

One dies, three injured in Jos-Abuja Road crash

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The Federal Road Safety Corps, Plateau State Command, on Friday confirmed the death of one person in a car crash involving nine passengers along Jos-Abuja Road.

Three other persons, including one male and two females were also injured in the accident which occurred at Makera village, Hawan Kibo area.

The Public Education Officer of FRSC in the state, Mr Andrew Bala, told our

correspondent in Jos that the accident involved a Volkswagen Sharan with the number plate XA 62 BLD and that it occurred around 5:40pm on Thursday.

The FRSC spokesperson blamed the crash on speed violation.

Bala said, "On Thursday, May 6, 2019, an accident in a car with nine passengers occurred at Makera, Hawan Kibo, Jos Road around 5:40pm. Our men responded immediately. It was a lone road accident involving a Volkswagen Sharan with the number plate XA 62 BLD and it was fatal.

mistakenly cut the man in the stomach."

"As a result, one person died while three others were injured. Preliminary investigation shows that the crash was as a result of speed violation."

The Public Education Officer appealed to motorists to always apply caution while plying the road, describing it as "accident-prone" due to its snake-like nature.

He also urged motorists to always check their vehicles to ensure they were in order before hitting the road, especially during the rainy season.