

Truck crushes girl to death in Ondo

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The Ondo State Police Command, on Thursday, said it had arrested one Akinwale Oluwale, for killing a young girl, identified as Anu Oguneso, at the Customs Road in Idepe town, Okitipupa Local Government Area of the state.

According to the police, the suspect is the driver of a sand-laden truck that crushed to death the 12-year-old girl, who was trying to cross the road on Wednesday.

The victim was said to have died on the spot.

Speaking on the incident, the Police Public Relations Officer in the state, CSP Femi Joseph, said the suspect was arrested immediately after committing the crime.

“The suspect is with us as I am speaking with you and we have commenced investigation into the matter. The suspect will be charged after the conclusion of our investigation,” he stated.

Joseph also said the remains of the deceased had been deposited in the morgue of the Ondo State Specialist Hospital, Okitipupa.

A source said immediately after the crash occurred, the truck driver, for fear of being lynched, escaped from the scene and went to report himself at the Okitipupa Police Division.

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