

# Okada rider killed, 3 injured in Ilorin crash

**O**ne person was killed on the spot and another injured seriously in Ilorin when an *Okada* rider and his passenger crash into a motor-car at the Ministry of Agriculture round about close to Government Secondary School, Ilorin.

According to eye witness account, the Toyota Carina 11 car driven by one Mr. JA Adeoti, was heading towards Sango road from Fate road when the motorcyclist rammed into it killing one of them instantly.

Dr. Adeoti was taking a sick father to the clinic when the accident occurred at about 5:30 pm Tuesday.

The front and rear

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windscreen of the car were smashed while Dr. Adeoti, his sick father, sustained injuries and were rushed to the Unilorin Teaching Hospital.

The motorcycle regis-

tered KW QE143 ARP was also damaged with blood stains at the spot of the crash.

The eye witness account further revealed that Dr. Adeoti was not at fault but blamed the accident on over speeding and impatience of

the *Okada* rider.

Officials of the Federal Road Safety Commission (FRSC) later visited the scene to take records of the accidents and clear the road for smooth flow of traffic on the ever busy roundabout.

## Kwara CJC cleared of age declaration mix-up

**T**he dust raised over the official age declaration of the new Chief Judge of Kwara State, Justice Saka Yusuf, has been settled.

Chairman of the state Civil Service Commission, Alhaji Sheu Gafar said on the floor of the State House of Assembly, Ilorin, that any appointment and age of civil servant not gazetted was not authentic.

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Testifying at the public hearing of the House on the appointment of Justice Yusuf as the new Chief Judge of the state after allegedly attaining the retirement age of 70 years, Alhaji Gafar said the mix-up in the age of the new CJ was caused by administrative lapses.

In his remark, Justice Saka

Yusuf said "his birth date was erroneously put at 1937 instead of 1942 in his record of service.

Ekiti-Kwara indigenes had petitioned the Judicial Service Commission (JSC), the President and the state House of Assembly among others over the appointment of Justice Yusuf as the CJ after allegedly overstaying the retirement age for public service.