**The Effects of Terrorism in Africa**

Africa and its occupants face a great terror that leaves echoes of fear and threatens the very bane of human existence. The effects of terrorism in Africa is a very delicate matter that needs to be investigated and addressed. Economic growth, international tourism demand, inflation rate and income inequality are some of the effects of terrorism in Africa.

Economic growth is one of the effects of terrorism in Africa. According to a recent study conducted by (Agu , Mbah and Agu, 2023), terrorism has had a significant negative impact on economic growth. Economic growth would have a higher chance of increase if terrorism would be decreased if not completely eradicated.

International tourism demand is also another area that is deeply affected by terrorism in Africa. Most tourists will seek safe and secure destinations and avoid those that have been plagued by terrorism (Liu and Pratt, 2017). Africa derives majority of its income from tourism hence if terrorism was eliminated, more income would be generated from the tourism sector.

Inflation rate has also been influenced by terrorism in Africa. According to (Liu and Pratt, 2017), terrorism has a negative impact on inflation in South-Saharan Africa. Clearly, terrorism affects inflation rate in Africa in that, the higher the rate of terrorism, the higher the rate of inflation.

Economic growth, international tourism demand and inflation rate are some of the proven effects of terrorism in Africa. There is need for terrorism to be abolished in order to foster economic development in Africa. However, African countries have taken measures to address effects of terrorism hence increasing safety and a better reputation for Africa.