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wo persons died in the early hours of yesterday in two separate accidents along the Lagos-Ibadan Ex-

The Public Relations Officer (PRO), of the Federal Road Safe ty Corps (FRSC), Ogun State sector command, Florence Okpe, who confirmed the accidents to journalists in Abeokuta, said that the first accident occurred at 12 midnight, around Heyden Petrol Station, involving two male adults.

"Unfortunately one person was recorded dead from the crash and the second person

2 die in Lagos-Ibadan Expressway auto crash

unhurt," Okpe said.

She added that, the vehicle involved was unidentified," stating that, "it was a case of hit-and-run. The corpse was deposited at Idera Morgue, Sagamu."

The second auto crash, Okpe, said, occurred at about 04:25am, around Toll gate on the Sagamu-Abeokuta route.

Okpe disclosed that a Mack truck, marked JBD483ZY involved in the crash engaged in speeding, which she said led to loss of control.

"The suspected cause of the tone crash was speed, which led

to loss of control and the vehicle crashed.

"Two male adults were involved. One was killed and the other unhurt. The corpse was deposited at Idera Morgue, Sagamu," Okpe explained.

Meanwhile, the Ogun FRSC Sector Commander, Anthony Uga, described the crashes as avoidable ones if caution was considered and simple traffic rules adhered to.

Uga sympathised with families of the victims and advised the motoring public to put safety first whenever using the road.



An accident scene

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