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Security situation

General description of the security situation in Nigeria

- **Recent security overview:** brief analytical overview of relevant political developments; long-standing security challenges and major conflicts (Boko Haram conflict; criminal violence and banditry; intercommunal/ethnic clashes; farmers and herders; criminal gang and oil-related violence; unrest in the former Biafra state, violent protests; cult-related violence; election-related violence); impact of economic situation on security; main security trends, including data.

- **Main actors**:

    - **State armed actors:** main actors (including state forces and self-defence/vigilante groups); current capacity and structure; modus operandi; their ability to secure law and order against the various security issues taking place in the country; reported cases of violations committed by them.

    - **Non-state armed actors**: (Boko Haram - ISWAP, JAS - IPOB, Lakurawa, farmers-herders, cults/confraternities, bandits/criminal gangs). Current capacity and structure; modus operandi; areas of operation and reach, control territory; goals and strategies; reported cases of violations committed by them.

Description of security situation per state and FCT

Each 36 state plus the FCT will include information on population number and ethnic composition; information on major security events and main actors (with cross-link to above section), type of violence (such as IED and airstrikes, targeted attacks by armed groups, intercommunal violence, organised crime/banditry, kidnappings, electoral violence); impact on the population (including data of security incidents and major illustrative examples, fatalities, road security and infrastructure damage; displacement, movement and return); state ability to

secure law and order. The report will provide individual state chapters, and organise the state-level information by geo-political region:

- **North-Central**
    - Benue
    - Federal Capital Territory
    - Kogi
    - Kwara
    - Nasarawa
    - Niger
    - and Plateau
- **North-East**
    - Adamawa
    - Bauchi
    - Borno
    - Gombe
    - Taraba
    - Yobe
- **North-West**
    - Jigawa
    - Kaduna

    - Kano
    - Katsina
    - Kebbi
    - Sokoto
    - Zamfara
- **South-East**
    - Abia
    - Anambra
    - Ebonyi
    - Enugu
    - Imo
- **South-South**
    - Akwa Ibom
    - Bayelsa
    - Cross River
    - Delta
    - Edo
    - Rivers
- **South-West**

- Ekiti
- Ogun
- Ondo
- Osun
- Oyo
- Lagos

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