

Hit-and-run driver kills 2 in Ogun

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TWO persons were on Wednesday afternoon killed by a hit-and-run driver at Ijagun junction, on the Ijebu-Ode/Ore highway in Ogun State.

The victims were said to be travelling on a **Bajaj Boxer** motorcycle when the incident occurred.

The Ogun State sector commander of the Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC), Clement Oladele, said the motorcycle was hit by an unidentified vehicle from behind, which made the rider lose control before eventually crashing.

The bodies of the victims have been deposited at the morgue of the General Hospital in Ijebu-Ode.

Meanwhile, the FRSC

has commended the Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) for creating a thoroughfare through the Camp ground to ease traffic gridlock on the highway on Wednesday.

Oladele said motorists were trapped in a gridlock as a result of a tanker conveying petroleum product that crashed at Mowe area on the highway.

He said the opening of the thoroughfare between Lotto and the RCCG Youth Centre drastically reduced the gridlock.

The FRSC boss also commended the Federal Government for making the construction firm rehabilitating the Sagamu-Ijebu-Ode-Ore highway, RCC, put on hold repair works on the corridor till after the Yuletide.