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3 DIE IN KOGI AUTO CRASH

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Three persons died while 17 others sustained serious injuries in an accident that occurred along the Okene Kabba highway yesterday.

A witness said the accident occurred around 11:35, when one of the vehicles involved in the overtook another dangerously and in the process collided with a vehicle which was approaching from the opposite direction.

Sector Commander of the Federal Road Safety Commission (FRSC) in Kogi State, Olakunle Motajo, who confirmed the accident, blamed it on wrong overtaking.

According to him, the accident involved a Toyota Siena bus with registration number KJA 42 XE and a Ford Galay vehicle with registration number LSD141XJ.

He said 20 people were involved in the accident and that three died on the spot while 17 others sustained injuries.

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