

....As One dies, five injured in Osun road crash

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OSOGBO—THE Osun State Sector Command of the Federal Road Safety Corps, (FRSC), yesterday, confirmed a female passenger died in an auto accident in the state.

The lone accident, which occurred at Omo area before Iwaraja junction along Ilesa-Akure express road yesterday afternoon, involved a Toyota Hiace Hummer bus with number plate: LSD 549 XX around.

An unidentified person reportedly died on the same road last week Thursday.

An eye witness, Bashir Adewale, disclosed that the driver of the vehicle lost control when one of the tyres burst suddenly.

He added that the vehicle skidded off the road before hitting a barrier by the roadside, adding that no vehicle was coming from the opposite direction at the time.

According to him, a woman lost consciousness and effort to revive her proved abortive, while others sustained various degrees of injury.

The Command's spokesperson, Agnes Ogungbemi, while confirming the incident, said the driver lost control of the vehicle after a tyre burst on speed.

She said a female passenger died on the spot while five others sustained various degrees of injury.