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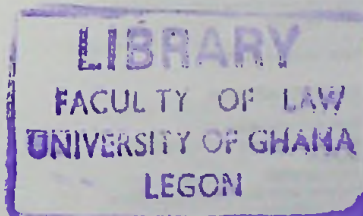
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GHANA GAZETTE, 17TH OCTOBER, 2012

GAZETTING OF RETURNS ON ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF BANK OF GHANA
AS AT 28TH SEPTEMBER, 2012

2085

**BANK OF GHANA
BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 28TH SEPT. 2012**

	28TH SEPT 2012 GHS	14TH SEPT 2012 GHS
FOREIGN CURRENCY		
Cash and Amounts due from Banks		
Gold	620,121,424.77	362,705,855.08
Balances with International Monetary Fund	582,760,911.13	583,244,484.85
Securities	1,647,324,336.84	1,649,360,208.13
Loans and Advances	5,425,917,891.06	5,578,214,137.19
Other Assets	98,611,424.53	68,574,598.42
Property, Plant and Equipment	102,081,342.43	74,995,400.45
Development Loans and Investments	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00
Total Foreign Assets	8,678,837,100.56	8,545,164,680.10
DOMESTIC CURRENCY		
Cash and Amounts due from Banks		
Gold	0.00	0.00
Balances with International Monetary Fund	0.00	0.00
Securities	0.00	0.00
Loans and Advances	3,826,332,759.45	3,734,620,221.06
Other Assets	3,774,063,455.39	4,015,029,661.82
Property, Plant and Equipment	1,538,969,884.68	1,332,190,511.29
Development Loans and Investments	178,224,487.71	173,788,148.58
	177,127,788.51	176,127,788.51
Total Domestic Assets	9,494,714,375.74	9,431,255,328.26
TOTAL ASSETS	18,171,551,476.30	17,976,420,008.36
LIABILITIES		
FOREIGN CURRENCY		
Currency in Circulation	0.00	0.00
Allocation of Special Drawing Rights	1,027,482,860.18	1,028,625,179.82
Deposits	1,096,121,632.88	1,154,075,226.15
Liabilities to IMF	3,662,920,017.58	3,608,148,153.54
Liabilities under Money Market Operations	0.00	0.00
Other Liabilities	60,544,681.79	60,965,899.71
Total Foreign Liabilities	5,747,079,052.20	5,809,834,259.32
DOMESTIC CURRENCY		
Currency in Circulation	4,297,274,334.98	4,304,085,809.94
Allocation of Special Drawing Rights	0.00	0.00
Deposits	4,337,898,473.11	4,202,278,278.04
Liabilities to IMF	0.00	0.00
Liabilities under Money Market Operations	738,546,724.37	677,399,406.04
Other Liabilities	458,201,690.35	459,075,793.53
Total Domestic Liabilities	9,832,011,422.79	9,638,717,890.55
TOTAL LIABILITIES	15,579,090,474.99	15,448,551,349.87
NET ASSETS	2,592,461,001.31	2,526,878,658.49
SHAREHOLDERS FUNDS		
Capital	10,000,000.00	10,000,000.00
Income Surplus	1,323,338,813.59	1,257,811,888.66
Asset Revaluation Reserve	115,522,405.31	115,522,405.31
General Reserves	29,760,218.67	28,760,218.67
Other Reserves	1,114,842,564.34	1,114,784,147.85
Total Shareholders Funds	2,592,461,001.31	2,526,878,658.49

Note: The figures in this Balance Sheet have not been audited

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF A BILL

The following Bill is published today:
Chieftaincy (Amendment) Bill

GAZETTING OF RETURNS ON ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF BANK OF GHANA AS AT 14TH SEPTEMBER, 2012

BANK OF GHANA
BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 14th SEPT, 2012

