

Forces Kill 11 Gaza 'Bandits' in First Quarter

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[Text] The Mozambique Armed Forces killed 11 armed bandits during operations mounted in Bilene, Gaza Province, during the first quarter of this year. Our Armed Forces during the same period freed a total of 218 citizens in Calange who were forced to live with the criminals. Military sources from the Magude battalion pointed out that the Calange bandit group was responsible for acts of sabotage and attacks on civilian vehicles along the road between Macia town and Bilene beach.