

Five die in motor accident

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LOKOJA— No fewer than five persons yesterday evening lost their lives in a ghastly motor accident that occurred along Lokoja – Okene road at Osara village near Okene town.

~~Vanguard~~ gathered that the accident which involved a Toyota Hiace bus with registration Number AA102SKK belonging to Sokoto State Mass Transit was said to be travelling from Benin to Sokoto when the accident occurred following a tyre burst.

The injured victims have since been taken to the (FMC) Federal Medical Centre Lokoja, by men of the

Federal Road Safety Commission Kogi State Command, for prompt medical attention while the five (5) corpses were deposited at Ankuri Mortuary Lokoja. The luggages of the victims were left in custody of police “Motorpol” Lokoja.

The general public is therefore advice to check their missing relations at Federal Medical Centre and Ankuri Mortuary Lokoja, for identification.

The Kogi State Sector Commander of the Federal Road Safety Commission, Kayode Olagunju reiterated his earlier calls that motorists should be more safety-conscious especially during the “EMBER MONTHS”.