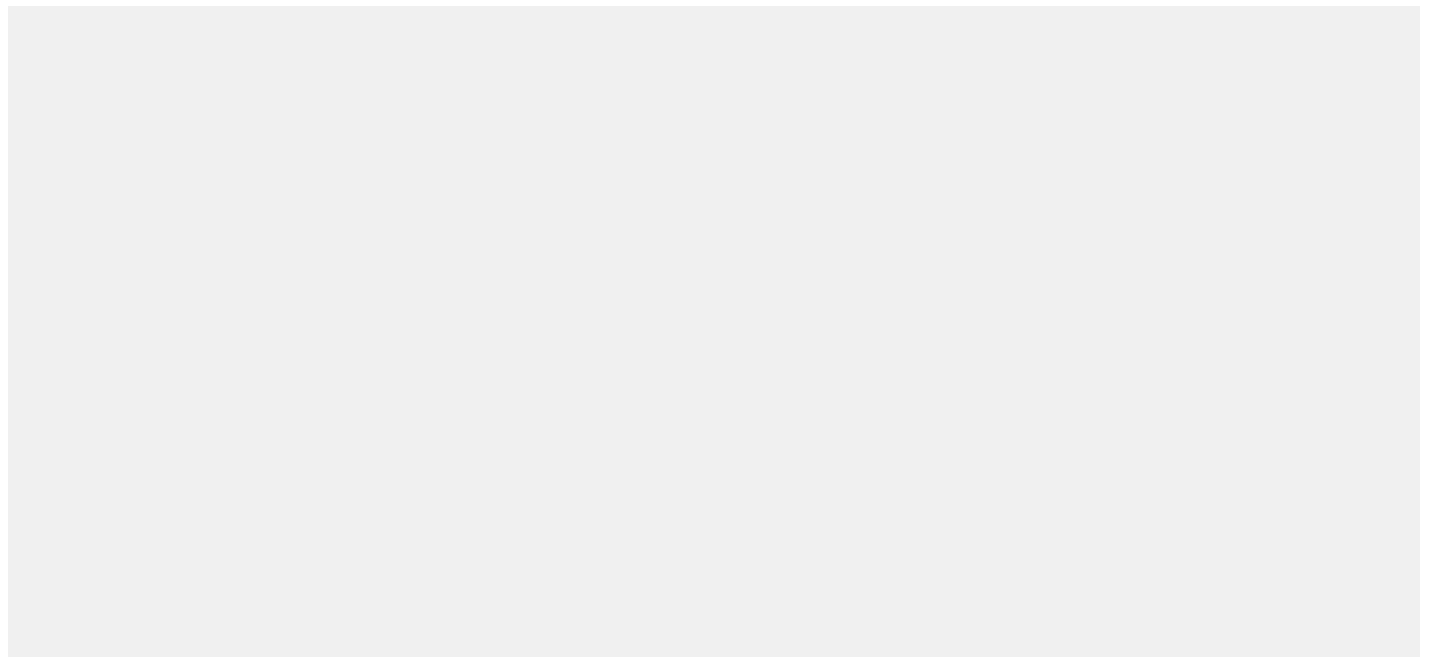


Two killed by speeding ENTRACO vehicle in Imo

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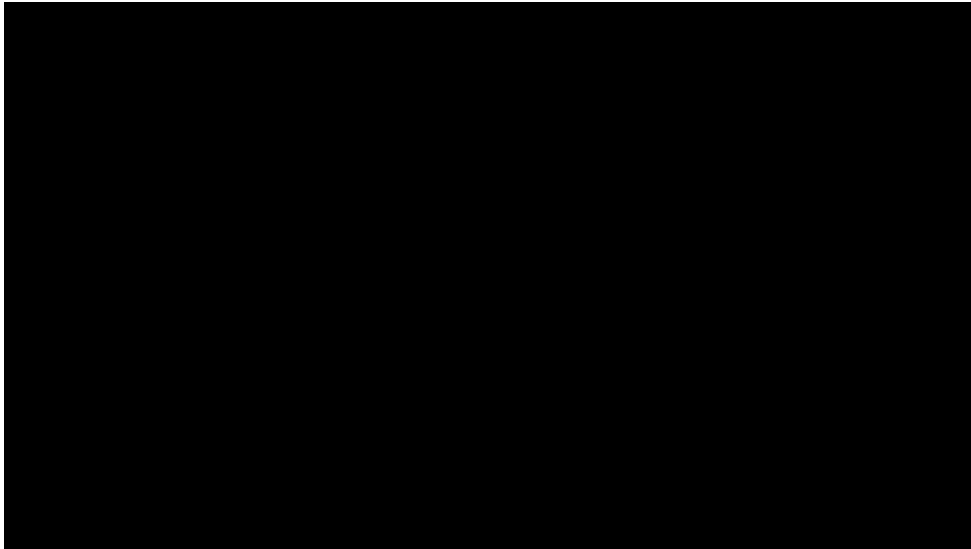
Two men on a motorbike were crushed to death by speeding operatives of the Environmental Transformation Commission in Owerri, the Imo State capital.

Already, the incident which happened along Akachi road, close to Wethedral Road on Monday afternoon, has elicited outrage over the alleged excesses of ENTRACO operatives.

Eyewitnesses said the bike man and his passenger were en route to Alaba spare parts market when ENTRACO operatives, who were travelling at top speed, rammed into them, which caused their deaths instantly.

A source, Chidiebube Okeoma, said, "They were on a bike heading to Alaba market when the government officials working as taskforce agents rammed into them and they died on the spot. The state government must stop these

guys from committing further mayhem in this state. They have done enough.”



A video of the victims our correspondent monitored on Monday showed one of the victims with his two legs totally crushed, with one foot hanging within the wheels of the bike, while the other had his head shattered. Both lay in the pool of their own blood.

Already, a spokesperson for a former Deputy Governor of Imo State, Dr Walter Duru, has called for the total ban of ENTRACO activities to safeguard the people.

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Duru wrote on his Facebook page, “ENTRACO leadership in Imo State should be prosecuted for murder. Enough of the killing of innocent citizens”.

In another post, he wrote, “Time to disband ENTRACO in Imo State. It’s now a rogue organisation.”

Godsight Nwaorgu wrote, “ENTRACO just killed two vibrant guys there this afternoon. Their legs and brains were torn into pieces. I didn’t know when tears fell from my eyes. ENTRACO has to end in Imo State; if not, we will come for them this time. One of the guys is even someone I know.”

Efforts to speak with the police spokesperson for Imo State Command, DSP Henry Okoye, proved abortive as his phone was switched off.

Meanwhile, efforts to get the reaction of the ENTRACO also proved abortive as the spokesperson for the General Manager, Darlington Ibekwe, had switched off.