

Okada rider, one other killed in Kogi auto crash

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TWO persons have died in an accident that occurred on Ogori-Magongo Road in Kogi State.

It was gathered that the incident happened at about 2p.m on Thursday.

It was learnt that one of the victims of the accident died immediately while the other, a female, was rushed to Ogori General Hospital. but later died.

One of the victims was identified as John Aisoni, a commercial motorcyclist in Ogori Magongo area while the other was working in a micro finance bank in the same local government.

Eyewitness attributed the accident to speeding.

The Kogi State Sector Commander, Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC), Oyedeji Sunday, confirmed the incident on Friday.

He attributed the accident to wrong overtaking.

He said: "The accident was between a commercial motor cyclist and a Toyota Venza car. There was wrong overtaking which led to this ghastly accident. Two persons have been confirmed dead and have since be deposited in a morgue in nearby Edo State while the other person is receiving treatment at Ogori General Hospital."

The sector commander advised motorists to avoid speeding and abide by all the rules guiding driving.