

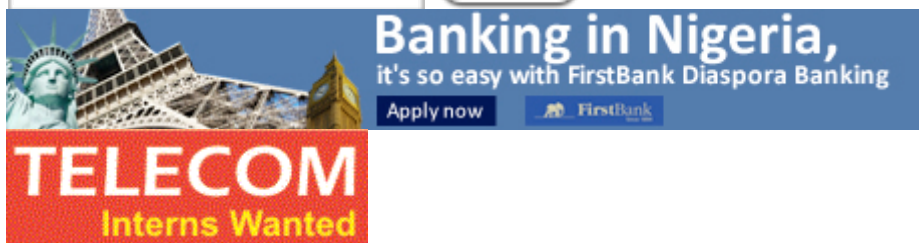
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Policeman killed as car falls off bridge

September 25, 2012 by Agency Reporter

A black Honda saloon car with registration number CY 691 LND on Tuesday fell off a bridge near Wuse Market, Abuja, killing the driver.

The driver, a police corporal, died on the spot.

A News Agency of Nigeria correspondent, who visited the scene, reports that the car knocked off the concrete embankment on the bridge before crashing into the ravine below.

The impact tore the car into pieces with the engine separated from the body.

The Divisional Traffic Officer at Wuse Police Station, Mr. Kassim Yusuf, confirmed the death of the driver who, he said, was a police corporal at the FCT command.

“His name is Isah Obadiah, a corporal with the Special Anti Robbery Squad of the FCT Command.

“He closed from duty and was heading home when the accident occurred,” he said.

The body, he said, had been deposited at the Wuse General Hospital mortuary.

Yusuf, who said the cause of the accident had yet to be ascertained, noted that the body of the driver was flung out of the car.

Mr. Yusuf Clark, the Deputy Director of Operations, Road Traffic Services in the FCT, said that over speeding might have caused the accident.

“He must have skidded as a result of over speeding; I believe he was moving at more 100 km per hour,” he added.

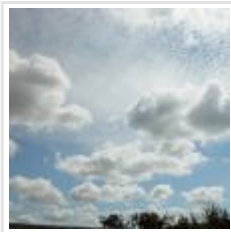
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Police Corporal own a Honda car?With how much salary?May his soul goes to where he got the money from.

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@Joseph that was too harsh for the dead

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o *EDO BOY* September 25, 2012 at 8:41 pm

it seems your family are stagnated since you are envious of the police for owning a car

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Motorists should beware of overspeeding. RIP

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If the struture of the Bridge is sound and built with the right materia, this might help to limit the crash and the car going through the concrete.

This is what happen when you award contract to shady chinese or indians, rather than responsible constructor of bridges.

Word for your thought Mr Minister

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• *Ojo Deborah* September 25, 2012 at 1:08 pm

What can i say 2 dis, i mean is over joyous. Bcos he was d one dat kill himself by over speeding.

Any way, I sympathise wit ur family. RIP

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The bridge was constructed by Julius Berger. He broke part of the barrier and entered the ditch.

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So sad.rip

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E yah !!!!!!!!!!!!!, so sad ð - said sorry to d entire family of d late may Your soul rest in perfect peace((amen))

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What a sad story the police authorities should try and the family since he was returning from duty post to his house before the accident occurred

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