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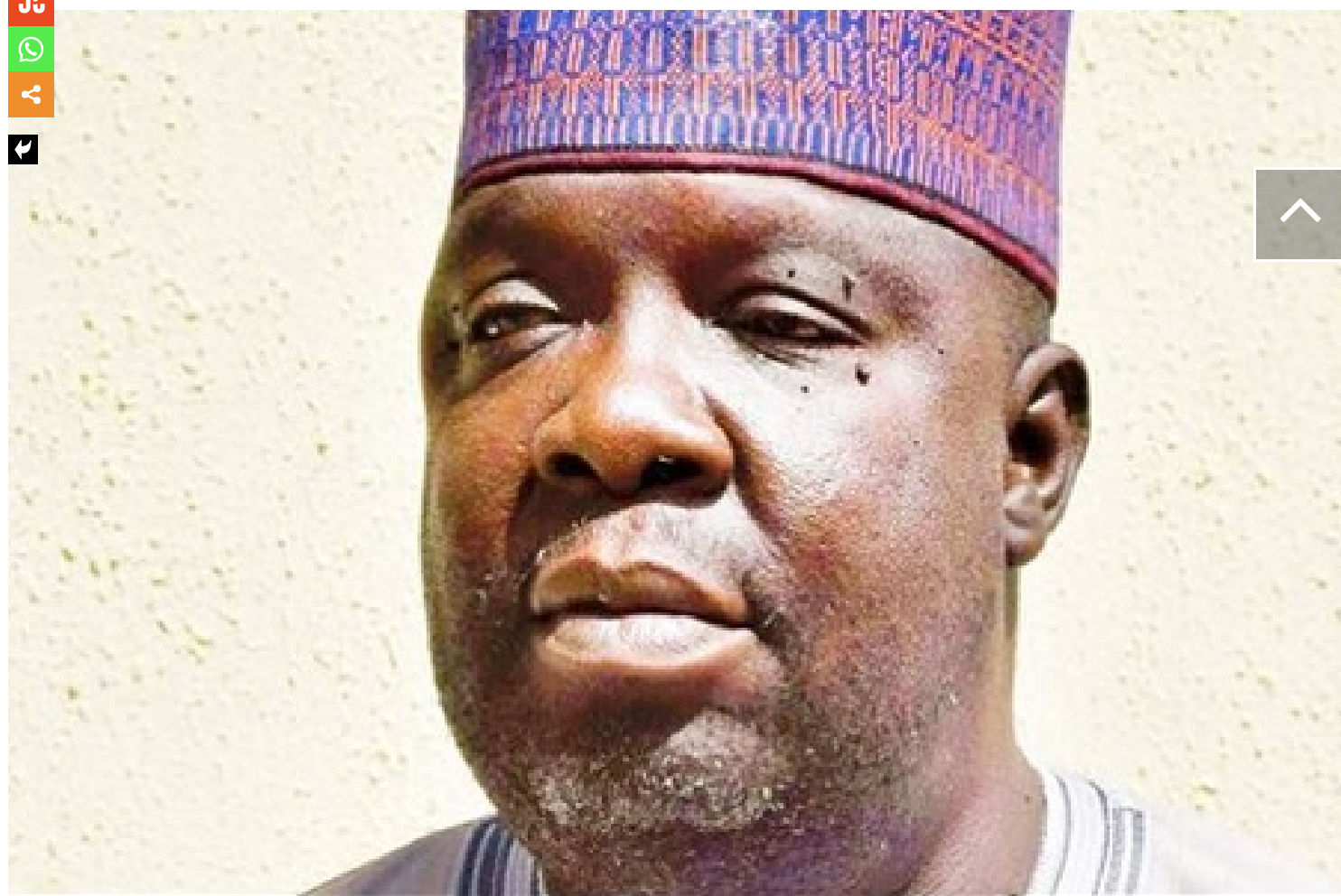
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To Avert Mishaps, Senator Provides Modern Boats To Constituents

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persons missing after a boat capsized on River Niger in Shanga local government area of Kebbi

The chief press secretary to the Kebbi State governor, Abubakar Dakingari had on Wednesday said in a statement that two canoes carrying more than 78 passengers had capsized with six persons killed and others are still missing.

In reacting to the incident yesterday, Senator Na'Allah promised to provide the two modern boats to the riverside communities of Shanga, Yauri and Ngaski LGAs and neighbouring villages as part of constituency intervention. He also said the incessant boat mishaps and loss of lives in the Yauri and River Niger calls for federal government's intervention. The senator said the development is disturbing and that the unfortunate annual occurrence has to be stopped.

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