

Three die in Lagos-Abeokuta road accident

THE Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC) in Ogun has confirmed the death of three persons in an accident at the Conoil area of the Lagos-Abeokuta expressway, the *News Agency of Nigeria (NAN)* has reported.

The confirmation is contained in a statement signed by the sector's Public Education Officer, Mrs Florence Okpe, on Monday in Ota.

She said the accident, which occurred at about 2:25p.m. on Sunday, involved a vehicle and a motorcycle.

"The unfortunate accident involved a Lexus RX350 and

a Bajaj motorcycle," she said.

Okpe, who blamed the accident on route violation, said two persons came out unhurt.

The FRSC spokesperson said the remains of the victims had been deposited in the morgue.

She advised motorists to obey traffic rules in the interest of their lives and those of others.

"We sympathise with the families of the victims. We urge them to contact the FRSC for more information about the incident," Okpe said.