

Coca-Cola vehicle crushes girl in Kaduna

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An 18-year-old girl, Regina Solomon, was on Monday crushed to death in Kaduna by a Tata vehicle loaded with Coca-Cola products.

Regina was said to have been hit by the vehicle while trying to cross a road at Kujama in Chikun Local Government Area where she went to obtain her Permanent Voter's Card.

The police spokesperson in Kaduna, Yakubu Sabo, confirmed the incident.

He explained that: "It was an accident, the vehicle hit her, she sustained injuries and she was rushed to the hospital but unfortunately, she didn't make it as she gave up the ghost."

According to him, the driver has since been detained while the vehicle too has been impounded at the Sabon-Tasha divisional police station as investigation continues.

The deceased, it was gathered, was the first of the three children of her parents and had just been offered admission to study Pharmacy at Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria.