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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: IPOA TO INVESTIGATE ALLEGED EXTRAJUDICIAL KILLING OF SUSPECTED CARJACKER IN RUIRU

IPOA yesterday learnt of an incident in which a suspected carjacker was dragged out of a church and fatally shot. The already wounded suspect had sought refuge in *Israel Assemblies of God Church* in Kihunguro area, Ruiru Sub County when he was allegedly hauled out and summarily executed by police officers. The victim had already been allegedly shot him twice before he entered the church.

Upon becoming aware of the incident, IPOA through its own motion and in execution of its mandate this morning took up the matter up for investigations and establishment of culpability.

Separately, the Authority also learnt of an incident in which police officers on patrol brutally assaulted a 32-year-old man in Eldama Ravine town in Baringo County. The Authority has dispatched its Rapid Response team to investigate the matter.

In both incidents, on conclusion of investigations, if the police are found culpable of the allegations, the Authority will ensure the officers responsible face the full force of the law by making appropriate disciplinary or criminal remedial recommendations to the Director of Public Prosecutions or suitable Government Agencies.

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