

Tragedy: 3 Children Die Inside Locked Car

It was a tragic tale yesterday as three kids perished inside a locked vehicle parked at Bodunrin Caulcrick Close, LSDPC Estate, Ogba, Lagos.

The female children identified as Success Solomon, 4; Aishat Fofanah, 5 and Aishat Jakite, 3, were found dead in a

car after a long search for one of them.

The girls, it was revealed, died as a result of suffocation as they could not open the car, whose glasses were wound up by the owner who travelled to the United Kingdom nine months ago.

The girls were said to be playing with their colleagues in the estate where an end of year party was holding when they saw the unlocked car and decided to go into it last Friday.

Findings showed that the girls fiddled with the controls in the car and got themselves locked in.

"They were unable to come out because they didn't know how to open the car," a resident of the estate said.

Two of the girls, Aishat Fofanah and Aishat Jakite were brought out dead while Success Solomon was found gasping for breath. She later died.

Investigations further showed that Success was rushed to the Ikeja General Hospital and two private hospitals which confirmed her dead on arrival.

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his (Yar'Adua) conviction that the committee was better constituted after the cases at the Election petition Tribunals had been disposed off.

Chief Obi who spoke to THIS DAY yesterday said he

used such powers to appoint his lackeys and stooges into a body as sensitive as the Electoral Reform Committee without allowing other well meaning Nigerians to participate.

Such appointments, he insisted, had in the past proven to be unfavorable in producing free and fair elections.