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## **NIGERIA WEEK OF 14-20 JULY, 2024**

## Organised Crime and Violent Extremism

(key concept clarification; causes; indicators and signs that push to radicalization; profiling and assessment or perpetuators 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\*1:

- Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED ARMED HERDERS
- Scale of incident: Medium
- Date of Occurrence: 14/7/2024
- Description of Incident: Twelve (12) people were reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed herders at separate locations at Ogbumogbo, Agagbe, Ejima Areas in Gwer West and Agatu LGAs of Benue State.
- Location: Ogbumogbo, Agagbe, Ejima Areas in Gwer West and Agatu LGAs of Benue State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: Twelve people killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community residents.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of

### Incident N\*2:

- **■** Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/BDUCTION
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 14/7/2024
- Description of Incident: Four (4) people were reportedly killed with several others injured in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Dan Isa Village, Kaura Namoda LGA of Zamfara State. The attackers also abducted 150 people including females and minors.
- Location: Dan Isa Village in Kaura Namoda LGA of Zamfara State.
- Casualty [Male female]: Four people killed, several people injured, 150 people including females and minors abducted.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

### Incident N\*3:

- Title of Incident: ARMED ACTION
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 14/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly killed several suspected armed bandits and rescued seven (7) abducted victims during security operation in Damba in Gusau LGA of Zamfara
- Location: Damba in Gusau LGA of Zamfara State.
- Casualty [Male&female]: Several suspected armed bandits killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/suspected armed bandits.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to strengthen peace and security in the area.

## Incident N\*4:

- Title of Incident: HOMICIDE/ARREST
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- Date of Occurrence: 14/7/2024



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- **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspect for allegedly killing his father over monetary demand at Ugboha in Esan South East of Edo State
- **Location:** Ugboha in Esan South East of Edo State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/suspect murderer.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

### Incident N\*5:

- Title of Incident: ARREST
- ♣ Scale of incident: Low
- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 14/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the Nigeria Security and Civil Defence Corps (NSCDC) reportedly arrested nine (9) suspects over illegal dealings in petroleum products and vandalization of armoured cables along Ikot Abasi- Port Harcourt Expressway in Akwa Ibom State.
- **Location:** Ikot Abasi- Port Harcourt Expressway in Akwa Ibom State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/suspected cable vandals.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

#### Incident N\*6:

- Title of Incident: ARMED ACTION/ARREST
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 14/7/2024
- **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the FCT Police Command reportedly destroyed several properties and arrested several people in a security raid at Hotel VIMA in Gwarimpa Area of Abuja-FCT.
- **↓ Location:** Hotel VIMA in Gwarimpa Area of Abuja-FCT. .
- **Casualty [Male& female]:** No casualty reported.
- **♣** Property damaged/Affected population: Several properties destroyed/community residents.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have commenced further investigations into the incident.

### Incident N\*7:

- **■** Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED HERDERS
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 14/7/2024
- Description of Incident: One (1) person was reportedly killed and one (1) other injured in an attack carried out by suspected armed herders at Tse Iyo Community in Sengev Ward, Gwer West LGA of Benue State.
- **Location:** Tse Iyo Community in Sengev Ward, Gwer West LGA of Benue State.
- **Casualty [Male& female]:** One male killed, one person injured.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community residents.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

### Incident N\*8:

- **■** Title of Incident: ABDUCTION
- **♣ Scale of incident:** Low
- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 15/7/2024
- **Description of Incident:** A Police officer and his daughter were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at a residence in Damba, Karma Hotel in Zamfara State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- **Location:** Damba, Karma Hotel in Zamfara State.
- **Casualty [Male& female]:** Two people including a police and his daughter abducted.



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- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/police officer and his daughter.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

## Incident N\*9:

- Title of Incident: THEFT
- Scale of incident: Low
- **♣** Date of Occurrence: 14/7/2024
- **Description of Incident**: Several bags of soya beans and a threshing machine were reportedly stolen by suspected hoodlums at a seed factory in Joseph Tarka University, Makurdi (JOSTUM) in Benue State.
- Location: Joseph Tarka University, Makurdi (JOSTUM) in Benue State.
- Casualty [Male&female]: No casualty reported.
- **♣ Property damaged/Affected population:** Soya beans and threshing machine stolen/suspected hoodlums.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the fleeing suspects.

