

Two die as mining pit collapses in Bauchi

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3 TWO women were killed and three others injured when a mining pit collapsed in Bar Kudu village in Bogoro Local Government Area of Bauchi State.

A member of the state House of Assembly representing Bogoro constituency, Honourable Wakili Nakwada, disclosed this while speaking under 'Matters of Urgent Public Importance' during plenary on Thursday.

Honourable Nakwada informed the House of the incident, saying the mining pit collapsed on the five women at Bar Kudu village.

He said two of the women have been confirmed dead, while the others were seriously injured.

The lawmaker added that funeral arrangements for the deceased persons had been concluded, while the injured persons were already receiving treatments at the hospital.

The House sympathised with families of the victims and the people of Bogoro constituency.

It called on the Bogoro Local Government Council to assist the victims in whatever form it can in order to ameliorate the suffering they are going through.