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NIGERIA

WEEK OF 18 - 24 AUGUST 2024

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*1:

Title of Incident: PHYSICAL ASSAULT/ROBBERY

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 18/8/2024

Description of Incident: A music artiste was reportedly injured, and several valuables stolen during a feud community members which occurred at Iju-Ishaga Area in Ifako-Ijaiye LGA of Lagos State.

Location: Iju-Ishaga Area in Ifako-Ijaiye LGA of Lagos State.

Casualty [Male & female]: One male injured.

Property damaged/Affected population: Several valuables stolen/music artiste, music crew.

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

Incident N*2:

Title of Incident: ARMED BANDITRY

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 18/8/2024

Description of Incident: Two (2) members of the Community Watch Corps were reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Runka Town in Safana LGA of Katsina State.

Location: Runka Town in Safana LGA of Katsina State.

Casualty [Male & female]: Two males killed.

Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/Community Watch Corps members.

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

Incident N*3:

Title of Incident: ABDUCTION/ARSON

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 18/8/2024

Description of Incident: Several people were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Kanon Haki Village in Faskari LGA of Katsina State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.

Location: Kanon Haki Village in Faskari LGA of Katsina State.

Casualty [Male & female]: Several people abducted

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

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

Incident N*4:

Title of Incident: ARMED ROBBERY/MOB VIOLENCE

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 18/8/2024

Description of Incident: A commercial motorcyclist was reportedly killed, and his motorcycle stolen in an attack carried out by suspected armed robbers at Anguwan Agwaluma Community in Misau LGA of Bauchi State. The

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two (2) suspects were also caught and killed by community residents.

- 🚩 **Location:** Anguwan Agwaluma Community in Misau LGA of Bauchi State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three males killed.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** One motorcycle stolen/commercial motorcyclist, suspected armed robbers.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced an investigation to ascertain the circumstances surrounding the incident.

🚩 Incident N*5:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** A police operative was reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at Effurun Area in Uvwie LGA of Delta State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Effurun Area in Uvwie LGA of Delta State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male police operative killed.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/police operatives.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced efforts to apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚩 Incident N*6:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION/ARMED ACTION
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Two (2) farmers were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Kuriga Village in Kagarko LGA of Kaduna State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Kuriga Village in Kagarko LGA of Kaduna State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two males abducted.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/farmers, suspected armed bandits.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command swiftly responded to the attack and rescued the abducted victims.

🚩 Incident N*7:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected bandits' informant in a security operation conducted at Gidan Abeh Village in Kagarko LGA of Kaduna State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Gidan Abeh Village in Kagarko LGA of Kaduna State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected bandits' informant.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*8:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** EXTRA-JUDICIAL ATTACK
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Three (3) people and about 100 cows were reportedly killed by operatives of the

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Nigerian Army at Sabon Birnin Daji Cattle Market in Igabi LGA of Kaduna State. The motive behind the operation is unknown.

- 🚩 **Location:** Sabon Birnin Daji Cattle Market in Igabi LGA of Kaduna State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three males killed.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** One hundred cows killed/community residents.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The Nigerian Army has ordered a probe of the incident to establish the immediate and remote causes and uncover those responsible.

🚩 Incident N*9:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** BANDITRY/LIVESTOCK RUSTLING
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Two (2) herders were reportedly killed, and several cows and sheep rustled in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Kurutu Village in Kachia LGA of Kaduna State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Kurutu Village in Kachia LGA of Kaduna State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two males killed.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several domestic livestock rustled/herders.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There was no reported intervention as of reporting time.

🚩 Incident N*10:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** A local hunter was reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed herders at Iwoye-Ketu Community in Imeko-Afon LGA of Ogun State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Iwoye-Ketu Community in Imeko-Afon LGA of Ogun State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male killed.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/local hunter.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command and the Nigerian Army have been deployed to strengthen peace and security in the affected area.

🚩 Incident N*11:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION/ARMED ATTACK
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Medium
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Fifteen (15) criminal suspects and three (3) operatives of the Nigerian Army were reportedly killed in a gun duel at Gudiri Community in Bashar District, Wase LGA of Plateau State. Over 100 cows were also recovered in the security operation.
- 🚩 **Location:** Gudiri Community in Bashar District, Wase LGA of Plateau State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Eighteen people (3 military operatives, 15 suspects) killed.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/Nigerian Army operatives, criminal suspects.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security clearance operation to counter criminal gangs' activities in the State.

🚩 Incident N*12:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** BANDITRY/ABDUCTION
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** A member of the Hunters Association of Nigeria was reportedly killed and five (5) others

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including the deceased's wife and son abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Magamar-Jibia Town in Jibia LGA of Katsina State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.

- 📍 **Location:** Magamar-Jibia Town in Jibia LGA of Katsina State.
- 📍 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male killed, five people (3 males, 1 female, 1 minor) abducted.
- 📍 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents, local hunter.
- 📍 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command have been deployed to rescue the abducted victims and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

📍 Incident N*13:

- 📍 **Title of Incident:** ARREST/FRAUD
- 📍 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 📍 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024
- 📍 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Nigeria Security and Civil Defence Corps (NSCDC) reportedly arrested a suspected fraudster in a security operation conducted at Sagai Quarters in Kano Municipal LGA of Kano State.
- 📍 **Location:** Sagai Quarters in Kano Municipal LGA of Kano State.
- 📍 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 📍 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected fraudster.
- 📍 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect is in the custody of the NSCDC for further interrogation.

📍 Incident N*14:

- 📍 **Title of Incident:** ARMED BANDITRY
- 📍 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 📍 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024
- 📍 **Description of Incident:** The abducted District Head of Gatawa District was reportedly killed by suspected armed bandits over failure to secure a ransom at Sokoto State. The victim and his son were abducted by the suspects in July 2024.
- 📍 **Location:** Sokoto State.
- 📍 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male killed.
- 📍 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/District Head of Gatawa District.
- 📍 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There was no reported intervention as of reporting time.

