

The Bedeviled Of Boko Haram Insurgency in Northern Nigeria

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, the research on Boko Haram insurgency in the Northern part of Nigeria is welcome. This intrigue is to solve and address the insurgency problem, the atrocity, the illegal operation problem and the fight for unknown reasons about western education by the Boko Haram sect in Nigeria. The method experimental analysis were validated from the Nigerian government, the northern governors, the northern Leaders, the religious perspective body and validation from journalist on Television network between August 2011 to February 2012. The results analyzed and experimented were conducted and validated on Pentium III, 120GB Hard disk, 1.8GB RAM and Microsoft Excel package.

KEYWORDS: Boko Haram, Insurgency, Bedeviled, Group, Sect

1. INTRODUCTION

Within the context of this research, the dynamical motive behind the insurgence of Boko Haram in Nigeria is classically overwhelming. As alarm has been raised by the Nigerian government over this group in the North creating tension in the mind of people, the leaders, the African and the world. As the name appears, Boko Haram is simply a group of people that came together to fight for the marginalization of the northern state and western Education. This group started from Fulani herd's men which are called "**BOKONLADI**" which means "**AGAINST WESTERN EDUCATION**". The Northern states are in turmoil and disorganize since the Boko Haram sect could not be control leading to a terrorist group in Nigeria and the world. There is Literature updates of research carried out on this field which includes:

Unigwe [1] pioneered Boko Haram is Nigeria enemy. He reported that Nigeria's bloody

violence isn't about religious division, it stems from one extremist group called Boko Haram while Prof. Yahaya [2] implemented phenomenon of Boko Haram in Nigeria. He reported that conspiracy against Nigeria is a deliberate design against individual or entity to bring it down to the benefit of the perpetrator and that we are in a situation in Nigeria where Halal and Haram has no dividing line and also George [3] established Boko Haram 'Holy War' on Nigeria. He reported that the sophisticated Boko Haram attack has many concerned about the group's possible links to international terrorists. The police officers and the Nigeria Army are patrolling the street, setting up numerous checkpoints to try and protect the vulnerable city of Kano from future Boko Haram attacks.

Furthermore; Anugrah [4] discovered Boko Haram kills more Christians in Nigeria. He reported that Nigeria's Islamist terror group Boko Haram, which killed numerous Christians in the recent past, has claimed responsibility

for a suicide attack on a church in the central city of Jos while Ohu [5] implemented BokoHaram in Nigeria. The role of corruption, religion and politics. He reported that there was an attack in the state of Kano that has killed many Muslims, more than two hundred people. The attacks go against the day to day coexistence between Christians and Muslims in Nigeria and also Chothia [6] pioneered who are Nigeria's Boko Haram Islamists. He reported that Nigeria's militant Islamist group BokoHaram which has caused havoc in Africa's most populous country through a wave of bombings and fighting to overthrow the government and create an Islamist state.

Finally, Nossiter [7] discovered in Nigeria, a deadly group's rage has local root. It was reported that in Kano Nigeria an imam's quiet office, two young men in long hooded robes, their faces hidden by checked scarves, calmly described their deadly war against the Nigeria state while Rasheed and Adisa [8] implemented BokoHaram: Sahel joint military command invites Nigeria. They reported that as the BokoHaram insurgency continues unabated, the Sahel joint military command, comprising militaries of Algeria, Mali, Mauritania and Niger invited Nigeria to join it for a combined counter- terrorism effort in the Sahel and Northern Nigeria.

2. PROBLEM IDENTIFIED

This section highlights the problems that could lead to BokoHaram insurgency in the Northern part of Nigeria.

2.1 POLITICIAN SPONSORSHIP

The intake and operation of BokoHaram sect originate from the sponsors by bad politician who want to frustrate the present government. As a quote which says "A toad never jumps at night except is being chased or is chasing something". This group has a full backing by this politician. They collect ransom for guns and ammunition during election and never

return them. The group called Bokonlady finally becomes independent and later emerges to carry out illegal operation leading to killing, fighting and bombing innocent citizen and at the end forms BokoHaram sect.

2.2 THE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE IN THE NORTH

The Northern part of Nigeria is generally poor as a result of unemployment. According to federal and state statistics, the number of unemployed youth has risen tremendously. The working youth are shifting to the capital from the rural area in search of white collar jobs, which are not available. At least, out of 100 youth, 72 are unemployed, 10 are employed and the rest are self-employed in the North. This is a big problem that must be tackled in the North. When such youth could not gain employment, they become beggars, hoodlums, drug traffickers and finally form a group to kill, steal and terrorize the rich and the masses on the verge of BokoHaram act.

2.3 LACK OF EDUCATIONAL TRAINING IN THE NORTH

A nation that his people are not educated will automatically remain uneducated. The Fulani herd's men and the Hausas among some are untrained, uneducated in the North. They lack western education as a result of negligence by their leaders and those in authority. The level of education is so low to the extent that every household in the rural area have school dropout and who can't write and read simple English. They simply become followers of evil perpetrators and carry out evil attacks. As a result of lack of education, they form groups and other dangerous movement by kidnapping, raping, bombing and finally form BokoHaram group.

