

Two burnt to death in Jos-Abuja road crash

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A road crash involving two articulated vehicles on the Jos-Abuja Road has left two persons dead and one other injured.

It was learnt on Monday that the vehicles, a Man Diesel truck and a petroleum product tanker, were conveying some flammable materials when the accident occurred and immediately caught fire, which resulted in the victims being burnt beyond recognition.

It was gathered that the crash, which occurred on Sunday, caused a total blockage of the road by the Ganawuri Hills in the Riyom community and forced motorists to divert to other routes.

The Public Education Officer, Federal Road Safety Corps in Plateau State, Mr Andrew Bala, confirmed the accident to our correspondent in Jos on Monday.

He said, “A crash occurred on Sunday at the Riyom Ganawuri area around 9.20am and it involved two articulated vehicles, a Man Diesel and a tanker.

“The fatal crash involved six male adults, out of which one was injured and two were burnt beyond recognition as a result of an explosion of the flammable materials the vehicles were conveying.

“There is a total blockage of the road at the Ganawuri Hills as a result of the wreckage from the collision.”

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