	14TH SEPT 2012 GHC	31ST AUG 2012 GHC
FOREIGN CURRENCY		
Cash and Amounts due from Banks	352,705,855.06	77,200,519.87
Gold	583,244,484.85	583,602,606.12
Balances with International Monetary Fund	1,649,360,205.13	1,825,774,446.08
Securities	5,575,214,137.19	5,800,097,142.80
Loans and Advances	93,674,595.42	96,840,494.18
Other Assets	74,965,400.45	74,627,930.60
Property, Plant and Equipment	0.00	0.00
Development Loans and Investments	0.00	0.00
Total Foreign Assets	8,545,104,880.10	8,461,359,135.74
DOMESTIC CURRENCY		
Cash and Amounts due from Banks	0.00	0.00
Gold	0.00	0.00
Balances with International Monetary Fund	0.00	0.00
Securities	3,734,520,221.08	3,444,441,559.63
Loans and Advances	4,015,626,661.82	2,987,210,882.52
Other Assets	1,332,190,511.29	1,879,398,440.14
Property, Plant and Equipment	172,789,146.56	172,799,417.54
Development Loans and Investments	175,127,788.51	175,127,788.51
Total Domestic Assets	9,431,265,329.26	8,659,378,094.34
TOTAL ASSETS	17,976,430,209.36	17,120,777,230.08
LIABILITIES		
FOREIGN CURRENCY		
Currency in Circulation	0.00	0.00
Allocation of Special Drawing Rights	1,029,625,179.62	1,016,062,845.14
Deposits	1,154,075,226.15	1,259,429,054.29
Liabilities to IMF	3,586,149,153.54	3,554,840,281.38
Liabilities under Money Market Operations	0.00	0.00
Other Liabilities	60,585,639.71	59,577,102.48
Total Foreign Liabilities	5,809,334,258.22	6,889,909,273.24
DOMESTIC CURRENCY		
Currency in Circulation	4,304,995,609.94	4,179,745,417.93
Allocation of Special Drawing Rights	0.00	0.00
Deposits	4,202,276,279.04	3,424,528,135.44
Liabilities to IMF	0.00	0.00
Liabilities under Money Market Operations	677,369,406.04	636,207,789.68
Other Liabilities	455,075,795.63	444,950,285.85
Total Domestic Liabilities	9,639,717,090.55	8,645,434,838.60
TOTAL LIABILITIES	15,449,051,348.77	15,535,343,111.84
NET ASSETS	2,527,378,860.59	1,585,434,118.24
SHAREHOLDERS FUNDS		
Capital	10,000,000.00	10,000,000.00
Income Surplus	1,257,811,685.96	1,276,097,632.41
Asset Revaluation Reserve	115,622,405.31	115,622,405.31
General Reserves	28,760,216.97	28,760,216.97
Other Reserves	1,114,784,147.95	1,114,693,092.53
Total Shareholders Funds	2,526,978,455.19	2,545,183,347.22

Note: The figures in this Balance Sheet have not been audited

CHANGE OF NAMES—*contd.*

6114. Miss Stella Ofeibea Ofei, an Import and Export Officer of Nestle Ghana Limited, Tema Industrial Area, Sanyo Road, P.O. Box CE 11497, Tema, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Stella Ofeibea Amoako with effect from 2nd September, 2010. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6115. Mc Giffard Kutu, *a.k.a.* McGiffard Kutu, a Student of Early Bird School and of P.O. Box 104, Abbosey-Okai, Accra, wishes to be known and called McGiffard Kutu with effect from 13th September, 2012. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

6116. Miss Rebecca Akyire, *a.k.a.* Miss Akyire Blankson Rebecca, *a.k.a.* Miss Rebecca Akyire-Blankson, a Student of Narh Bitu School (Nursing College), Tema and of H/No. Adenta SSNITS Flat, Block 48, Room B6, wishes to be known and called Miss Rebecca Akyire-Blankson with effect from 13th June, 2008. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6117. Miss Comfort Wisseh, a Manageress of Expro Ghana Ltd., Takoradi and of Race Cross, Takoradi, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Comfort Duncan with effect from 20th July, 2012. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6118. Miss Alberta Nana Esi Arkorful, a Secretary of Ghana Federation of Labour, c/o St. Paul Methodist Church, P.O. Box 25, Tema, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Alberta Nana Esi Mensah with effect from 21st February, 2009. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6119. Miss Akosua Serwaa *a.k.a.* Miss Akosua Serwaah *a.k.a.* Miss Serwaa Akosua, a Hairdresser of P.O. Box CO 521, Tema, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Grace Akosua Serwaah Micheli with effect from 21st May, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6120. Miss Mabel Agbenatoo *a.k.a.* Miss Mabel Makafui Agbenatoo, a Student of Nyaniba Health Assistant School, Accra and of P.O. Box 1237, Madina, Accra, wishes to be known and called Miss Mabel Makafui Agbenatoo with effect from 10th October, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6121. Mr. Joseph Clinton Apalazoya Adombire *a.k.a.* Mr. Adombire J. A. Clinton, a Student Nurse of Community Health Nurses Training School, P.O. Box 233, Tamale, wishes to be known and called Mr. Joseph Clinton Apalazoya Adombire with effect from 11th October, 2012. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

