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4 die in Kogi auto crash

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FOUR persons died yesterday while 17 others sustained injuries in an auto crash which occurred at Okoni-Aku village along the Lokoja-Abuja highway. Witnesses said the accident, which occurred at about 3 am in the morning, involved a Toyota Hiace bus with registration number SM 882 KSS.

HE said the tyre of the bus burst, and it summer saulted several times.

Sector Commander of the Federal Road Safety Commission in Kogi State, Michael Olapade, who confirmed the incident, blamed it on tyre burst and over speeding.

He said their corpses have been deposited at the Kogi State Specialist Hospital while the injured persons have been taken to Aleri hospital.

Olapade called on drivers to always observe speed limit, saying most accidents could have been averted if the drivers of the vehicles were not on speed.

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