2.4 POVERTY LEVEL IN THE NORTH

In Nigeria, the rate of poverty increase is alarming. The Northern part of Nigeria is not left out in this situation. The poverty level

among the people has made negative impact separating the rich from the poor. The more people in rural and urban are under poverty influence, the more dangerous act they commit. A family that cannot have one square meal a day is frustrated forcing the head of the family to look for a solution which could lead to group formation, kidnapping for ransom, killing trafficking and pirating. As poverty keeps on lingering in the North, people will keep on formation different groups like Boko Haram sect.

2.5 RELIGIOUS CLASHES

The religious clashes in the North may not be totally eradicated as the fight continues. This aspect has been the fore front of any disorder, crises, destruction and group formation in Nigeria. The Christian and Muslim clashes are not far from the insurgency experience in the North. As these clashes persist, they use guns, ammunitions, weapons and even rape and kill. The religious clashes may be a tool that could leads to BokoHaram insurgency in the Nigeria.

3. SOLUTION PROPOSED

This section highlights the solutions that would eradicate and eliminate BokoHaram insurgency in Northern Nigeria.

3.1 CAPITAL PUNISHMENT ON FAULTY POLITICIAN

The sponsorship of BokoHaram sect by bad politician is getting out of hand. This politician should be given capital punishment when they are identified and exposed to the public. The court of Law should be allowed to sentence a BokoHaram sponsors to a life jail. This will curtail and eradicate the insurgency and the effect of bad politician in the North.

3.2 ESTABLISHMENT OF AMNESTY PROGRAM

The amnesty integration group that was formed in Nigeria to bring peace and progress to the militant group in Niger Delta should be

established in the north. It would encourage the BokoHaram group to drop their weapons, guns and dangerous bombs they possess. As they do so, the government should sponsor the amnesty integration group, as is being done in the Niger Delta of Nigeria.

3.3 THE CREATION OF EMPLOYMENT IN THE NORTH

As it was mentioned in section 2.2, unemployment has eaten dip in the North. The Nigerian government should create jobs to ease unemployment. Both public and private parastatals should be involved. As these jobs are created and the working youth are occupied, they would think positively, be productive and be useful to the society. The idea of joining or forming a group like Boko Haram would not be possible. This is another kind of solutions that would eliminate and eradicate BokoHaram insurgency in the north.

3.4 PEACEFUL DIALOGUE

A nation without peace will always be in shamble. The menace of BokoHaram has eaten dip since 2011 and has brought crises, death, and destruction in the North. Another way of solving this problem is the establishment of peaceful dialogue between the government and BokoHaram sect. The Federal government with the coalition of the Northern leaders and governors should arrange a round table discussion with the BokoHaram group leaders to find out their grievances. This dialogue would establish an agreement and peace conduct that would put to end the lingering crises, killings and bombing in the North. The federal government and state government especially the Northern should fulfill their own agreement reached on the discussed dialogue while the BokoHaram should also fulfill theirs by surrounding their weapons, bombs, guns and ammunitions to embrace peace.

3.5 ENACTMENT OF TERRORIST AND RIOT ACT

The united nation has pronounced Boko Haram group in Nigeria as a terrorist group just like the Al'khada group. This terrorist group is dangerous and inhuman. A nation would never have peace when such terrorist group exists. The enactment of terrorist and riot act should be able to put an end to terrorism. Laws are meant for man and not man for law. Every citizen should be aware of terrorist and riot act decree. This act should contain massive and corporate punishment to any terrorist group such as BokoHaram sect up to maximum jail term and life sentence. The government should read and implement this act to all the citizen of the nation and the northern citizen who engage in BokoHaram group. As this act is enacted it would put a stop to the insurgency.

3.6 THE CONTROL OF RELIGIOUS CLASHES

From the onset, religious clashes have lingered for more than 30years in Nigeria. Both the Christian and Muslim leaders are perpetrating and sponsoring such clashes. The religious leaders should help to control the religious clashes between the Christians group and the Islamic group in their various places of worship rather than setting it on fire. Everyone should tolerate one another and see each one as human being and not animals. The leaders should teach, train and speak to their members on the dangers of killing, rioting, terrorism, bombing and forming terrorist groups. This is another way to stop the bedeviled of BokoHaram insurgency in the North.

4. RESULT AND DISCUSSION

This section highlight the result obtained from the analysis and sample of Nigeria government, the Northern governors, Religious Leaders and TV network on the level of destruction of Houses, Life's, Cars and Properties by the

BokoHaram insurgency in the North between the months of August 2011 to February 2012 in Nigeria.

