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Two people drown in Kiambere
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Feb. 05, 2015 By REUBEN GITHINJI

TWO people, including a diver drowned on Sunday in the Kiambere Hydro Electricity Dam in Mbeere South subcounty.

Patrick Njue, 19, drowned when his boat capsized.

Francis Kinuthia, 52, a diver drowned on Tuesday as he attempted to trace Njue's body.

Kengen divers were called in to join the rescue operation.

Mbeere South police boss Mathew Ekakoro the Kengen team are still searching for the bodies.

Kengen diver’s body found in Kiambere Dam
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