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## 11 Die of Electrocution in Kebbi

The recent improvement in public power supply, following government's new reforms in the sector, has rather brought sadness to many families in some Argungu communities of Kebbi State.

Senator Yahaya A. Abdullahi, who represents Kebbi North Senatorial District of the state, in a statement during the weekend in Abuja, disclosed that not less than 11 people have so far been killed by suspected public power surge, in the last three weeks.

The development, which Senator Abdullahi explained he has already taken up with the relevant Electricity Distribution Company (DISCO), has created fears and anxiety among the people in the area. Aside the high casualty figure, household

items and appliances, destroyed during the deadly public electricity system failures, have been estimated in millions of naira. Dr. Abdullahi, however assured that he has discussed the unfortunate incident with members of the Senate Ad Hoc Committee on Power, and to soon present a formal memo to them on the matter.

According to him, there is every indication that his colleagues will work with him to call on for a comprehensive overhaul and re-strengthening of power lines, across the country, to withstand the impending increase in national power output, particularly as President Muhammadu Buhari sets about tackling the issue of infrastructural decay in the power sector.

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### Sen Abdullahi Rebuilds Argungu