

Lagos building collapse: Death toll hits 4, 15 rescued

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Rescue workers have recovered two additional bodies from the rubble of a collapsed three-story building in Lagos State, bringing the total death toll to four.

The building, which was under construction on Oriwu Street in Lekki Phase 1, collapsed around 4 p.m.

on Wednesday.

Authorities confirmed that two bodies were initially retrieved on Wednesday, while six critically injured individuals were rescued by emergency response teams.

Ibrahim Farinloye, the Territorial Coordinator of the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) for the South-West Region, said on Thursday that two more bodies were

found, and another adult male was rescued.

“As of Thursday morning, two additional bodies have been recovered from the rubble, bringing the total fatalities to four, while 15 people have been rescued from the scene,” he said.

Farinloye also noted that rescue operations are ongoing and urged the public to cooperate with emergency responders.