Mozambique armed forces in Homoine kill 58 'armed bandits'

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The Mozambique Armed Forces stationed in Homoine district in Inhambane province killed 58 armed bandits during the first half of this year. According to our regional station, our forces also freed 585 civilians who were forced to live with the bandits. Our forces freed another 33 civilians held captive by the criminals, and recovered a number of goods belonging to the people at Mafuiane in Homoine district on 5th October.

Meanwhile in Vilanculos district, also in Inhambane, 35 armed bandits benefited from the amnesty law during the first half of this year. Twelve of them presented themselves to our authorities, with their respective weapons.