📍 Incident N*15:

- 📍 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ROBBERY/ARREST
- 📍 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 📍 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024
- 📍 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected armed robber and recovered two (2) motorcycles in a foiled armed robbery attack at Ekom Imani Axis in Akwa Ibom State.
- 📍 **Location:** Ekom Imani Axis in Akwa Ibom State.
- 📍 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 📍 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected armed robber, community residents.
- 📍 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced investigation to apprehend other fleeing suspects.

📍 Incident N*16:

- 📍 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ROBBERY
- 📍 **Scale of incident:** Low

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🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** A staff member of the Nigeria Television Authority (NTA) was reportedly stabbed to death and his mobile phone stolen in an attack carried out by suspected armed robbers at Central Business District in Abuja Municipal Area Council of the FCT.

🚩 **Location:** Central Business District in Abuja Municipal Area Council of the FCT.

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

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** One mobile phone stolen/NTA staff member.

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

🚩 **Incident N*17:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** INTERNET FRAUD/ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Economic and Financial Crimes Commission (EFCC) reportedly arrested 22 suspected internet fraudsters in a security operation conducted at Benin City in Edo State. Ten vehicles, several mobile phones and laptop computers recovered.

🚩 **Location:** Benin City in Edo State.

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

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

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

🚩 **Incident N*18:**

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

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Four (4) police operatives were reportedly killed, and an operational vehicle set ablaze in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at Four Corner Junction in Ozalla Community in Nkanu West LGA of Enugu State. The enforcement of the Monday sit-at-home order by the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.

🚩 **Location:** Four Corner Junction in Ozalla Community in Nkanu West LGA of Enugu State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Four male police operatives killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Police vehicle destroyed/police operatives.

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

🚩 **Incident N*19:**

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

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested two (2) suspected drug traffickers in a security operation conducted at Edo State. Indian hemp and other illicit drugs, 2 firearms, and 9 live cartridges were recovered. The operational vehicle of the police operatives was also damaged by the suspects.

🚩 **Location:** Edo 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 for further interrogation.

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🚩 Incident N*20:

🚩 **Title of Incident: ARREST**

🚩 **Scale of incident: Low**

🚩 **Date of Occurrence: 20/8/2024**

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command attached to the State Taskforce on Environment and Miscellaneous Offences reportedly arrested four (4) suspected illegal petroleum dealers and recovered 2,000 litres of petroleum products in a security raid conducted at Mile 2 Oke, along Oshodi-Apapa Road in Amuwo Odofin LGA of Lagos State. Several illegal structures and shanties were also demolished.

🚩 **Location:** Mile 2 Oke, along Oshodi-Apapa Road in Amuwo Odofin LGA of Lagos State.

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

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several shanties and illegal structures demolished/suspected illegal petroleum dealers.

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

🚩 Incident N*21:

🚩 **Title of Incident: ARREST**

🚩 **Scale of incident: Low**

🚩 **Date of Occurrence: 20/8/2024**

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested two (2) students at the Delta State Polytechnic suspected of being members of the Aro Bager Confraternity and recovered a firearm and 6 live cartridges in a security operation conducted at Otefe Ijomi Community in Oghara Area, Ethiope West LGA of Delta State.

🚩 **Location:** Otefe Ijomi Community in Oghara Area, Ethiope West LGA of Delta State.

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

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

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

🚩 Incident N*22:

🚩 **Title of Incident: ARREST**

🚩 **Scale of incident: Low**

🚩 **Date of Occurrence: 20/8/2024**

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested three (3) suspected kidnappers and foiled a kidnap attack in a security operation conducted at Ebute-Igbogbo Road in Ikorodu LGA of Lagos State.

🚩 **Location:** Ebute-Igbogbo Road in Ikorodu LGA of Lagos 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*23:

🚩 **Title of Incident: BANDITRY**

🚩 **Scale of incident: Medium**

🚩 **Date of Occurrence: 20/8/2024**

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Thirteen (13) people were reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at a local mining site at Unguwar Magoro Village in Gurmana Ward, Shiroro LGA of Niger State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

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- 🚩 **Location:** Unguwar Magoro Village in Gurmana Ward, Shiroro LGA of Niger State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Thirteen people killed.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security clearance operation to counter bandits' activities in the State.

🚩 Incident N*24:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Several people were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Bassa Community in Shiroro LGA of Niger State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- 🚩 **Location:** Bassa Community in Shiroro LGA of Niger State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Several people abducted.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is an ongoing security clearance operation to counter bandits' activities in the State.

🚩 Incident N*25:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested 41 criminal suspects and recovered weapons and illicit drugs in security raids conducted across Kano Metropolis in Kano State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Kano Metropolis in Kano 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*26:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST/FRAUD
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected fraudster and recovered fake dollar notes in a security operation conducted at Kiyawa LGA of Jigawa State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Kiyawa LGA of Jigawa State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected fraudster.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*27:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** DRUG TRAFFICKING/ARREST
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly arrested a suspected drug trafficker and recovered 288.8 kilogrammes of Indian hemp in a security operation

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conducted at Oghada Village in Uhunmwonde LGA of Edo State.

- 🚩 **Location:** Oghada Village in Uhunmwonde LGA of Edo 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 NDLEA for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*28:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** DRUG TRAFFICKING/ARREST
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly arrested two (2) suspected drug traffickers and recovered 267.5 litres of Skuchies and 18 grammes of Canadian Loud in a security operation conducted at Adeoyo Area in Ibadan City, Oyo State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Adeoyo Area in Ibadan City, Oyo 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 NDLEA for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*29:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION/CATTLE RUSTLING
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Twenty (20) people were reportedly abducted, and 5 cows rustled in attacks carried out by suspected armed bandits at Yaba Village in Malumfashi LGA of Katsina State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- 🚩 **Location:** Yaba Village in Malumfashi LGA of Katsina State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Twenty people abducted.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Five cows rustled/community residents.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command have rescued the abducted victims in a security operation conducted in the area.

