IBEDEC technician electrocuted

From **Layi Olanrewaju**, Ilorin

A Staff of Ibadan Electricity Distribution Company (IBEDEC), has been electrocuted. He died while working on electricity Step Down plant at Saw-Mill area of Ilorin, Kwara State at the weekend.

According to a witness, "the IBEDEC staffers were trying to clear electricity fault which had thrown the area into darkness for six days.

A source identified the deceased technician as Abdulrazak Oniye, a native of Ilorin.

Meanwhile, no member of the Oniye family was willing to speak on the development.

However IBEDEC Public Relation Officer (PRO), Challenge Business Area, Mr. Ayo Bada confirmed the incident.

He said: "Only one person died. It is an unfortunate incident. They were three effecting repairs when one of them was electrocuted."