://www.ripplesnigeria.com/days-after-police-makes-u-turn-confirms-bomb-making-materials-caused-kano-explosion/>

³ Ibid.



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Incident N*86:


 **Title of Incident:** THUNDERSTORM

 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/5/2022

 **Description of Incident:** A community resident was reportedly killed with several others injured in a storm incident occasioned by heavy rainfall along Aibanegbe Street, Off New Lagos Road in Benin-City Axis of Edo State.


 **Location:** Aibanegbe Street, Off New Lagos Road in Benin-City Axis of Edo State.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male killed, several people injured.


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.

Incident N*87:

 **Title of Incident:** CORONAVIRUS

 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/5/2022


 **Description of Incident:** The Nigeria Centre for Disease Control (NCDC) recorded no death and 48 confirmed cases of coronavirus across the 36 states of Nigeria including the Abuja-FCT between May 15 and 21, 2022. Also, as of May 21, 2022, 77 people have been treated and discharged⁴.

As of May 21, 2022, a total of 25,955,597 COVID-19 vaccine doses have been administered in Nigeria. The National Primary Health Care Development Agency (NPHCDA) continues to vaccinate residents with the approved AstraZeneca and Moderna COVID-19 vaccine in Nigeria.

 **Location:** Nigeria.

 **Casualty [Male&female]:** No casualty reported, 48 confirmed cases, 77 people treated.

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The National Primary Health Care Development Agency (NPHCDA) has continued the vaccination exercise of citizens and residents across States in Nigeria.

⁴ www.ncdc.gov.ng