6122. Miss Abisa A. Rosalind *a.k.a.* Miss Rosalind Awintara, Student Nurse of Community Health Nurses Training School, P.O. Box 233, Tamale, wishes to be known and called Miss Rosalind Awintara Abisa with effect from 26th September, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6123. Miss Abowon A. Rena *a.k.a.* Miss Abowon Amgakoalem Rena, a Student Nurse of Community Health Training School, P.O. Box 233, Tamale, wishes to be known and called Miss Abowon Amgakoalem Rena with effect from 2nd October, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6124. Mr. Kwaku Boateng *a.k.a.* Mr. Boateng Joseph, an Electrician of P.O. Box 14, Jackie-Ashanti, wishes to be known and called Mr. Kwaku Boateng with effect from 5th June, 2002. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

6125. Miss Wegbebu Juliet Mansah E. *a.k.a.* Miss Wegbebu Juliet Mansah Enyonam, a Student Nurse of Community Health Nurses Training School, P.O. Box 233, Tamale, wishes to be known and called Miss Wegbebu Juliet Mansah Enyonam with effect from 11th October, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6126. Mr. Bunwere Felix *a.k.a.* Mr. Bunwere D. Felix *a.k.a.* Mr. Bunwere Diedong Felix, a Student Nurse of Community Health Nurses Training School, P.O. Box 233, Tamale, wishes to be known and called Miss Bunwere Diedong Felix with effect from 1st October, 2012. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

6127. Mr. Yaw Asiamah, a Teacher with Reg. No. 3429/2008 of Kyekyewere Methodist Junior High School, Afigya-Kwabre, c/o Solomon Asiamah, P.O. Box UP 248, K.N.U.S.T., Kumasi, wishes to be known and called Mr. Daniel Tuffour with effect from 8th October, 2012. All documents bearing his former name are still valid.

6128. Miss Azangbebila L. Faustina *a.k.a.* Miss Azangbebila Lardi Faustina *a.k.a.* Miss Faustina Lardi Azangbebila, a Student Nurse of Community Health Nurses Training School, P.O. Box 233, Tamale, wishes to be known and called Miss Azangbebila Lardi Faustina with effect from 11th October, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6129. Miss Besangn T. Jacqueline *a.k.a.* Miss Jacqueline Besangn Taayang, a Student Nurse of Community Health Nurses Training School, P.O. Box 233, Tamale, wishes to be known and called Miss Jacqueline Besangn Taayang with effect from 28th September, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

CHANGE OF NAMES

6096. Miss Hannah Adom-Ameyaw, a Student of University of Dortmund, Germany, c/o Raymond Eyison, P.O. Box MP 2153, Mamprobi, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Hannah Adom Eyison with effect from 4th June, 2012. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6097. Mr. Jude Nana Obuobisa Mate, a Banker of The Royal Bank, P.O. Box OS 172, Osu, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mr. Jude Shalom Nana Obuobisa Mate with effect from 10th October, 2012. All documents bearing his former name are still valid.

6098. Miss Rebecca Addy, *a.k.a.* Miss Rebbeca Addy, a Student of University of Development Studies, Tamale, c/o Mr. Samuel Hesse, Bishop Bowers School, P.O. Box MP 1920, Laterbiakorshie, wishes to be known and called Miss Rebecca Addy with effect from 11th October, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6099. Miss Abigail Ofori, a Credit Controller of PHC Motors Limited, South Industrial Area, Accra and of P.O. Box 7806, Accra-North, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Abigail Onassis-Fiadjoie with effect from 4th February, 2012. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6100. Mr. Rexford Akakpo, *a.k.a.* Mr. Rexford Mawunyegah Akakpo, a Lecturer of Pentecost University College, Sowutuom, Accra and of H/No.7, 2nd Ayiku Close, (Door To Door), Batsona Spintex Road, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mr. Rexford Mawunyegah Akakpo with effect from 12th October, 2012. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

6101. Mr. Kwame Appiah, *a.k.a.* Mr. Usman Ahmed Ishaque, a Teacher with Reg. No. 1240/SDU/01 of Bawjiase Catholic Junior High School, P.O. Box BJ 31, Awutu Bawjiase, wishes to be known and called Mr. Kwame Appiah with effect from 14th May, 2009. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