#### Incident N\*10:

- **♯** Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/ARSON
- Scale of incident: Low
- **♣** Date of Occurrence: 14/7/2024
- **Description of Incident**: A human rights activist was reportedly killed and his house burnt in an attack carried out by unidentified gunmen at Ugboha Community in Esan South East LGA of Edo State
- Location: Ugboha Community in Esan South East LGA of Edo State
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: House burnt/Human right Activist.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced investigation to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

## Incident N\*11:

- **■** Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/ABDUCTION/ANIMAL RUSTLING
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 14/7/2024
- Description of Incident: Twenty (20) people were reportedly killed and several others including women and minors abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Maguru Town in Kaura Namoda LGA of Zamfara State. Several domestic animals were also rustled in the incident.
- **Location:** Maguru Town in Kaura Namoda LGA of Zamfara State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: Twenty people including women and children abducted.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several domestic animals rustled/community residents.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

### Incident N\*12:

- Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK
- **♣ Scale of incident:** Low
- **♣** Date of Occurrence: 14/7/2024
- Description of Incident: An operative of the Nigerian Army was reportedly killed and his weapon carted away in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at his farm in Kampani Zurak Village in Wase LGA of Plateau State
- **Location:** Kampani Zurak Village in Wase LGA of Plateau State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: One Army officer killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: Firearm carted away/Army officer.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

## Incident N\*13:



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#### Title of Incident: DRUG TRAFFICKING/ARREST

- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 14/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly arrested a suspected drug trafficker and recovered 152kg of Cannabis Sativa at Geidam LGA of Yobe State.
- Location: Geidam LGA of Yobe State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- Property damaged/Affected population: 152kg of Cannabis Sativa recovered /suspected drug trafficker.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the NDLEA for further interrogation.

#### Incident N\*14:

- Title of Incident: DRUG TRAFFICKING/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 14/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly arrested a suspected drug trafficker and recovered 38kg of Cannabis Sativa and one AK-47 rifle during security operation at Akwanga LGA Nasarawa State.
- Location: Akwanga LGA Nasarawa State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- Property damaged/Affected population: 38kg of Cannabis Sativa and one AK-47 rifle recovered/suspected arms drug and arm trafficker.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the NDLEA for further interrogation.

## Incident N\*15:

- Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/ABDUCTION
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 15/7/2024
- Description of Incident: A chieftain of the All Progressives Congress (APC) was reportedly injured and five (5) others including two female abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at Yangoji in Kwali Area Council in the FCT-Abuja. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- Location: Yangoji in Kwali Area Council of the Federal Capital Territory (FCT-Abuja).
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male killed, five people including two females abducted.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/suspected armed gang.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

## **Incident N\*16:**

- Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK
- 4 Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 15/7/2024
- Description of Incident: A male resident was reportedly killed in an attack carried out by personnel of the Anambra Vigilante Group (AVG) at Oba in Idemili North LGA of Anambra State. The motive behind the killing is unknown.
- Location: Oba in Idemili North LGA of Anambra State
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community resident.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have commenced investigation to ascertain the cause of the incident.

## Incident N\*17:

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- Scale of incident: Low



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- **Description of Incident:** The manager of a pharmaceutical store was reportedly robbed of his valuables including mobile phones and unspecified amount of money following an attempt by suspected armed gang to kidnap him at his shop in Ogundele, Oko Oba in Orile Agege LGA of Lagos State.
- Location: Ogundele, Oko Oba in Orile Agege LGA of Lagos State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- Property damaged/Affected population: Valuables including mobile phones and money stolen/business owner.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The swift response of the community youths led to arrest of one of the suspected kidnappers in the area.

#### Incident N\*18:

- **♣** Title of Incident: DRUG TRAFFICKING/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 15/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly arrested two (2) suspected drug traffickers and recovered 30kg of Cannabis Sativa in a security operation along Kwali-Gwagwalada-Abuja Road in the FCT.
- Location: Kwali-Gwagwalada-Abuja Road in the FCT.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- Property damaged/Affected population: 30kg of Cannabis Sativa/suspected drug traffickers.

