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17 Lives Lost to Fire Disaster

From Imam Imam in Gusau, 10.21.2009

Director, Zamfara State Fire Service, Saidu Abdullahi, yesterday said 17 people were killed while property worth N42 million were lost to fire disasters in Zamfara State from January to September this year.

Speaking while fielding questions from reporters in Gusau, Abdullahi said the casualties were recorded in 80 fire incidents, while the Service succeeded in rescuing 11 lives and property worth N128million.

He said the casualties were lower compared to last year's figures over the same period.

According to him, from January to September last year, 83 fire incidents were recorded, while property worth N58million were destroyed and 20 lives lost.

He said investigation has proven that most of the fire disasters in the state were caused by negligence and in some cases, carelessness on the part of the victims.

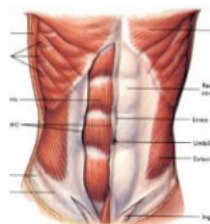
Most common cases, according to him, include failure to switch-off electrical appliances if not in use, over-loading of such appliances, indiscriminate use of candles, mosquito coils and kerosene lamps, bush burning, among others Abdullahi lamented the lack of concern for safety measures by Nigerians in their homes and offices, saying such situation has led to grievous consequences.

He urged members of the public to be proactive and ensure that precautionary measures are taken at all times, to forestall future fire incidents.

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