Table 1: The Validation Table for analyzed data's

S/N	MONTHS	YEARS
1	AUGUST	2011
2	SEPTEMBER	2011
3	OCTOBER	2011
4	NOVEMBER	2011
5	DECEMBER	2011
6	JANUARY	2012
7	FEBRUARY	2012

% RATE OF DESTRUCTIVE IN THE NORTH

HOUSES	LIFE'S	CARS	PROPERTIES
18	9	10	34
25	16	6	22
33	30	11	47
50	40	30	63
57	75	42	76
60	68	50	61
52	35	43	48

Table 1. Represents the result of the analysis conducted from the samples of Nigeria government, the Northern governors, Leaders, Wikileaks, Religious leaders and the people victimized by BokoHaram in Nigeria. Between August 2011 to January 2012, the % rate of destruction of houses increases from 18% to 60% while in February 2012; there was a reduction to 50%.

From August 2011 to December 2011, the % rate of destruction of Life's increases from 9% to 75% and from December 2011 to February 2012, the % rate of destruction of Life's reduces from 75% to 35%.

Also, from August 2011 to September 2011, the % rate of destruction of cars decreases from 10% to 6% and from October 2011 to January

2012, there was increase from 11% to 50% while in February 2012, there was a reduction to 43%.

Finally, from August 2011 to September 2011, the % rate of destruction of properties reduces from 34% to 22% and from October 2011 to December 2011, there was increase from 47% to 76% and from December 2011 to February 2012, there was a reduction from 76% to 48%.

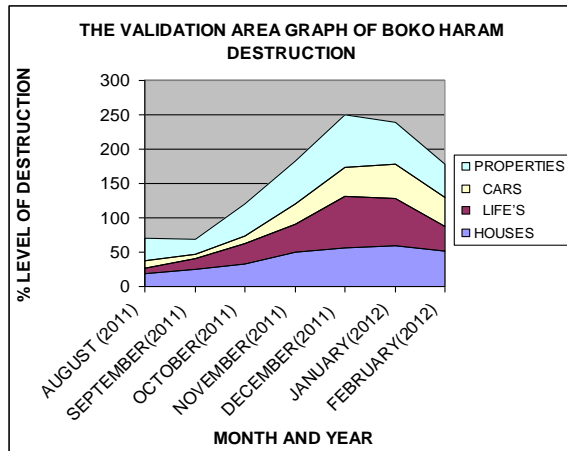


Figure 1. The Validation Area Graph occupied by the % rate of destruction by BokoHaram insurgency in the Northern part of Nigeria

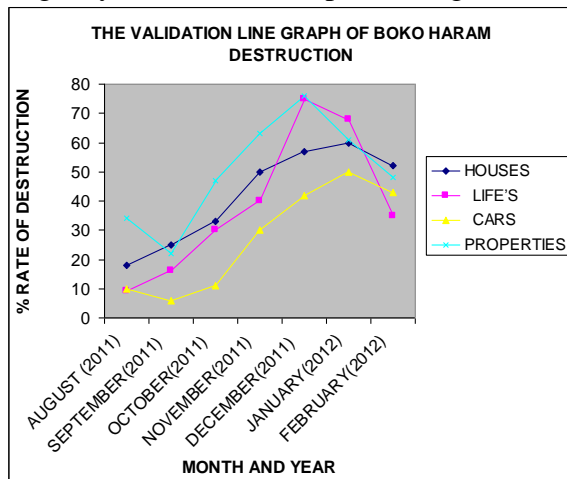


Figure 2. The Validation Line graph of Boko Haram destruction in the North

From the graph, figure 1. Represents the Validation Area graph of % rate of destruction by BokoHaram sect. The blue part shows the %

average area of destruction on houses. The total % area occupied is from 20% to 42% from August 2011 to February 2012 while the purple part represents the % average area of destruction on Life's. The overall % area occupied is from 32% to 125% and then drop to 73% from August 2011 to February 2012. The yellow part shows the % average area of destruction on cars. The total % area occupied is from 47% to 175% and later drop to 140% from August 2011 to February 2012 and finally, the pink part represents the % average area of destruction on properties. The overall % area is from 72% to 250% and later drop to 185% from August 2011 to February 2012.

From the graph, figure 2. Shows the Validation Line graph of BokoHaram destruction in the North. The yellow line shows the % level of destruction on cars. The total % level drop from 10% to 7% and rise 50% then later drop to 42% from August 2011 to February 2012 while the purple line represents the % level of destruction on life's. The overall % level grew from 10% to 75% and later drop to 35% from August 2011 to February 2012. The blue line shows the % level of destruction on houses. The total % level grew from 20% to 60% and then drop to 55% from August 2011 to February 2012 and finally, the light blue represents the % level of destruction on properties. The overall % level drop from 35% to 23% and then grew to 77% and later drop to 48% from August 2011 to February 2012.

CONCLUSION

In the paper, the result were sampled and analyzed with the necessary packages and the experimental analysis has proved to be robust, correct, efficient and authentic. The methods proposed are capable of controlling and eradicating BokoHaram insurgency in the Northern part of Nigeria when implemented. More papers would be presented in the future which includes; the effect of poverty level in



the North, the negligence of a girl child on education in the North.

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