**One Person Killed by Lightning in Chikwawa [Malawi]**

17 December 2020

One person was struck dead in the Southern Region district of Chikwawa yesterday, 17 / 12 / 20. This has brought the total number of lightning - induced deaths for the district to 5. Meanwhile, am in the process of making a national tally of deaths and injuries caused by lightning strikes in the current 2019 - 2020 rainy season.

Source: Personal communication by email from Mr. Gilbert Phiri.