

The state Police Commissioner, Mohammed Indabawa, while

cided to assist the suspect and his family to procure travelling docu-

included a black Honda saloon car and blue Mits

## \* Eight die as truck crashes into vehicles in Lagos

AT least eight people were feared dead on Tuesday in Lagos when a truck veered off its lane and crashed into stationary vehicles at Oshodi.

Five vehicles were involved in the accident which occurred at the Oshodi 'Isale' Bus Stop on the Oshodi-Apapa Expressway, the News Agency of Nigeria (NAN) reports. It added that the lorry was coming from the Apapa end of the highway when the accident occurred.

The stationary vehicles involved in the accident included three commercial buses and a jeep. Witnesses at the scene shortly after the accident report that blood stained some portions of the road while luggage of the victims were scattered around the scene as transport manag-

ers pulled off the affected vehicles off the road to prevent a gridlock.

Mr Samuel Ogundayo, the Oshodi Unit Commander of the Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC) said 19 people were involved in the accident.

"A tipper had a break failure; 19 people were involved but eight died instantly. They have been taken to the General Hospital Ikeja and the Health Centre, Oshodi," he said.

However, an official of the Lagos State Transport Management Authority, who pleaded anonymity, said that five people died in the accident while five sustained injuries.

He said that the bodies of the dead had been taken to the General Hospital, Ikeja, while the wounded were taken to the Trauma Centre Oshodi.



• Ekiti State Deputy Governor at Oke Oriomi Street, Ado

## Five docked, remand in prison for