🚩 Incident N*30:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** DRUG TRAFFICKING/ARREST
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly arrested a suspected drug trafficker and recovered 3,834 bottles of codeine-based syrup, 5,200 pills of Co-Codamol and 11,880 tablets of Rohypnol in a security operation conducted at Mushin LGA of Lagos State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Mushin LGA of Lagos 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 NDLEA for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*31:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** DRUG TRAFFICKING/ARREST
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly arrested a suspected drug trafficker and recovered 42,000 pills of Tramadol in a security operation conducted

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• MEDIUM

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• LOW

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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

along the Okene-Lokoja-Abuja Road in Kogi State.

🚧 **Location:** Okene-Lokoja-Abuja Road in Kogi 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 NDLEA for further interrogation.

🚧 **Incident N*32:**

🚧 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION

🚧 **Scale of incident:** Medium

🚧 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024

🚧 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly killed seven (7) suspected kidnapers in a security operation conducted at Ogebeke Nike Area in Enugu East LGA of Enugu State. Furthermore, the Command alleged that 20 other suspects have been killed in security operations conducted over the past 2 weeks in the State.

🚧 **Location:** Ogebeke Nike Area in Enugu East LGA of Enugu State.

🚧 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Seven suspects killed.

🚧 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected kidnapers.

🚧 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There are ongoing security clearance operations to counter the activities of armed criminal gangs in the State.

🚧 **Incident N*33:**

🚧 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION/RESCUE

🚧 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚧 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024

🚧 **Description of Incident:** Seven (7) people were reportedly abducted in attacks carried out by suspected armed bandits at Farar Kasa and Shanga Villages in Dutsinma LGA of Katsina State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.

🚧 **Location:** Farar Kasa and Shanga Villages in Dutsinma LGA of Katsina State.

🚧 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Seven people abducted.

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

🚧 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command have rescued the abducted victims and recovered an AK-47 rifle in the security operation conducted in the area.

🚧 **Incident N*34:**

🚧 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION/RESCUE

🚧 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚧 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024

🚧 **Description of Incident:** Three (3) people were reportedly abducted in attacks carried out by suspected armed bandits at Jibian Maje, Nasarawa, and Lankwasau Villages in Jibia LGA of Katsina State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.

🚧 **Location:** Jibian Maje, Nasarawa, and Lankwasau Villages in Jibia LGA of Katsina State.

🚧 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three people abducted.

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

🚧 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command have rescued the abducted victims in a security operation conducted in the area.

🚧 **Incident N*35:**

🚧 **Title of Incident:** ARREST

🚧 **Scale of incident:** Low

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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

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested two (2) criminal suspects and recovered a firearm and 2 live cartridges during a stop-and-search operation along Upper Sakponba Road in Ikpoba Okha LGA of Edo State.

🚩 **Location:** Upper Sakponba Road in Ikpoba Okha LGA of Edo 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*36:**

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

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Ten (10) community residents were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Moriki Community in Zurmi LGA of Zamfara State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.

🚩 **Location:** Moriki Community in Zurmi LGA of Zamfara State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Ten people abducted.

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

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

🚩 **Incident N*37:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** **VIOLENT EXTREMIST ATTACK**

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Four (4) farmers were reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected Boko Haram terrorists at Kerawa Community in Gwoza LGA of Borno State.

🚩 **Location:** Kerawa Community in Gwoza LGA of Borno State.

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

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/farmers.

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

🚩 **Incident N*38:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** THEFT/ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested three (3) suspects for the alleged theft of motor vehicle parts at Ode-Omu Town in Ayedaade LGA of Osun State.

🚩 **Location:** Ode-Omu Town in Ayedaade LGA of Osun State.

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

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Motor vehicle parts stolen/suspected thieves.

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

🚩 **Incident N*39:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ROBBERY/ARREST

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• LOW

- o Low effect on Political destabilisation
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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

- ✚ **Scale of incident:** Low
- ✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024
- ✚ **Description of Incident:** Two (2) residents were reportedly robbed of their valuables in an attack carried out by a suspected armed gang at Aladinma Area in Owerri North LGA of Imo State.
- ✚ **Location:** Aladinma Area in Owerri North LGA of Imo State.
- ✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- ✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several valuables stolen/community residents, suspected armed robber.
- ✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command have reportedly arrested a suspect and recovered a firearm in a security operation conducted in the area.

✚ **Incident N*40:**

- ✚ **Title of Incident:** SHOOTING
- ✚ **Scale of incident:** Low
- ✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024
- ✚ **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly shot a commercial motorcyclist dead during a security operation to disperse a violent altercation among youths at Barkin Sale Area in Chanchaga LGA of Niger State.
- ✚ **Location:** Barkin Sale Area in Chanchaga LGA of Niger State.
- ✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male killed.
- ✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/commercial motorcyclist.
- ✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Police Command has commenced investigation to ascertain the circumstances leading to the shooting.

✚ **Incident N*41:**

- ✚ **Title of Incident:** INTERNET FRAUD/ARREST
- ✚ **Scale of incident:** Low
- ✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024
- ✚ **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Economic and Financial Crimes Commission (EFCC) reportedly arrested a suspected internet fraudster in a security operation conducted at Lugbe Area in Abuja Municipal Area Council of the FCT. A sum of cash, 3 vehicles, 3 mobile phones, jewellery, a laptop computer and 3 landed properties were recovered.
- ✚ **Location:** Lugbe Area in Abuja Municipal Area Council of the FCT.
- ✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- ✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected internet fraudster.
- ✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspect is in the custody of the EFCC for further interrogation.

