

Mother, child, one other crushed to death in Ogun

A mother, her child and the 'motor boy' of a truck lost their lives in an auto accident which occurred on Sango-Idiroko road in Ogun State.

This was confirmed

by the state spokesman of Traffic Compliance and Enforcement Corps (TRACE), Mr Babatunde Akinbiyi, who said that the accident was caused by wrongful overtaking.

Akinbiyi told the *News Agency of Nigeria (NAN)* that the accident occurred at about 5:45 p.m., on Wednesday, and was complicated by loss of control by the Mack truck

with registration number LSD 563 XW, after the wrongful overtaking.

He said that the truck was loaded with soft drinks when it crushed a woman, her child and the

'motor boy' at Ajibawo at Atan on Sango /Idiroko road.

He added that four people were involved in the accident, which included three males and one female, saying that two males and a female died in the accident, while one person was injured.

"In the process of overtaking another truck ahead of it loaded with granite, the edge of the truck loaded with soft drinks entered a ditch, which resulted in its fall, killing a woman and her child where she was selling her goods on the road, and the motor boy," he said.

Akinbiyi said that the injured were taken to a private hospital at Atan before the arrival of TRACE officials, while the corpses had been claimed by their relatives.

He urged motorists to always obey traffic rules and regulations and also avoid excessive speeding and wrongful overtaking.



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