6102. Miss Abigail Abena Asiamah, a Midwife with Reg. No. RM 321 of Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital, Korle-Bu, Accra and of P.O. Box 1126, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Abigail Abena Tetteh with effect from 26th December, 2010. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6103. Miss Edith Cynthia Sam, a Housewife of P.O. Box SN 75, Santasi, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Edith Cynthia Awuku with effect from 2nd March, 2012. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6104. Miss Amuasi Grace-Joy, *a.k.a.* Miss Grace-Joy Amuasi, an Assistant Visa Officer of Swiss Embassy, Accra and of H/No. 229, Agbogba, Daa Salam, North Legon, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Grace-Joy Olety with effect from 25th August, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6105. Miss Josephine Mensah, a Technician of Electricity Company of Ghana Limited, Dodowa, c/o Mr. R. Mensah, P.O. Box AT 957, Achimota-Market, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Josephine Owusu Osafo with effect from 16th August, 2001. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6106. Miss Agbenyo Lilian, *a.k.a.* Miss Agbenyo Lilian Adzo, *a.k.a.* Miss Lilian Kafui Adzo Agbenyo, a Student of Bole Community Health Nursing Training School, c/o Madam Esime Arku, P.O. Box HP 1239, Ho, wishes to be known and called Miss Lilian Kafui Adzo Agbenyo with effect from 24th May, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6107. Miss Francisca Addai, *a.k.a.* Miss Francisca Addai-Marfo, a Teacher of Nyaboo Methodist Primary School, P.O. Box 16, Nyaboo, wishes to be known and called Miss Francisca Addai with effect from 26th September, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6108. Miss Oppong Erica Boampong, *a.k.a.* Miss Erica Oppong Boampong P., *a.k.a.* Miss Erica Oppong Boampong, a Student of Martin Luther Nursing School, Odorkor, Accra and of P.O. Box DS 89, Dansoman, Accra, wishes to be known and called Miss Erica Oppong Boampong with effect from 12th October, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6109. Miss Mercy Yaa Amatia Acheampomaah, a Civil Servant and of H/No. A 88/12, Nsakinna Road, Camara, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Mercy Yaa Amatia Acheampomaah-Odoi with effect from 3rd December, 2005. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6110. Miss Eva Oduro, a Housewife and of P.O. Box 18, Batsoona Avenue (DTD), Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Eva Dixon with effect from 13th April, 2012. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6111. Miss Henrietta Opokua Ampadu, *a.k.a.* Miss Henrietta Ampadu, an Agriculturist of Feedtime Ventures, P.O. Box CT 498, Cantonments, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Henrietta Opokua Amissah with effect from 23rd November, 2002. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6112. Miss Ayisha Hamidu, *a.k.a.* Miss Janelle Hamidu, a Tutor of Akumadan Senior High School and of P.O. Box CT 7791, Cantonments, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Janelle Okine with effect from 31st March, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6113. Mr. Samuel Axovi, a Businessman and of P.O. Box 13771, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mr. Stephane Mexes with effect from 15th October, 2012. All documents bearing his former name are still valid.

CHANGE OF NAMES—*contd.*

6145. Miss Adusei Afriyie C., *a.k.a.* Miss Adusei Afriyie Christabel, a Student of Midwifery/Health Assistant Training School, P.O. Box 41, Tepa-Ashanti, wishes to be known and called Miss Adusei Afriyie Christabel with effect from 11th October, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6146. Mr. Adomako Martin Adu, *a.k.a.* Mr. Adu Adomako Marthin, *a.k.a.* Mr. Adu Adomako Martin, a Student of Midwifery/Health Assistant Training School, P.O. Box 41, Tepa-Ashanti, wishes to be known and called Mr. Adu Adomako Martin with effect from 11th October, 2012. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

6147. Miss Vivian Abena Assefuah, a Banker of Ecobank Ghana Limited, Kenyasi Branch and of P.O. Box KB 542, Korle-Bu, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Ewurabena Baah with effect from 22nd January, 2011. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6148. Miss Irene Serwaa Sackey, *a.k.a.* Miss Irene Nana Serwaa Sackey, an Agriculturist of M.O.F.A., Sekyere East District and of P.O. Box 200, Ofankor, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Irene Serwaa Asante with effect from 17th April, 2010. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6149. Mr. Awuni Amidu, *a.k.a.* Mr. Abubakar Amidu, a Student of IPMC Computer Training Institute and of H/No. E 484/5, Nima, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mr. Abubakar Amidu with effect from 5th October, 2012. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