### Incident N\*19:

- **4** Title of Incident: ABDUCTION
- **♣ Scale of incident:** Low
- Date of Occurrence: 15/7/2024
- **Description of Incident:** Eight (8) people including a Naval officer were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at Ibaka in Ibaka LGA of Akwa Ibom State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- **Location:** Ibaka, Mbo LGA of Akwa Ibom State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: Eight people including a Naval officer abducted.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents and a Naval officer.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

### Incident N\*20:

- Title of Incident: ABDUCTION
- **♣ Scale of incident:** Low
- Date of Occurrence: 15/7/2024
- Description of Incident: Nineteen (19) people including a driver were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at Iwukem Area in Etim LGA of Akwa Ibom State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- Location: Iwukem Area in Etim LGA of Akwa Ibom State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: Nine people abducted.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community residents.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

## Incident N\*21:

- **■** Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/ABDUCTION
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- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 15/7/2024
- ♣ Description of Incident: Ten (10) people were reportedly killed and several others abducted in an attack carried



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- Location: Magami District in Gusau LGA of Zamfara State.
- **Casualty [Male& female]:** Ten males killed, several people abducted.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community residents.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

## Incident N\*22:

- Title of Incident: ARREST
- **♣ Scale of incident:** Low
- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 15/7/2024
- **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected kidnapper and recovered two AK-47 Rifles, two G3 rifles, one double barrel Rifle, five magazines and seven live ammunition during a security raid at Ekeya Area in Okobo LGA of Akawa Ibom State.
- Location: Ekeya Area in Okobo LGA of Akwa Ibom State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- ♣ Property damaged/Affected population: Several arms and ammunition recovered/suspected kidnaper.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

## Incident N\*23:

- **Title of Incident: HOMICIDE/ARREST**
- ♣ Scale of incident: Low
- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 15/7/2024
- **Description of Incident:** A 70-year-old male was reportedly killed by his 17-year-old son over a domestic disagreement at Ugboha Community in Esan South East LGA of Edo State.
- Location: Ugboha Community in Esan South East LGA of Edo State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male killed.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community resident.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

## Incident N\*24:

- **♣** Title of Incident: THEFT/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 16/7/2019
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a police officer over alleged vehicle theft and other valuables at a residence in Lokoja LGA of Kogi State.
- Location: Lokoja LGA of Kogi State.
- **Casualty [Male& female]:** No casualty reported.
- **♣ Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected police officer.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

## Incident N\*25:

- **♣** Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/ABDUCTION
- **Scale of incident:** Low
- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 16/7/2024
- **Description of Incident:** One (1) person was allegedly killed and four (4) others abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Kasuwar Magani in Kajuru LGA of Kaduna State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.



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#### Location: Kasuwar Magani in Kajuru LGA of Kaduna State.

- Casualty [Male& female]: One male killed, four people abducted.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community residents.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

### Incident N\*26:

- Title of Incident: DRUG TRAFFICKING/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 17/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested two (2) suspected drug traffickers specialized in illicit drugs trafficking at Caroline Hostel, Okwu Uratta Area in Owerri Municipal of Imo
- Location: Caroline Hostel, Okwu Uratta Area in Owerri Municipal of Imo State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected drug traffickers.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command foe further interrogation.

### **Incident N\*27:**

- Title of Incident: DRUG TRAFFICKING/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 17/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected drug trafficker in possession of Indian hemp at Uloano in Isu LGA of Imo State.
- Location: Uloano in Isu LGA of Imo State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected drug traffickers.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

### Incident N\*28:

- Title of Incident: HOMICIDE/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 17/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a 24 year old male suspect for allegedly killing his 90 year old grandfather in Kwaya-Kusar LGA of Borno State.
- Location: Kwaya-Kusar LGA of Borno State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male killed.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community resident.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect would be charged to court on completion of investigation by the State Police Command.

