



## **National Association of Local Authorities of Ghana (NALAG)**

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### **PRESS RELEASE**

#### **NALAG CONDEMNS THE MURDER OF HON. MARCUS MAWULI ADZAHLI, ASSEMBLY MEMBER FOR SOGAKOPE SOUTH.**

**HON. BISMARK BAISIE NKUM**  
DCE, Gomoa West District Assembly  
**PRESIDENT**

The National Association of Local Authorities of Ghana (NALAG), condemns the brutal murder of the Assembly Member for Sogakope South, Hon. Marcus Mawuli Adzahli, popularly known as Mac Greenline and attack on his family especially his widowed wife and child who are under critical condition receiving treatment at the hospital.

**HON. WILLIAM ADUUM**  
M.C.E., Kassena Nankana  
Municipal Assembly  
**1<sup>ST</sup> VICE PRESIDENT**

It is rather barbaric for people to resort to killing of public officers especially in the case of Hon. Marcus Mawuli Adzahli.

NALAG bemoans all forms of threats, harassments, humiliations and undue frustrations on our Members and other public officers which frowns on their fundamental human rights.

**HON. EVELYN DANSOA BOATENG**  
AM, New Juabeng Municipal Assembly  
**2<sup>ND</sup> VICE PRESIDENT**

We call on all authorities responsible for keeping security and peace, particularly the police force in the country to rise to protect Honourable Members, who are the drivers of the nation's development at the local level. If we fail to deal with this growing canker, things could become worse especially considering the nature of this electioneering year.

**HON. KOKRO AMANKWAH**  
**GENERAL SECRETARY**

We call on the general public to lend total support to the security services in arresting perpetrators of such heinous crimes against Assembly Members who have by virtue of their office has offered themselves in service to the nation under extreme resource constraints.

#### **A CALL FOR CALM**

We urge all our Members to remain calm and remain committed to the national development agenda for the good of the country whiles being cautious of their personal safety at all times.

We also call on the residents of Sogakope to eschew any form wrongful activities that may throw the town into chaos or affect the general security and wellbeing of other residents in the locality. We understand their frustration and anger but we call for calm to remain. All members of NALAG should engage their various constituents within the Assembly to use lawful means in demanding for the right things to be done.

We further call on the Security Services to intensify investigations in order to

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bring the perpetrators of the atrocious crime to book.

Citizens who are aggrieved with public officers in any form should only resort to the use of dialogue at all times for the resolution of all misunderstandings to ensure peace and stability in our localities and nation as a whole.

**SIGNED:**

**HON. KOKRO AMANKWAH**

**(GENERAL SECRETARY)**

**For: PRESIDENT**

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