

Many feared dead as truck crashes into commuters in Anambra

A yet-to-be-ascertained number of persons are feared dead, as a truck conveying a 40-foot container, on Tuesday evening, crashed into a shuttle bus, tricycles and pedestrians at the Idemili Junction, near Oba,

in Idemili South LGA of Anambra State.

The Spokesperson for the Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC) in the state, Mrs Margaret Onabe, confirmed the accident, but said she was still awaiting a detailed report from officers at the scene.

Onabe said that she would provide updates as soon as possible.

It was gathered that the trailer experienced brake failure, while descending a hill, causing the driver to lose control and crash into the shuttle bus, tricycles and other vehicles.

"It crashed into some tricycles loading passengers at the junction and a shuttle bus, trapping people underneath the container, including bystanders waiting for vehicles," an eyewitness account said.

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to signify our commitment to maintaining ethical practices and removing any members who act unethically.

"It is also to ensure that those sent out to fish out evil native doctors will not be compromised," Umeh said.

He said that those who could not participate in the oath-taking were given until next Monday to do so," he said.