## Incident N\*29:

- Title of Incident: HOMICIDE/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence:17/7/2024
- Description of Incident: A 40-year-old lawyer was reportedly stabbed to death by his client's husband for assisting his wife to file a divorce suit against him in Ondo West LGA of Ondo State.
- Location: Ondo West LGA of Ondo State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/Lawyer.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further



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#### Incident N\*30:

- **■** Title of Incident: ARMS CONTROL ENFORCEMENT/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 17/7/2024
- → **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Nigerian Army reportedly arrested eight (8) suspected arm traffickers with several arms and ammunition recovered during security operation at FANN District in Barkin Ladi LGA of Plateau State.
- Location: FANN District in Barkin Ladi LGA of Plateau State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- ♣ Property damaged/Affected population: Several arms and ammunition recovered/suspected arms traffickers
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

### Incident N\*31:

- Title of Incident: ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 17/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The State Security Network known as Amotekun Corps reportedly arrested twenty-four (24) suspects in connection with various criminal activities including the possession of firearms along Ikare-Ado Ekiti Expressway in Ekiti State.
- Location: Ikare-Ado Ekiti Expressway in Ekiti State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- Property damaged/Affected population: Firearms recovered/Criminal suspects.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspects would be handed over to State Police Command for further interrogation.

## Incident N\*32:

- **♣** Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/ARREST
- ♣ Scale of incident: Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 17/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The Ogun State Community, Social Orientation and Safety Corps known as So-Safe reportedly arrested a 24-year-old scavenger for robbing and physically assaulting a church member at church premises in Abeokuta of Ogun State.
- **Location:** Abeokuta of Ogun State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male injured.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community resident.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

## Incident N\*33:

- **▲** Title of Incident: ARMED ACTION
- Scale of incident: Low
- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 17/7/2024
- → **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the FCT Police Command reportedly foiled a kidnap attempt and injured a suspected kidnapper at El-Rufai Estate in Bwari Area Council in Abuja,FCT.
- **Location:** El-Rufai Estate in Bwari Area Council in Abuja,FCT.
- **Casualty [Male& female]:** One male injured.
- ♣ Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/suspected kidnapper.
- **♣ Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The security operatives have been deployed to strengthen peace and



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#### Incident N\*34:

- **Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK**
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 17/7/2024
- Description of Incident: A retired Nigerian Army officer was reportedly found dead following an attack carried out by unidentified gunmen at a guest room in the Defence Academy Base Camp, along Vom Road in Jos South LGA of Plateau State. The cause of his death is unknown.
- Location: Vom Road in Jos South of Plateau State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male killed.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/retired Army officer.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have commenced investigations to unravel the motive behind his killing and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

## **Incident N\*35:**

- Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK/ROBBERY/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 17/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a male resident for allegedly stabbing his friend to death with his motorcycle and money stolen during a robbery attack at Dage Village in Ganye LGA of Adamawa State.
- Location: Dage Village in Ganye LGA of Adamawa State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community resident.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

### Incident N36:

- Title of Incident: ARMS RECOVERY
- Scale of incident: Low
- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 18/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly recovered several firearms during a security raid at Mai-Ari-Arewa Area in Alkaleri LGA of Bauchi State.
- Location: Mai-Ari-Arewa Area in Alkaleri LGA of Bauchi State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/suspected arms traffickers.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have commenced investigation to apprehend the suspect.

### **Incident N\*37**

- Title of incident: ARMED ATTACK
- Scale of incident:Low
- Date of Occurrence: 18/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The youth leader of Miyetti Allah Cattle Breeders Association of Nigeria (MACBAN) in Bassa LGA of Plateau State was allegedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang in Bassa LGA of Plateau State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.
- Location: Bassa LGA of Plateau State.
- Casualty[ Male & female]: One male killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/Youth leader.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.



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## Incident N\*38

- **Title of incident: ARREST**
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 18/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested eleven (11) suspects for culpable homicide, vandalization and possession of Marijuana during a security raid in Maiduguri LGA of Borno State.
- Location: Maiduguri LGA of Borno State
- Casualty[ Male & female]: No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/criminal suspects.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

## **Incident N\*39**

- **Title of incident: ARREST**
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 18/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested five (5) suspects in connection with armed robbery and cult related activities during a security raid in Oghara Town, Ethiope East LGA of Delta State. One pistol, two AK-47 magazines, one locally made cut-to-size gun and 29 rounds of live ammunition were recovered from the suspects.
- Location: Oghara Town in Ethiope East LGA of Delta State.
- Casualty [Male & female]: No casualty reported.
- Property damaged/Affected population: Several arms and ammunition recovered/Criminal suspects.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

## Incident N\*40

- Title of incident: ARMED ACTION/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 19/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the Department of State Service (DSS) officers reportedly killed a suspected kidnapper and one suspect arrested with N26.5 million naira recovered during a security raid in their hideout in Makarfi Forest of Kaduna State.
- Location: Makarfi Forest in Kaduna State.
- Casualty[ Male & female]: One suspected kidnapper killed,
- Property damaged/Affected population: N26.5 million naira recovered/suspected kidnappers.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to strengthen peace and security in the area.

