

## 10 die in auto accident

Meanwhile, 10 persons, yesterday, lost their lives in an auto accident in Zamfara State.

The tragedy occurred when two commercial vehicles, a Toyota Corolla and Volkswagen Golf car had a head-on collision near Furfuri village, on the outskirts of Gusau, the state capital.

According to an eye witness, drivers of the two vehicles, conveying seven people each were on top speed trying to overtake other vehicles, but lost control and collided. Four passengers died instantly while six others died later while receiving medical attention.

The remaining passengers who survived the accident are presently receiving medical treatment at the Federal Medical Centre Gusau.

Confirming the accident, Spokesman of the Federal Road Safety Commission (FRSC), Garba Lawal, explained that the accident which he described as one of the worst this year, could have been averted had the drivers been more careful. He said: "The drivers were on top speed, and we have been telling them every day that speed kills, but they don't listen."