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Manyara. Two traffic police officers stationed at Mirerani Police Station in Simanjiro District have died after being struck by lightning while on duty on Tuesday, May 13.

The officers, identified as Joseph Nyamoko and Issa Masoud, were reportedly hit by lightning during a routine road safety operation in Mirerani township amid light rainfall. Their deaths have left the local community and police fraternity in mourning.