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## nomic and Financial Crimes 2 die, 500 families displaced after downpour in Zamfara

FROM ATTAHIRU AHMED, Gusau

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o fewer than two people and several domestic animals have been reported dead while about 100 houses collapsed following a downpour at Magami town in Gusau Local Government Area of Zamfara State.

The rain which lasted for about 10 hours between on Tuesday and early Wednesday rendered 500 families homeless while many of them took refugee at their relatives homes.

One of the victims told Daily Sun that two persons died when a building collapsed on them during the rainfall, stressing that many items including foodstuffs and domestic animals were lost to the incident.

It was gathered that the downpour came with a strong wind which affected about 100 houses. The displaced victims were said to have been scattered over the town in-search of alternative shelter.

When Daily Sun contact-

ed the Chairman of Gusau Local Government Area, Alhaji Lawali Mada, he said the council was aware of the incident, adding that they were making necessary arrangement to provide the victims with relief materials.

At Zamfara State Emer-

gency Management Agency (ZEMA), Daily Sun confirmed the level of damage in the town as a result of the rain and confirmed that its officials had gone out on similar assignments around the state.

## ASUU strike: Parent sues ASUU, FG

FROM DESMOND MGBOH, Kano

parent of a Civil Engineering student of the Bayero University (BUK), Kano, Mallam Dankano Ahmed has dragged the Academic Staff Union of Universities (ASUU) before the National Industrial Court of Nigeria Kano.

Listed as defendants in the suit with Registration No. NICN/KN/16/ 2013, are the Attorney General of the Fed-

eration, the Minister of Education, Bayero University, Kano, ASUU, Deacon Gamaliel Onosode, National Universities Commission (NUC) and two others.

The plaintiff, who is the biological father of Zanab Garba Ahmed asked the court for an order of perpetual injunction restraining ASUU from continuing the current strike or taking whatever step to compel the Federal Government to implement the agreement between ASUU and the Federal Government on October 21, 2009.

The plaintiff, through his counsel, Usman Umar Fari, equally wanted the court to declare that the said agreement entered between ASUU and the Federal Government committee was invalid, illegal and not binding on the Federal Government of Nigeria having violated the provisions of Section3(1) (d) of the Bayero University's Act as well as other statutes establishing universities owned by the Federal Government of Nigeria.