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Retired police chief dies in Ondo road accident

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A retired Deputy Commissioner of Police (DCP), Samuel Obafaye, has died in a road accident on Owo-Ikare road in Ondo State.

The indigene of Epinmi-Akoko in the state was said to be travelling in his Peugeot 307 when he met his fate.

Sources said the accident occurred when an incoming 911 lorry had a head-on collision with Obafaye's vehicle between Akungba and Etioro village in Akoko Southwest Local Government Area.

His body was recovered through prompt intervention of men of the Federal Road Safety Commission (FRSC) from Ikare-Akoko and policemen from Supare.



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His remains were reportedly deposited at Ikare-Akoko State Specialist Hospital.

Akoko Area Commander, Razak Rauf, an Assistant Commissioner of Police (ACP), and some senior police officers contacted his family about the accident.

Another road accident reportedly occurred after Oba-Akoko, when a vehicle towing another one lost control and rammed into an incoming vehicle.

Three occupants of the vehicle were said to have been injured and rushed to a private hospital.