✚ **Incident N*42:**

- ✚ **Title of Incident:** VIOLENT EXTREMIST ATTACK/ABDUCTION
- ✚ **Scale of incident:** Low
- ✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024
- ✚ **Description of Incident:** Two (2) people were reportedly abducted, and 2 vehicles stolen in an attack carried out by suspected Boko Haram terrorists at Mobbar LGA of Borno State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- ✚ **Location:** Mobbar LGA of Borno State.
- ✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two males abducted.
- ✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** Two vehicles stolen/community residents.
- ✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There was no reported intervention as at reporting time.

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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

Incident N*43:

Title of Incident: ARREST

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 22/8/2024

Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested two (2) suspected gunrunners in a security operation conducted at Ileh Community in Ekpoma Area, Esan West LGA of Edo State. Firearm fabrication implements, 31 firearms, and 13 live cartridges were recovered.

Location: Ileh Community in Ekpoma Area, Esan West LGA of Edo State.

Casualty [Male & female]: No casualty reported.

Property damaged/Affected population: No property damaged/suspected gunrunners.

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

Incident N*44:

Title of Incident: ARREST/VANDALISM

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 22/8/2024

Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspect for the vandalism and theft of air conditioning units and electricity cables at Iloso Community in Sagamu LGA of Ogun State. All stolen items were also recovered from the suspect.

Location: Iloso Community in Sagamu LGA of Ogun State.

Casualty [Male & female]: No casualty reported.

Property damaged/Affected population: Air conditioning units and electricity cables vandalized/community residents, suspected burglar.

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

Incident N*45:

Title of Incident: ARREST

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 22/8/2024

Description of Incident: The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected gunrunner and recovered 3 firearms and 3 live cartridges in a security operation along Jos-Bauchi Road in Bauchi State.

Location: Jos-Bauchi Road in Bauchi 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*46:

Title of Incident: VIOLENT EXTREMIST ATTACK/ABDUCTION

Scale of incident: Low

Date of Occurrence: 22/8/2024

Description of Incident: Seven (7) people including two (2) females were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected Boko Haram terrorists at Muria-Walada Axis in Mobbar LGA of Borno State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.

Location: Muria-Walada Axis in Mobbar LGA of Borno State.

Casualty [Male & female]: Seven people (5 males, 2 females) abducted.

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

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

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

🚩 **Incident N*47:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** INTERNET FRAUD/ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 22/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Economic and Financial Crimes Commission (EFCC) reportedly arrested fourteen (14) suspected internet fraudsters in a security operation conducted at Federal Low Cost Housing Estate in Makurdi LGA of Benue State. Several mobile phones, charms and laptop computers recovered.

🚩 **Location:** Federal Low Cost Housing Estate in Makurdi LGA of Benue State.

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

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

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

🚩 **Incident N*48:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 22/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command, Nigerian Army and Nigeria Security and Civil Defence Corps (NSCDC) reportedly arrested two (2) suspected members of the Indigenous People of Biafra (IPOB) in security raids conducted in Anambra State.

🚩 **Location:** Anambra State.

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

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

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

🚩 **Incident N*49:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 22/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested two (2) suspected cattle rustlers in a security operation conducted at Kujama Area in Chikun LGA of Kaduna State.

🚩 **Location:** Kujama Area in Chikun LGA of Kaduna State.

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

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

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

🚩 **Incident N*50:**

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

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 22/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested three (3) suspected kidnapers in security operations conducted at Soba and Kajuru LGAs of Kaduna State. Further investigation has allegedly revealed that the suspects had been issuing threats to residents, demanding a specified ransom in exchange for their safety.

🚩 **Location:** Soba and Kajuru LGAs of Kaduna State.

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

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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged /suspected kidnapers.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*51:

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

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 22/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Three (3) people were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Yan Ukku Village in Garbadu Ward, Talata Mafara LGA of Zamfara State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime. Several domestic livestock and personal properties were also stolen by the suspects.

🚩 **Location:** Yan Ukku Village in Garbadu Ward, Talata Mafara LGA of Zamfara State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three people abducted.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several domestic livestock and valuables stolen/community residents.

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

🚩 Incident N*52:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** DRUG CONTROL ENFORCEMENT

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly recovered a shipment of 319,200 bottles of codeine-based syrup in a security operation conducted at Tincan Seaport in Apapa LGA of Lagos State.

🚩 **Location:** Tincan Seaport in Apapa LGA of Lagos State.

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

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

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There are ongoing efforts by NDLEA to apprehend the cartel behind the illicit drug shipments.

🚩 Incident N*53:

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

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Seven (7) people including a District Head, and a female were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Gurzan Kurama Community in Kauru LGA of Kaduna State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.

🚩 **Location:** Gurzan Kurama Community in Kauru LGA of Kaduna State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Seven people (6 males, 1 female) abducted.

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

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

🚩 Incident N*54:

🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ATTACK

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Six (6) people were reportedly killed, and several others injured in attacks carried out by suspected armed herders at Iwari and Olegagbane Communities in Agatu LGA of Benue State. The motive behind

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• LOW

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

the attack is unknown.

- 🚩 **Location:** Iwari and Olegagbane Communities in Agatu LGA of Benue State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Six people killed, several people injured.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is no intervention as of reporting time.

🚩 Incident N*55:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** VANDALISM/ARREST
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Nigerian Army and the Nigeria Security and Civil Defense Corps (NSCDC) reportedly arrested nine (9) suspected rail track vandals in a joint security operation conducted at Zango Village in Tafawa Balewa LGA of Bauchi State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Zango Village in Tafawa Balewa LGA of Bauchi State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Rail tracks vandalized/suspected rail track vandals.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the NSCDC for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*56:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ROBBERY
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** A security guard was reportedly injured in an attack carried out by suspected armed robbers on a radio station, Ajilete 92.1 FM at Gambari Area in Surulere LGA of Oyo State. Several electric cables and equipment were also stolen.
- 🚩 **Location:** Gambari Area in Surulere LGA of Oyo State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male injured.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several electric cables and equipment stolen/security guard, radio station management team.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The injured victim has been taken to the hospital for medical treatment.

