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No fewer than 15 persons died in auto accident in Ifon, headquarters of Ose Local Government Area of Ondo State on Saturday.

Eyewitnesses told our correspondent that the accident involved an 18-seater commercial bus marked BR 638KJA which rammed into a stationery trailer and killed the 15 passengers instantly.

The accident occurred along Ifon- Sabogida Ora in Edo State.

Three other occupants of the bus were reportedly rushed to the General Hospital in Ifon for medical attention.

Our correspondent also gathered that the commercial bus took off from Akure and was heading for Benin when the driver rammed into the trailer that was said to have been abandoned for over a year.

The driver was said have lost control after he tried to avoid a pothole and subsequently rammed into the stationery trailer.

The Police Public Relations Officer in charge of the state command, Mr. Aremu Adeniran, confirmed that 14 passengers died in the crash while three others were on admission at the hospital in Ifon.

Adeniran added that policemen in Ifon division rushed to the scene and took the deceased and the injured to the hospital.

Families of the deceased were said to have visited the hospital to claim the remains of their loved ones.

Members of the Fedral Roads Safety Commission were also seen trying to pull the damaged bus from under the trailer when our correspondent visited the scene on Sunday.

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