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Auto crash claims nine on Lagos-Ibadan road



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No fewer than nine persons were feared killed while others were critically injured in a motor accident along Lagos-Ibadan expressway on Saturday morning.

Assistant Corps Marshall, Federal Roads Safety Corps (FRSC), Kayode Olagunju, disclosed that the accident occurred when a trailer, belonging to BHN Logistics Limited, with registration No: KTU 451 XJ, rammed into two Mazda buses.

The driver of the trailer, realising the havoc he had done, took to his heels around KM 84, near Catholic turning point, along the expressway, where the accident occurred.

Olagunju, however, disclosed that the runaway driver, whose name he did not mention, was eventually arrested by vigilant FRSC officials attached to the Mowe Command in Ogun State.

Checks by *Sunday Independent* showed that fire fighters, FRSC officers and policemen from Mowe Police Division arrived the scene of the accident to take charge of situations on ground.