

3 die in Lagos-Ibadan road crash

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Three persons yesterday lost their lives in an accident involving two vehicles on the Lagos-Ibadan expressway.

Daily Trust gathered that the accident involving an Iveco truck marked AAB 414 ZY and a Toyota Cabster with registration number XUR 601 XY occurred on the Kara Bridge.

The spokesman of the Ogun Traffic Compliance and Enforcement Corps (TRACE), Babatunde Akinbiyi, who confirmed

the accident to newsmen, explained that the accident which occurred at about 1am was caused by over-speeding and brake failure on the part of the Toyota Cabster which rammed into the broken-down truck.

Akinbiyi stated that the truck was set ablaze by hoodlums who believed the accident was caused by the truck driver.

He further said, "It took the intervention of TRACE, the police and the Ogun State Fire Service before normalcy could be restored on the Kara Bridge."