

# Truck crushes revenue collector to death in Lagos

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**A** revenue collector has been crushed to death by a truck along the Lagos Ibadan Expressway, New Garage area of

## Arrest of serial offender

activities on the internet.

The defence counsel, Afolabi Adeniyi, had at the last hearing of the matter while moving an application for bail of the accused persons argued that the defendants should be granted bail on liberal terms, emphasising that the charges were bailable and that the accused were willing to face trial.

Opposing the application, the prosecution Counsel, Chief Aribisala (SAN), urged the court to reject the bail request, highlighting the risk of the defendants absconding and stressing the need for an expedited trial.

In delivering his ruling, Justice Faji not only denied bail, but also ordered an accelerated trial, underlining the gravity of the charges.

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Witnesses at the scene said the revenue collector was crushed to death in an attempt to collect dues from the truck driver.

The victim was fatally struck while crossing the expressway, succumbing instantly to the severe impact in the early morning of yesterday.

The Spokesperson, Lagos State Traffic Management Agency (LASTMA), Adebayo Taofiq, said the lone containerized truck with registration number FST 887 XD was involved in a fatal accident along the Lagos-Ibadan Expressway, near New Garage inbound Lagos.

Taofiq said personnel from LASTMA swiftly responded to the scene, taking decisive action to manage the aftermath of the incident. The remains of the deceased was handed over to security officers from the Adigboluje Police Division.

The family of the deceased facilitated the necessary formalities. The victim's wife, upon hearing the shocking news, rushed to the scene of the accident.