

# Six die, one injured in road accident

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**S**IX people died and one other was injured in a fatal road accident at Karounwi junction on Aboru Road, Iyana Ipaja area of Lagos on Wednesday.

An eyewitness, who craved anonymity, said the accident involved a school bus and two commercial motorcyclists coming from Aboru.

He said school bus driver, who was coming from Alagutan area, allegedly lost control of his vehicle and rammed into the two commercial motorcyclists carrying two persons each, killing all of them on the spot.

The corpses were later removed by policemen from Moshalasi Police Station, Alimosho Local Government area of the state.

It was gathered that the driver also sustained injuries and fell into a comma.

However, another eyewitness, who simply identified himself as Wale, alleged that the driver appeared drunk and had removed his shirt while driving.

It was learnt that the accident occurred when he was going to pick pupils to school.

Although policemen were seen at the scene maintaining law and order, repeated calls made to the state Police Public Relations Officer, Mr. Frank Mba, were not answered. Also, a text message sent to him was not responded to as at press time.