🚩 Incident N*57:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARMED ACTION
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** A joint team of security operatives of the State Police Command, the Nigerian Army and the Department of State Services (DSS) reportedly killed a suspected kidnapper, arrested two (2) others and rescued 27 people abducted victims including the twenty (20) medical students in a security operation on a criminal hideout at Ntunkon Forest in Ado LGA of Benue State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Ntunkon Forest in Ado LGA of Benue State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male suspect killed.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/medical students, community residents, suspected kidnappers.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*58:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** VIOLENT EXTREMIST ATTACK/RIVALRY CLASH BETWEEN TERRORIST GROUPS
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** High

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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

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** 69 people including Boko Haram terrorists and abducted community residents were reportedly killed by suspected Islamic State of West Africa Province (ISWAP) terrorists at Marte LGA of Borno State. Further findings reveal that the execution was carried out over various allegations and the existing rivalry between both insurgent groups.

🚩 **Location:** Marte LGA of Borno State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Sixty-nine people killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected Boko Haram terrorists, community residents.

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

🚩 **Incident N*59:**

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

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** A male resident was reportedly killed, a female injured and nine (9) others including two (2) females, and two (2) minors abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at Lokogoma Community in Gadabuke District, Toto LGA of Nasarawa State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.

🚩 **Location:** Lokogoma Community in Gadabuke District, Toto LGA of Nasarawa State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male killed, one female injured, nine people (5 males, 2 females, 2 minors) abducted.

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

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

🚩 **Incident N*60:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** VIOLENT EXTREMIST ATTACK/ARSON/ RIVALRY CLASH BETWEEN TERRORIST GROUPS

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Three (3) suspected Islamic State of West Africa Province (ISWAP) tax collectors were reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected Boko Haram terrorists at Kwariya Village in Marte LGA of Borno State. Several motorcycles were also set ablaze in the attack.

🚩 **Location:** Kwariya Village in Marte LGA of Borno State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three ISWAP members killed.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several motorcycles destroyed/ISWAP members.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There was no reported intervention as at reporting time.

🚩 **Incident N*61:**

🚩 **Title of Incident:** VIOLENT CLASH/ARSON/ARREST

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 24/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Several people including two (2) police operatives were reportedly killed, and several others including three (3) police operatives injured in a clash between members of the Islamic Movement of Nigeria (IMN) and operatives of the State Police Command at a security checkpoint during an annual religious rally by IMN members at Wuse Area in Abuja Municipal Area Council of the FCT. Several police patrol vehicles were also set ablaze in the clash.

🚩 **Location:** Wuse Area in Abuja Municipal Area Council of the FCT.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Several people (2 police operatives) killed, several people (3 police operatives) injured.

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• 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

- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Police patrol vehicles destroyed/police operatives, IMN members.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command have arrested several IMN members for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*62:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 24/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested two (2) suspected gunrunners and recovered a firearm and 5 X 9mm live ammunition in a security operation conducted in Kaduna State.
- 🚩 **Location:** Kaduna State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected gunrunners.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*63:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** DRUG TRAFFICKING/ARREST
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 24/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested six (6) suspected drug dealers and cultists in a security raid conducted at Afaha Offiong Community in Nsit Ibom LGA of Akwa Ibom State. Illicit drugs were recovered.
- 🚩 **Location:** Afaha Offiong Community in Nsit Ibom LGA of Akwa Ibom State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected hoodlums.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

🚩 Incident N*64:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 24/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** A Director with the Rivers State Board of Internal Revenue Service was reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by a suspected armed gang at Okrika Waterfront Area in Port Harcourt LGA of Rivers State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- 🚩 **Location:** Okrika Waterfront Area in Port Harcourt LGA of Rivers State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One male abducted
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/civil servant.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command have been deployed to rescue the abducted victim and apprehend the perpetrators of the crime.

🚩 Incident N*65:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** ARREST/THEFT
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 24/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the Nigeria Security and Civil Defence Corps (NSCDC) reportedly arrested five (5) suspects over the alleged diversion of 2 trucks conveying 70 metric tonnes of fertilizers at

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• MEDIUM

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• LOW

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

Mararaban Jama'a Area in Jos South LGA of Plateau State. Further investigation reveals that the items meant for Lagos and Oyo States were being diverted to Bauchi State.

- 📍 **Location:** Mararaban Jama'a Area in Jos South LGA of Plateau State.
- 📍 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 📍 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/transporters.
- 📍 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the NSCDC 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*66:

- 📍 **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION/ARREST
- 📍 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 📍 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/8/2024
- 📍 **Description of Incident:** A female resident was reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang at Obinze Area in Owerri West LGA of Imo State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.
- 📍 **Location:** Obinze Area in Owerri West LGA of Imo State.
- 📍 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Obinze Area in Owerri West LGA of Imo State.
- 📍 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community resident, suspected armed gang.
- 📍 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command have rescued the abducted victim, arrested five (5) suspects and recovered a firearm in a rescue operation conducted in the area.

📍 Incident N*67:

- 📍 **Title of Incident:** PHYSICAL ASSAULT /ARREST
- 📍 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 📍 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024
- 📍 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a married couple for physically assaulting their 8-year-old female house help at Ikpoba Hill in Ikpoba Okha LGA of Edo State.
- 📍 **Location:** Ikpoba Hill in Ikpoba Okha LGA of Edo State.
- 📍 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One female minor injured.
- 📍 **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. Also, the injured victim has been taken to the hospital for medical treatment.

