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THE ROLE AND EFFECT OF KEY INSTITUTIONS IN MANAGING TORTURE IN NIGERIA:
APPRAISING NEW DEVELOPMENTS

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ABSTRACT

The issue of torture resonates. Criminal acts and criminality have been part of human nature. Institutions of governments have equally confronted the issue of torture variously. The international community in very strong terms has condemned the use of torture. Criminal acts are assuming a frightening dimension domestically and globally with rise of terrorism. Nigeria is not an exception as she daily battles with the insurgency of boko haram. The challenge really is in managing the security challenges within the limits of the rule of law.

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