

## **FPLM Kills 14 'Armed Bandits,' Captures 3**

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[Text] Mozambique Armed Forces-FPLM units recently killed 14 armed bandits and captured 3 others as well as assorted war materiel in the Chibabava, Buzi, and Muanza districts of Sofala Province. During the operations, our forces destroyed three camps located in those districts. One of the bandits captured in Buzi district was a self-styled artillery chief. In Chibabava, the Mozambique Armed Forces freed 11 civilians who had been forced to live with the armed bandits.