📍 Incident N*68:

- 📍 **Title of Incident:** ARREST/THEFT
- 📍 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 📍 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024
- 📍 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a 25-year-old female employee for the alleged diversion of company proceeds into her personal account in Lagos State.
- 📍 **Location:** Lagos State.
- 📍 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 📍 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/female employee.
- 📍 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The arrested suspects are in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation.

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• LOW

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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

🚩 Incident N*69:

🚩 **Title of Incident: ARREST/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command and officials of the Ministry of Women's Affairs and Social Welfare reportedly arrested a female resident for allegedly inflicting injuries on her 13-year-old nephew with a heated pressing iron over domestic issues at Anambra State.

🚩 **Location:** Anambra State.

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

🚩 **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. Also, the injured victim has been taken to the hospital for medical treatment.

🚩 Incident N*70:

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

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Three (3) people including a female, and two (2) male minors were reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed bandits at Galadimawa Village in Igabi LGA of Kaduna State. The abducted victims are the wife and children of the Village Head who was allegedly the prime target of the attack. Also, the victims' residence was vandalized in the attack.

🚩 **Location:** Galadimawa Village in Igabi LGA of Kaduna State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Three people (1 female, 2 minors) abducted.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Home vandalized/Village Head's family members.

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

🚩 Incident N*71:

🚩 **Title of Incident: PHYSICAL ASSAULT**

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** A female resident was reportedly injured in a physical assault by group of women at Calabar Area in Cross River State. The reason behind the assault is unknown.

🚩 **Location:** Calabar Area in Cross River State.

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

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

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

🚩 Incident N*72:

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

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly arrested five (5) suspected female drug traffickers and recovered 6.97 kilogrammes of Ghanaian Loud in a security operation conducted at Seme Border Area in Badagry LGA of Lagos State.

🚩 **Location:** Seme Border Area in Badagry LGA of Lagos State.

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

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

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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

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

✚ **Incident N*73:**

✚ **Title of Incident:** ABDUCTION

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024

✚ **Description of Incident:** A female student at the Federal University of Agriculture, Abeokuta (FUNAAB) was reportedly abducted in an attack carried out by suspected armed gang along Ikorodu Road in Lagos State. Kidnapping for ransom has been attributed as the motive behind the crime.

✚ **Location:** Ikorodu Road in Lagos State.

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

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

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

✚ **Incident N*74:**

✚ **Title of Incident:** RAPE/MURDER/ARREST

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 22/8/2024

✚ **Description of Incident:** A 13-year-old female was reportedly defiled and killed by suspected illegal miners at Tipper Garage Area in Gwagwalada Area Council of the FCT.

✚ **Location:** Tipper Garage Area in Gwagwalada Area Council of the FCT.

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

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community resident, suspected illegal miners.

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the FCT Police Command have arrested seven (7) suspects for further interrogation.

✚ **Incident N*75:**

✚ **Title of Incident:** ARREST

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024

✚ **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a suspected female gunrunner and recovered 124 rounds of live anti-aircraft ammunition and cash in a security operation conducted in Nasarawa State.

✚ **Location:** Nasarawa 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*76:**

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

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024

✚ **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) reportedly arrested two (2) suspected female drug traffickers and recovered quantities of Canadian Lound and confectionaries laced with illicit drug substances in security operations conducted at Egor LGA of Edo State.

✚ **Location:** Egor LGA of Edo State.

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

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/suspected drug traffickers.

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- o High Capacity of the state to respond

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

✚ Incident N*77:

✚ **Title of Incident:** RAPE/ARREST

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 24/8/2024

✚ **Description of Incident:** A 10-year-old female was reportedly defiled by a 35-year-old male at Agba Community in Boripe LGA of Osun State.

✚ **Location:** Agba Community in Boripe LGA of Osun State.

✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** One female minor raped.

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

✚ **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The perpetrator of the crime is in the custody of the State Police Command for further interrogation following his arrest by personnel of the Osun State Amotekun Corps.

✚ Incident N*78:

✚ **Title of Incident:** ARREST/SEXUAL ASSAULT

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 24/8/2024

✚ **Description of Incident:** The operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested a 37-year-old Quranic instructor for the alleged abduction and sexual abuse of two (2) male minors aged 12 and 13-years-old at Udubo Village in Gamawa LGA of Bauchi State.

✚ **Location:** Udubo Village in Gamawa LAG of Bauchi State.

✚ **Casualty [Male & female]:** Two male sexually abused.

✚ **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents, Quranic instructor.

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

✚ Incident N*79:

✚ **Title of Incident:** MURDER

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 24/8/2024

✚ **Description of Incident:** A female resident was reportedly killed in an attack carried out by suspected hoodlums at Makurdi LGA of Benue State. The motive behind the attack is unknown.

✚ **Location:** Makurdi LGA of Benue State.

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

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

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

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*80:

✚ **Title of Incident:** PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION/THREAT

✚ **Scale of incident:** Low

✚ **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024

✚ **Description of Incident:** Members of the Association of Resident Doctors (ARD) at the Usmanu Danfodiyo

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University Teaching Hospital (UDUTH) reportedly conducted a peaceful demonstration at UDUTH in Sokoto Area of Sokoto State to demand the release of a female colleague who has been in captivity following her abduction by suspected bandits at the National Eye Centre in Kaduna State on December 27, 2023. The protesters have given a 1-week ultimatum for the release of the victim and threatened to embark on a nationwide strike.

- 🚩 **Location:** Sokoto Area of Sokoto State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/ARD members.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There was no reported intervention as of reporting time.

