

《湖南邵阳女子故意纵火，3死4伤》

周一，湖南一家自来水公司发生一起故意用汽油纵火案，3人死亡，其余四人受伤。上午10：05邵阳市退休员工石燕飞冲进清泉大厦六楼的会议室，当时公司领导正在开会，她向领导泼汽油，然后点火，接着就从大楼跳下，不过被警方救起。

A deliberately set gasoline fire at a Hunan province tap-water company killed three people and injured four others on Monday morning, local authorities said.

Shi Yanfei, a company retiree, rushed into a conference room on the sixth floor of Qingquan Tower in Shaoyang city at 10:05 am and set it on fire during a meeting of company officials, Shaoyang government's publicity department said on Monday.

Shi threw gasoline on the company leaders in the room, ignited the gasoline and jumped out the building, but was rescued by police.

General Manager and Party Chief Long Xinmin and two deputy general managers of the company were killed, while another three company heads were injured. Shi and the other injured people were taken to a local hospital, according to a Xinhua report on Monday.

A doctor from the department of burn at the Central Hospital of Shaoyang confirmed on Monday afternoon that the four injured were sent to that hospital.

Shi was heavily injured and the three other injured were in stable condition, said Luo Limin, an official from the publicity department of Shaoyang.

Photos from local online forums showed that the windows of a room in the building's sixth floor had been damaged, and the outer wall of the building was blackened. The fire caught the attention of many residents near the building, which is owned by the company.

A preliminary investigation said Shi's motivation may have been her anger over the company's refusal to hire her second child. Shi's first child has been working at the company, the publicity department said on Monday.

Shi is one of the company's early-retirement workers.

A male employee of the company said on Monday afternoon that the operation of the company was normal, and the arson did not affect the water supply in Shaoyang.

Local police have set up a special team to investigate the case.