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Nigeria: 11 Die in Auto Accident in Sokoto

Mahmoud Mahmoud

17 May 2010

Sokoto — Eleven persons were killed on Sunday afternoon in an accident involving a tipper lorry and an 18-seater bus on the Sokoto-Gusau road.

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The FRSC Sector Commander in Sokoto, Alhaji Aliyu Datsama, confirmed the accident on Sunday, saying nine of the deceased died on the spot, one died on the way to the Usmanu Danfodiyo University Teaching Hospital (UDUTH), Sokoto, while the eleventh person died at the hospital. He said that nine injured persons were in a critical condition at the hospital.

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Datsama said that the accident involved a tipper lorry with registration number XA 808 MJB going to Sokoto from Gusau and a bus with registration number XD 777 GUS that was travelling to Gusau from Sokoto, and that the bus driver, a woman and two children were among the dead.

Datsama said that the remains of the deceased had been deposited at the mortuary of the UDUTH.

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