

Truck driver kills woman, injures four in Ogun

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A middle-aged woman was on Monday crushed to death by an IVECO truck, which also injured four persons.

The accident, which occurred on Abiola Way, in the Olorunsogo area of Abeokuta, Ogun State, led to multiple crashes on the road.

The Public Relations Officer of the Traffic Compliance and Enforcement Corps, Babatunde Akinbiyi, confirmed the incident.

Akinbiyi disclosed that the accident occurred due to the brake failure of the truck, with number plate, GGM 177 ZR3.

He said the brake failure led to loss of control of the truck when the driver got to Iyana-Mortuary Road and rammed into a stationary trailer loaded with bags of cement.

He explained that the victim, who was on a motorcycle, was hit by the truck.

“The only dead victim was on one of the motorcycles that were hit by the truck. Her body has been deposited in Ijaye hospital morgue.

“Vehicles involved included a Nissan Almera with number plate, TTD 90 YA; an IVECO truck with number plate, GGM 177 ZR; a Nissan Sunny taxi with number plate, TRD 517 XA; a Mazda 323 taxi with number plate, DED 178 XA; and two motorcycles,” he added.

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