## **Incident N\*41**

- Title of incident: MURDER
- Scale of incident: Low
- **Date of Occurrence:** 19/7/2024
- Description of Incident: A traditional ruler and his son were allegedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang in Chanchanji, Takum LGA of Taraba State. The motive behind their killing is unknown.
- Location: Chanchanji in Takum LGA of Taraba State.
- Casualty[ Male & female]: Two males killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/traditional ruler and a community resident.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.



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## Incident N\*42

- Title of incident: ARMED ATTACK/ABDUCTION
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 19/7/2024
- **♣ Description of Incident:** Two (2) people were allegedly killed and five (5) others including a National Youth Service Corps (NYSC) member abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang along Ifon/Owo Expressway in Ose LGA of Ondo State.
- Location: Ifon/Owo Expressway in Ose LGA of Ondo State.
- Casualty [ Male & female]: Two males killed, five males abducted.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community residents.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

#### **Incident N\*43**

- **Title of incident: ARREST**
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 19/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested seven (7) suspects following their involvement in an illegal mining activities in Yagba East LGA of Kogi State.
- Location: Yagba East LGA of Kogi State.
- Casualty[ Male & female]: No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected illegal miners.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

- Title of incident: ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED ARMED MILITIA
- Scale of incident: Medium
- **♣ Date of Occurrence**: 19/7/2024
- Description of Incident: Eighteen (18) people were allegedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed militia at Mbacher Community in Katsina-Ala LGA of Benue State.
- Location: Mbacher Community in Katsina-Ala LGA of Benue State.
- Casualty [ Male & female]: Eighteen males killed.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to forestall further attacks in the

### Incident N\*:45

- Title of Incident: ARMED ROBBERY
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 19/7/2024
- Description of Incident: A student of Nasarawa State University, Keffi (NSUK) was allegedly killed by suspected armed robbers during a robbery incident at Gudi-Akwanga Road in Akwanga LGA of Nasarawa State. The victim was reportedly hit by stray bullet during the shootout between police operatives and suspected armed robbers in the area.
- Location: Gudi-Akwanga Road in Akwanga LGA of Nasarawa State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male student killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/student.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

## Incident N\*:46

**Title of Incident: ARREST** 



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#### Scale of incident: Low

- Date of Occurrence: 19/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested several suspects in connection with various criminal activities and illegal possession of firearms in Taraba State.
- Location: Taraba State.
- **Casualty [Male& female]:** No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** Firearms recovered/criminal suspects.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

### 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\*47:

- 4 Title of Incident: RESCUE OPERATIONS/HUMAN TRAFFICKING
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 15/7/2024
- **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly rescued ten (10) pregnant women and arrested a 56-year old female suspect for allegedly running a baby factory at Ikot Akpanabia in Uvo of Akwa Ibom State.
- Location: Ikot Akpanabia in Uyo of Akwa Ibom State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

## Incident N\*48:

- Title of Incident: ASSUALT/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 17/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Commnad reportedly arrested three (3) suspects including a pastor for allegedly assaulting a 90-year-old female in Ofukpo-Ekperi, Estako Central LGA of Edo State.
- Location: Ofukpo-Ekperi, Estako Central LGA of Edo State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: One female injured.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/90-year-old community resident.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

### Incident N\*49:

- Title of Incident: HOMICIDE/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 17/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a 40-year-old female for allegedly killing her husband with axe during a disagreement at Kautikari Village in Chibok LGA of
- Location: Kautikari Village in Chibok LGA of LGA Borno State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: One male killed.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/community resident.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.



