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Kerosene substance suspected to be adulterated yesterday sent two sisters around Osadenis in Asaba, Delta State to their death following power failure.

The two sisters simply identified as Paulyn and Stella were said to be between 15 and 16 years.

Reports said the two victims had attempted to put on their lantern after a power outage when the substance suddenly exploded in their faces and consumed them with their clothes.

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Residents of Asaba and its environs have in the last few weeks, been facing high cost of kerosene; as alleged adulterated product 'walked its way' into various markets.

Sources said though the official pump price of kerosene still remains N50.00 most stations apart from the NNPC sell the product between N140 and N150, thereby creating sharp practices among dealers.

It was learnt that the victims of the explosion were awaiting NECO Exam results and were full of life before the tragic incident.



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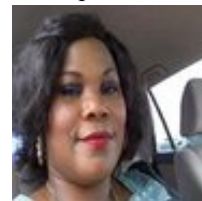
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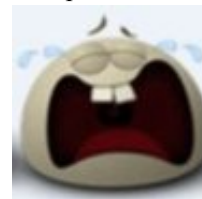
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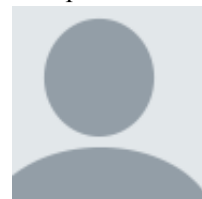
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