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**POLICE ARREST NINE FOR ROAD BLOCKING AND ROBBERY ON M1 ROAD AROUND
LIZULU IN NTCHEU**

The Malawi Police Service (MPS) informs the public of the arrest of nine thugs, suspected to be the criminals that were robbing motorists by blocking the M1 road with stones at Kachipeya near Lizulu Trading Centre in Ntcheu District.

The arrests, effected in the wee hours of today Wednesday, April 20, 2022, come after an intelligence driven raid was conducted by Ntcheu Police detectives. Some dangerous weapons including panga knives were seized from the suspects.

The suspects will appear before court soon.

The MPS calls upon the public to always report to their nearest police formation of any criminal activity or suspicious people in their areas, to help police in ensuring safer communities. Further, the MPS is assuring the public of continued police patrols and intelligence gathering along the M1 road in the District, to comb the area of any criminal element.



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