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## **Incident N\*50**

- **Title of incident: ABDUCTION**
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 19/7/2024
- Description of Incident: A 3-year old minor was reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by a suspected female kidnapper at Yan Ayaba Area in Sabon Gari LGA of Kaduna State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime
- Location: Yan Ayaba Area in Sabon Gari LGA of Kaduna State.
- Casualty [ Male & female]: 3-year-old minor abducted.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/minor.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The security operatives have been deployed to rescue the abducted

## **Incident N\*51:**

- Title of Incident: RAPE/ARREST
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 20/7/2024
- Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected rapist for allegedly raping a National Youth Service Corps (NYSC) member at Ukana Iba Village in Essien Udim LGA of Akwa Ibom State.
- Location: Ukana Iba Village in Essien Udim LGA of Akwa Ibom State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/NYSC member.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

## **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\*52**

- Title of incident: STRIKE ACTION
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 15/7/2024
- Description of incident: The Judiciary Staff Union of Nigeria (JUSUN) in Anambra State reportedly conducted an indefinite strike action in Anambra State over the refusal of the State Government to pay the Consolidated Judiciary Salary Structure agreed upon in 2011 and 2015.
- Location: Anambra State.
- Casualty [Male & female]: No casualty reported.
- Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/civil servant.
- Coping mechanism/Responses: There is no reported intervention as of reporting time.

### Incident N\*53:

- Title of Incident: PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 17/7/2024
- Description of Incident: Students of the University of Ibadan (UI) in Ibadan, Oyo State reportedly conducted a peaceful protest to express their grievances following the schedule of 10-hour electricity supply on campus and a hike in tuition fees by the university management.
- Location: Ibadan of Oyo State.



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#### 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\*54:

- **■** Title of Incident: ARMED ATTACK BY SUSPECTED ARMED POLITICAL THUGS
- Scale of incident: Low
- Date of Occurrence: 18/7/2024
- **Description of Incident:** The reinstated deputy governor of Edo State by the Abuja High Court and the All Progressive Congress (APC) party governorship candidate convoy were reportedly attacked with three (3) people including a police orderly killed and several others injured by suspected political thugs along Airport Road in Edo State.
- Location: Airport Road in Edo State.
- **Casualty [Male& female]:** Three males including a police officer killed.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents and a police officer.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The injured victims have taken to the hospital for medical treatment. Also, the State Police Command has commenced investigations to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

#### **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\*55:

- Title of Incident: FLOOD
- **♣ Scale of incident:** Low
- **♣ Date of Occurrence:** 17/7/2024
- **Description of Incident:** Over 1,664 people were reportedly internally displaced and several properties destroyed in a flood incident occasioned heavy rainfall at Dan Tudu, Balakozo, Gidan Tudu and Trait Town in Gada LGA of Sokoto State.
- Location: Dan Tudu, Balakozo, Gidan Tudu and Trait Town in Gada LGA of Sokoto State.
- **Casualty [Male& female]:** No casusalty reported.
- ♣ Property damaged/Affected population: 1,664 people displaced and several properties destroyed/community residents.
- **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The officials of the State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA) have been deployed for rescue operation.

### Incident N\*56:

- **■** Title of Incident: FIRE OUBREAK
- Scale of incident: Low
- **♣** Date of Occurrence: 17/7/2024
- **Description of Incident:** Three (3) people including two females were reported dead and several valuables destroyed in a fire outbreak incident at the residence of the Kano State Commissioner for Higher Education at Kofar-Mata Metropolis in Kano State.
- **Location:** Kofar-Mata Metropolis of Kano State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: Three people including two females dead.
- **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several valuables destroyed/building occupants.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The officials of the State Fire Service have been deployed to douse the fire.

## Incident N\*57:



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Title of Incident: FLOOD

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 19/7/2024

- Description of Incident: Several properties including lecture halls were reportedly submerged in a flood incident occasioned by heavy rainfall at Federal University in Lafia LGA Nassarawa State.
- Location: Lafia LGA of Nasarawa State.
- Casualty [Male& female]: No casualty reported.
- Property damaged/Affected population: Several properties including lecture halls submerged/students.
- Coping Mechanism/Responses: The officials of the State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA) have been deployed to the affected area to access the level of damages.