

## MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

## PRESS RELEASE

## REOPENING OF THE EMBASSY OF GHANA IN WASHINGTON DC, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

ACCRA, 27<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2025 - Following the recall of Home-Based Staff and the suspension of Local Staff of the Embassy of Ghana in Washington DC, United States of America, a team of seasoned diplomats led by an astute diplomat from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, has been tasked to run the Mission to ensure total systems overhaul, restore integrity in the Embassy's operations and complete ongoing structural reforms.

It is worth noting that an Information Technology (IT) team has already been deployed to reconfigure the website and payment platforms to do away with all unofficial and unauthorized links associated with the IT system of the Embassy.

The Ministry wishes to inform the general public that the Embassy is set to reopen on **Thursday**, 29<sup>th</sup> May, 2025. We assure that measures have been put in place to clear the backlog. Any inconvenience resulting from our necessary interventions is deeply regretted.

All inquiries may be channeled to the following for prompt resolution:

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The Ministry additionally conveys that the unfortunate circumstances which led to the closure of the Embassy have been brought to the attention of the Auditor-General and the Attorney-General of the Republic of Ghana for further action and appropriate sanctions.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs takes this opportunity to reassure of its commitment to enhancing service delivery to the public, safeguarding transparency and accountability and protecting Ghana's esteemed image in the comity of nations.

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