6150. Miss Christiana Awo Asiedu, a Seamstress and of P.O. Box 278, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Christiana Grant with effect from 19th November, 1998. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6151. Miss Gloria Leila Hanyor, an Account Officer of Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital, Accra and of P.O. Box 1587, Accra Central, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Leila Treore with effect from 25th June, 2011. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6152. Miss Sam A. Eugette, *a.k.a.* Miss Eugette Aaliyah Sam, *a.k.a.* Miss Sam Aaliyah Eugette, a Student of Tamale Nurse's and Midwives Training College, Tamale, wishes to be known and called Miss Sam Aaliyah Eugette with effect from 25th September, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6153. Mr. Ibrahim Moro, a Public Servant of Town and Country Planning Department, P.O. Box 72, Half Assini, wishes to be known and called Mr. Ibrahim Umar with effect from 2nd September, 2011. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

CHANGE OF DATES OF BIRTH

6154. Miss Abigail Asante, a Student of Kwame Nkrumah University of Science of Technology, P.M.B., Kumasi, wishes all to know that her date of birth is 6th December, 1992 and *not* 6th December, 1991 with effect from 11th October, 2012. All documents bearing her former date of birth are still valid.

6155. Miss Agyemang Dorcas, a Student of Midwifery/Health Assistants Training School, c/o Daniel Sakodie, P.O. Box KW 142, Kwadaso-Kumasi, wishes all to know that her date of birth is 25th June, 1986 and *not* 25th June 1987 with effect from 20th September, 2012. All documents bearing her former date of birth are still valid.

6156. Miss Yahaya Christiana Tunaba, a Student Nurse of Community Health Nurses Training School, P.O. Box 233, Tamale, wishes all to know that her date of birth is 9th February, 1987 and *not* 9th February, 1986 and 9th February, 1988 with effect from 11th October, 2012. All documents bearing her former dates of birth are still valid.

6157. Miss Victoria Akosua Akpabli, a Nurse/Midwife with Reg. No. 13988 of Tema General Hospital, P.O. Box 14, Tema, wishes all to know that her date of birth is 11th February, 1953 and *not* 2nd February, 1953 with effect from 25th June, 2012. All documents bearing her former date of birth are still valid.

6158. Mr. Abubakar Amidu, a Student of IPMC Computer Training Institute and of H/No. E 434/15, Nima, Accra, wishes all to know that his date of birth is 22nd August, 1988 and *not* 22nd August, 1990 with effect from 5th October, 2012. All documents bearing his former date of birth are still valid.

CHANGE OF NAMES—*contd.*

6130. Mr. Joshua Kumah Sokpah *a.k.a.* Mr. Sokpah Kumah Joshua *a.k.a.* Mr. Sokpah Joshua Kuma, a Student of Health Assistant Training School, Keta and of P.O. Box 461, Likpe Todome, Hohoe, wishes to be known and called Mr. Joshua Kumah Sokpah with effect from 15th October, 2012. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

6131. Mr. Yussif Mahmoud *a.k.a.* Mr. Clifford Takyi Mahmoud, a Teacher with Reg. No. 2674/09 of Nkwanta D/A Junior High School, P.O. Box 11, Dokro-Nkwanta, Nkoranza, wishes to be known and called Mr. Clifford Takyi Mahmoud with effect from 27th October, 2010. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

6132. Miss Margaret Oduro-Dwamena, a Banker with Staff No. 517 of HFC Bank Ghana Ltd., Cape Coast and of P.O. Box 2664, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Margaret Reinhold with effect from 2nd July, 2011. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6133. Mr. Stephen Akomaning, a Freight Forwarder of Pep Logistics Company Limited, Tema and P.O. Box CO 638, Tema, wishes to be known and called Mr. Stephen Kofi Danso-Akomaning with effect from 15th October, 2012. All documents bearing his former name are still valid.