🚩 Incident N*81:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** BOAT MISHAP
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Medium
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Ten (10) passengers including a minor reportedly died in a boat mishap which was attributed to overloading in a river at Kauran Mata Community in Madobi LGA of Kano State. Five (5) survivors have been rescued by local divers with efforts ongoing to recover six (6) missing bodies.
- 🚩 **Location:** Kauran Mata Community in Madobi LGA of Kano State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Ten people including a minor dead.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Boat damaged/community residents.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Fire Service has commenced investigation to unravel the cause of the boat mishap. The ward head of Kauran Mata, has also urged the Kano State Government to provide modern speed boats equipped with life jackets to prevent similar tragedies in the future.

🚩 Incident N*82:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** BOAT MISHAP
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Four (4) people including two (2) females, and two (2) minors were reported dead in a boat mishap on the Benue River at Mayo Ranewo Community in Ardo Kola LGA Taraba State. The cause of the mishap is unknown.
- 🚩 **Location:** Benue River at Mayo Ranewo Community in Ardo Kola LGA Taraba State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Four people (2 females, 2 minors) dead.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** One boat damaged/passengers.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Local divers have been deployed to rescue several other victims.

🚩 Incident N*83:

- 🚩 **Title of Incident:** PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION/LAND DISPUTE
- 🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low
- 🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 21/8/2024
- 🚩 **Description of Incident:** Residents of Iddo-Sarki Community reportedly blocked the Umaru Musa Yar'adua Road in Abuja Municipal Area of the FCT in protest over the alleged destruction of crops by operatives of the Nigerian Navy. There is a lingering land dispute between the Nigerian Navy and the Iddo-Sarki Community.
- 🚩 **Location:** Umaru Musa Yar'adua Road in Abuja Municipal Area of the FCT
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several crops damaged/community residents.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The FCT Police Command has invited the Nigerian Navy and the community leadership towards a peaceful resolution of the issue.

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Incident N*84:

 **Title of Incident: VIOLENT DEMONSTRATION/ARREST**

 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 22/8/2024

 **Description of Incident:** Youths reportedly conducted a demonstration at Gatawa Community in Sabon Birni LGA of Sokoto State over the killing of the abducted District Head in bandits' captivity over the non-payment of ransom. The protesters accused the government of complicity in the abduction and killing of the victim. Public and private utilities including 25 housing units were also set ablaze by suspected miscreants during the protests.

 **Location:** Gatawa Community in Sabon Birni LGA of Sokoto State

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


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


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The operatives of the State Police Command have arrested several suspects for further interrogation. Furthermore, a curfew has been imposed to forestall a breakdown of peace and security in the affected area.


Incident N*85:

 **Title of Incident: PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION**


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 22/8/2024

 **Description of Incident:** Protesters including farmers, youths, community leaders and women groups reportedly conducted a peaceful rally at the Jigawa State Government House in Dutse LGA of Jigawa State to pass a vote of no confidence on the performance of the Commissioner for Agriculture and Natural Resources and to seek for his removal.

 **Location:** Jigawa State Government House in Dutse LGA of Jigawa State

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


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents, Commissioner for Agriculture and Natural Resources in Jigawa State.


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Government has commenced a dialogue process with the protest leaders towards coming to a mutually beneficial solution.


Incident N*86:

 **Title of Incident: PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION**


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 22/8/2024

 **Description of Incident:** Residents and community stakeholders reportedly conducted a demonstration at Orile-Imo Area in Obafemi-Owode LGA of Ogun State to express their opposition and demand the removal of a newly installed traditional leader in Orile-Imo. The protesters questioned the legitimacy of the process that led to the installation of the monarch.

 **Location:** Orile-Imo Area in Obafemi-Owode LGA of Ogun State.

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


 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents, traditional monarch


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

Incident N*87:

 **Title of Incident: PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION**

 **Scale of incident:** Low

 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024

 **Description of Incident:** Over 500 residents of Ukpok Community in Nnewi South LGA of Anambra State reportedly conducted a protest to the office of the Enugu Electricity Distribution Company (EEDC) over an alleged

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7-year electricity blackout in the community and the failure of the EEDC to provide prepaid meters to electricity consumers in the area.

- 📍 **Location:** Ukpor Community in Nnewi South LGA of Anambra State
- 📍 **Casualty [Male & female]:** No casualty reported.
- 📍 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents, EEDC personnel.
- 📍 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The management of the EEDC has commenced efforts to resolve the issues raised by the protesters.

📍 Incident N*88:

📍 **Title of Incident:** PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION

📍 **Scale of incident:** Low

📍 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024

📍 **Description of Incident:** Hundreds of indigenes of Akwa Ibom State reportedly barricaded the premises of the Nigeria National Petroleum Company Limited (NNPCL) in Port Harcourt LGA of Rivers State over the mysterious death of a staff member at the facility on August 20, 2024. The protesters have demanded tangible information on the circumstances surrounding the victim's demise and the receipt of the corpse for burial.

📍 **Location:** Port Harcourt LGA of Rivers State.

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

📍 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents, NNPCL personnel.

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

📍 Incident N*89:

📍 **Title of Incident:** BRIDGE COLLAPSE

📍 **Scale of incident:** Low

📍 **Date of Occurrence:** 23/8/2024

📍 **Description of Incident:** The Namnai Bridge along the Jalingo-Wukari Road in Taraba State reportedly collapsed following a heavy rainfall in the area. The bridge is old with several structural defects which have been mended over the years by the Federal Roads Maintenance Agency (FERMA).

📍 **Location:** Namnai Bridge along the Jalingo-Wukari Road in Taraba State.

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

📍 **Property damaged/Affected population:** One bridge damaged/road users.

📍 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** There is no intervention as at reporting time.

📍 Incident N*90:

📍 **Title of Incident:** BOAT MISHAP

📍 **Scale of incident:** Low

📍 **Date of Occurrence:** 24/8/2024

📍 **Description of Incident:** One (1) person was reported dead in a boat mishap which occurred on a river flowing through Okubie Community in Southern Ijaw LGA of Bayelsa State. The cause of the mishap is unknown.

