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## Zambian stuck with ivory, 81 ieternagô cubes

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Francoise Steynberg - A Zambian man, Mr. Tumone Biemba, was allegedly caught on Katima Mulilo last week with one elephant tooth and 81 ieternagô scales.

According to the game crime report of 24 to 30 August by the Namibian police and the Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism, it was the only game crime incident.

In the weekly crime report of the Namibian police, the poaching of two black rhinos near Sesfontein was reported.

The incident took place between 24 and 28 August in the Otjomumbonde area in the Omatendeka Conservation Area during the Etendeka Tourism Concession.

"It is alleged that a black rhino cow and her calf were shot dead with an unknown firearm and their horns were removed," the report reads.

"The two rhinos were last seen alive last Monday by members of the anti-poaching unit when they were on patrol. The carcasses were discovered Friday.

The head of the Blue Rhino task force, Comm. Barry de Klerk, confirmed to Republikein no one has been arrested so far and the horns have also not been recovered.

The police investigation continues.

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