

Kano MP dies in inferno

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THE ancient city of Kano was last Thursday thrown into sadness with the reported death of a member of the state House of Assembly, Alhaji Mukhtar Liman Rogo (ANPP), who sustained severe burns from a burning generator.

The deceased, Alhaji Mukhtar Liman Rogo, aged 43 was confirmed to have caught fire in his residence at Farawa House of Assembly quarters in Kano while trying to refill an engine generator.

It was confirmed that the generator exploded in ball of fire and trapped the late Mukhtar

Rogo that subsequently left him with severe burns in most parts of his body.

Alhaji Mukhtar Rogo was at the initial stage admitted at the Aminu Kano Teaching Hospital where he started recovering but suddenly gave up the ghost.

Late Mukhtar Rogo, who was serving his first tenure at the House of Assembly is survived by two wives and 10 children. He has since been buried in his country home Rogo.

The acting Governor of the state, Engineer Tijjani Muhammad Gwarzoo led a state Government delegation to the deceased home town where

they attended the funeral prayer and prayed for the repose of the departing MP.

Engineer Tijjani Gwarzoo described the late Lawmaker as a promising politician who died at a time his services were needed most by the entire people of Kano and prayed unto Allah to grant the bereaved the fortitude to bear the loss.

The Speaker of the Assembly, Alhaji AbdulAzeez Garba Gafasa, also described the late colleague as a "complete gentleman" that approached law-making process with "ease and precision," saying the deceased died when his services were so much needed.