📍 **Location:** Okubie Community in Southern Ijaw LGA of Bayelsa State.

📍 **Casualty [Male & female]:** One person dead.

📍 **Property damaged/Affected population:** One boat damaged/community residents.

📍 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** Local divers have rescued fourteen (14) other passengers on the capsized boat.

Environmental Security

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Incident N*91:


 **Title of Incident: FIRE OUTBREAK**


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 **Date of Occurrence:** 18/8/2024

 **Description of Incident:** Four (4) people including three (3) females were reported dead in a fire outbreak at Maiduguri LGA of Borno State.

 **Location:** Maiduguri LGA of Borno State.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Four people (1 male, 3 females) dead.

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


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The cause of the fire is unknown. Also, there is no intervention as of reporting time.

Incident N*92:

 **Title of Incident: MPOX OUTBREAK**


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024


 **Description of Incident:** The Nigeria Centre for Disease Control (NCDC) has confirmed an outbreak of Mpox with 521 suspected cases, and 39 confirmed cases across 19 States and the FCT since the beginning of the year 2024 in Nigeria¹. This alarming increase is linked to a new strain of the Mpox virus which emerged in eastern Congo and has since been detected in Kenya, Rwanda, and Uganda.

Mpox, previously known as monkeypox, is a rare viral zoonotic infectious disease (disease of animals transmitted from animals to humans) that is endemic in several African countries including the tropical rainforests of Central and West Africa. The exact reservoir of the virus is still unknown although rodents, squirrels and monkeys are suspected to play a part in transmission².

 **Location:** Nigeria.

 **Casualty [Male & female]:** 521 suspected cases, thirty-nine confirmed cases.


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


 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The NCDC has commenced efforts to mitigate the spread of the disease. Also, as part of efforts to mitigate the spread of Mpox, the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) has donated 10,000 Jynneos vaccines to Nigeria.

Incident N*93:

 **Title of Incident: PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION**


 **Scale of incident:** Low


 **Date of Occurrence:** 19/8/2024

 **Description of Incident:** Community youths from Ibeno LGA reportedly conducted a demonstration at the ExxonMobil gates at Ibeno LGA of Akwa Ibom State over an oil spill which affected 27 coastal communities cutting across Ibeno, Esit Eket and Onna LGAs in the State. The protesters have demanded the cleanup of the affected communities.

 **Location:** Ibeno LGA of Akwa Ibom State.

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

 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/community residents, ExxonMobil staff management.

 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The Director General, National Oil Spill Detection and Response Agency,

¹ The states with suspected Mpox cases are as follows: Ogun - 141, Lagos - 95, Bayelsa - 87, Kebbi - 19, Ondo - 18, Anambra - 18, FCT - 17, Benue - 17, Rivers - 10, Nasarawa - 14, Plateau - 11, Adamawa - 11, Abia - 10, Zamfara - 7, Edo - 6, Ebonyi - 6, Taraba - 5, Kano - 5, Oyo - 4, Gombe - 4, Kogi - 4, Jigawa - 3, Kwara - 3, Katsina - 2, Bauchi - 2, Sokoto - 1, and Kaduna 1. (<https://ncdc.gov.ng/news/237/update-on-covid-19-in-nigeria>)

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(NOSDRA), Chukwuemeka Woke, conducted an operational visit to the affected areas, and sued for peace among the protesting youths.

🚩 Incident N*94:

🚩 **Title of Incident: FIRE OUTBREAK**

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Two (2) churches and a furniture shop were reportedly destroyed in a fire outbreak at Felele Area in Ibadan South-West LGA of Oyo State. The cause of the fire is unknown.

🚩 **Location:** Felele Area in Ibadan South-West LGA of Oyo State.

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

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Two churches and a furniture shop destroyed/business owner, church members.

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

🚩 Incident N*95:

🚩 **Title of Incident: FLOOD**

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Medium

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 20/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Eleven (11) people reportedly died and about 300 farmlands and 200 houses affected in a flood disaster occasioned by a 3-day heavy rainfall at Gadiya Village in Gamawa LGA of Bauchi State.

🚩 **Location:** Gadiya Village in Gamawa LGA of Bauchi State.

🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Eleven people dead.

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** 300 hundred farms and 200 hundred houses damaged/community residents.

🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA) has commenced the distribution of relief materials to the affected residents.

🚩 Incident N*96:

🚩 **Title of Incident: ARREST/ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION**

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Low

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 22/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** The officials of the Kwara State Ministry of Environment and operatives of the State Police Command reportedly arrested two (2) males including a waste collector and a police operative for alleged violation of the State environmental law at Ilorin Axis of Kwara State. Preliminary investigation revealed that the arrested police operative aided and abetted the illegal waste disposal in the area.

🚩 **Location:** Ilorin Axis of Kwara State.

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

🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** No property damaged/waste collector, police operative.

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

🚩 Incident N*97:

🚩 **Title of Incident: FLOODING/BRIDGE COLLAPSE**

🚩 **Scale of incident:** Medium

🚩 **Date of Occurrence:** 22/8/2024

🚩 **Description of Incident:** Six (6) people were reported dead, and several properties including houses and farmlands destroyed in a flood occasioned by heavy rainfall at seven (7) communities in Madagali LGA of Adamawa State. The Shuwa Bridge in the area also collapsed in the incident.

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- 🚩 **Location:** Madagali LGA of Adamawa State.
- 🚩 **Casualty [Male & female]:** Six people dead.
- 🚩 **Property damaged/Affected population:** Several houses and farmlands damaged/community residents.
- 🚩 **Coping Mechanism/Responses:** The State Government through the State Emergency Management Agency has set up 10 temporary camps for the 6,000 displaced residents.