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One dies in Lagos-Ibadan highway accidents

ONE person was confirmed dead and several others injured in two separate accidents on the Lagos-Ibadan expressway on Sunday.

According to the **News Agency of Nigeria (NAN)**, the sector commander of the Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC) in Ogun State, Mr Clement Oladele, confirmed the incidents in a statement on Monday in Abeokuta.

Oladele said that the first crash occurred at about 7:00 a.m. around Isara, near Ogere, on the highway, and it involved a Toyota bus with registration number AG 346 XV.

According to the FRSC boss, the accident involved two male adults and one female adult.

He said that the driver drove under the influence of alcohol in excessive speed, which resulted into loss of control.

Oladele said that two injured victims were rescued and taken to Victory Hospital, Ogere, for medical attention.

He said that the second crash occurred at about 11:50 a.m., also on Sunday, around Fidiwo, near Ogunmakin, on the expressway.

The sector commander said that the crash involved a Mazda E2200 bus marked WWD 89 XB and was also caused by excessive speed and loss of control.