18 die in Edo crash

Lighteen persons, comprising 15 women and three men, were on Friday evening feared killed in a road accident that occurred at Ofosu along the Benin-Ore expressway, a border town between Edo and Ondo states.

The accident happened when a luxury bus with registration number: XL 750 ASR belonging to ABC Transport Company collided head-on with a bus with registration number, XD 621 USL belonging to Ohonba Line.

Witnesses said the luxury bus, which was coming from Lagos, diverted from its route onto the Benin-Lagos side of the dual carriageway when it ran into the Ohonba Line bus that was traveling from Benin.