6134. Miss Faustina Kumah, *a.k.a.* Miss Faustina Dadzie, a Secretary of Ministry of Health, P.O. Box M 44, Ministries, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Faustina Crentsil with effect from 5th September, 2009. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6135. Miss Bernice Naa Ahemah Nunoo, *a.k.a.* Miss Bernice Naa-Ahemah Nunoo, a Seamstress and of P.O. Box AN 19708, Accra-North, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Bernice Naa Ahemah Kpei with effect from 16th March, 2011. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6136. Miss Abigail Asante, *a.k.a.* Miss Abigail Nana Afia Konadu Asante, a Student of Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, P.M.B., Kumasi, wishes to be known and called Miss Abigail Asante with effect from 11th October, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6137. Miss Afua Saah Osei-Agyemang, a Secretary of Iridak Roofing Systems, Ashaley Botwe, Accra and of P.O. Box MP 2101, Mamprobi, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Afua Saah Ohemeng-Mintah with effect from 3rd December, 2011. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6138. Miss Mamavi Agbemabiese, *a.k.a.* Miss Juanita Patience Mamavi-Agbemabiese, a Journalist of Joy FM, Accra and of P.O. Box CT 2899 Cantonments, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Mamavi Owusu-Aboagye with effect from 8th October, 2010. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6139. Mr. Ebenezer Tawiah Agyemang *a.k.a.* Mr. Ebenezer Sarpong-Kumankomah, a Student of Asanteman Senior High School, Kumasi and of P.O. Box AN 15295, Accra-North, wishes to be known and called Mr. Ebenezer Sarpong-Kumankomah with effect from 19th September, 2012. All documents bearing his former names are still valid.

6140. Mrs. Essah Diana, *a.k.a.* Miss Diana Ofosu Addo, *a.k.a.* Miss Diana Addobea Ofosu Addo, a Teacher of Camp '2' Junior High School, Teshie and of P.O. Box 465, Nungua, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Diana Addobea Essah with effect from 19th April, 2003. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6141. Miss Joycelyn Kumbey, *a.k.a.* Miss Joycelyn Enyonam Kumbey, a Student of Western Hills School of Nursing, P.O. Box OF 299, Ofankor, wishes to be known and called Miss Joycelyn Enyonam Kumbey with effect from 15th October, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6142. Miss Grace Kpodo, *a.k.a.* Miss Grace Enyonam Kpodo, a Student of Presbyterian University College, Agogo Campus, c/o Mark Leonard Kpodo P.O. Box AD 399, Adabraka, Accra, wishes to be known and called Miss Grace Enyonam Kpodo with effect from 21st June, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

6143. Miss Eunice Asante-Kessie, an Account Clerk of Hillview Montessori School, Ashongman, Accra and of P.O. Box BC 290, Burma Camp, Accra, wishes to be known and called Mrs. Eunice Armah with effect from 8th March, 2008. All documents bearing her former name are still valid.

6144. Miss Amobire Josephine A., *a.k.a.* Miss Josephine Ayinemah Amobire, a Student of Bolgatanga Midwifery Training School, P.O. Box 255, Bolgatanga, wishes to be known and called Miss Josephine Ayinemah Amobire with effect from 9th July, 2012. All documents bearing her former names are still valid.

THE HISTORY OF GHANA

The history of Ghana is a story of a land that has been the cradle of many great civilizations. From the ancient Kingdom of Ghana, which flourished in the 8th to 13th centuries, to the modern state of Ghana, which gained independence in 1946, the country has a rich and varied past. The early history of Ghana is shrouded in mystery, but archaeological evidence suggests that the region was inhabited by people as early as 100,000 years ago. The first major civilization to emerge in the area was the Kingdom of Ghana, which was founded by the Soninke people. This kingdom was a powerful trading empire that controlled the trans-Saharan trade routes, and it was one of the most advanced states in West Africa at the time. The Kingdom of Ghana was succeeded by the Mali Empire in the 13th century, which also controlled the trans-Saharan trade routes and was a major power in West Africa. The Mali Empire was followed by the Songhai Empire in the 15th century, which was the largest and most powerful state in West Africa at the time. The Songhai Empire was eventually conquered by the Moroccan Empire in the 16th century, and the region was then ruled by the Moroccan Empire for over a century. In the 17th century, the region was ruled by the Asante Empire, which was founded by the Asante people. The Asante Empire was a powerful state that controlled the trans-Saharan trade routes and was a major power in West Africa. The Asante Empire was eventually conquered by the British Empire in the 19th century, and the region was then ruled by the British Empire for over a century. In 1946, Ghana gained independence from the British Empire, and it has since become a major power in West Africa. Today, Ghana is a democratic state with a strong economy and a rich cultural heritage. It is a country that has a long and proud history, and it is a country that is full of promise for the future.