

Two feared dead, 10 vehicles burnt in tanker crash

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TWO persons were feared dead yesterday at Jebba, Moro Local Council Area of Kwara State, when a tanker loaded with premium motor spirit (PMS) skidded off its lane, fell and in the process, spilled the product on a nucleated settlement leading to a rampaging fire that lasted for over six hours before it could be put under control.

The sad fire incident, which equally gutted 10 vehicles and some unspecified number of buildings, has thrown the residents into a great grief, even as they called for the assistance of the state government towards alleviating their suffering.

According to sources, the fire started at dawn at a location called Success, near the Police Station at Garika. "Two men, who slept inside a beer parlour were burnt beyond recognition. It was very sad indeed", he said.

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