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A yet-to-be-identified Okada rider lost his life in a crash around the Magboro end of the Lagos-Ibadan Expressway on Monday.

PUNCH Metro gathered that the crash involved the

motorcyclist and a truck plying the expressway inward Lagos State.

A source, while chronicling the circumstances surrounding the crash, attributed the cause of the crash to a driver plying one-way direction.

He said, "The motorcyclist and truck driver were

going inward Lagos State when the driver plying oneway direction appeared suddenly, adding that the crash occurred while they attempted to manoeuvre their way to prevent a collision with the errant driver. The motorcyclist's corpse was pulled out from under the truck."

Confirming the incident, the spokesperson for the Ogun State Federal Road Safety Corps, Florence Okpe, said three persons were involved in the crash, adding that only one person died.

Okpe said, "The accident happened around 2.15pm at Magboro Bus Stop. It involved a minitruck and a Bajaj motorcycle. One person who happens to be an Okada rider died while the remaining two persons were unhurt. The accident was caused by wrongful overtaking."