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PRESS RELEASE

MASS DISINFESTATION EXERCISE IN ALL THE EIGHTEEN (18) MUNICIPAL AND DISTRICT ASSEMBLIES IN THE VOLTA REGION ON SATURDAY, 4TH APRIL, 2020

Good morning Ladies and Gentlemen of the Press.

On behalf of His Excellency the President of the Republic of Ghana, Nana Addo Dankwa Akufo-Addo, the Ministry of Local Government and Rural Development, the Volta Regional Co-ordinating Council (VRCC), the Municipal and District Assemblies and on my own behalf we have invited you here this morning at very short notice to brief you on the Mass Disinfection Exercise directed by the President in all the sixteen (16) Regions of the Country and in particular the Volta Region to prevent and contain the spread of COVID-19 Pandemic.

First of all I would like to highly commend you for responding to our invitation in spite of the very short notice.

Once again your responsiveness is a reflection of the very cordial working relationship the VRCC has with the Press which has contributed significantly to the general development of the Region. Thank you so much.

As you are already aware the Mass disinfection exercise has commenced in earnest throughout the country and so far a number of region have already successfully undertaken theirs including the Greater Accra Region, the Ashanti Region, and the Bono Region among others.

Happily, the exercise has been scheduled to take place in the Volta Region on Saturday, 4th April, 2020 from 5:00 am to 2:00 pm.

For the avoidance of doubt the exercise will simultaneously take place in the major markets in all the eighteen (18) Municipal and District Assemblies in the Region.

In addition all the Lorry Parks and Shops, Stores, Restaurants, Chop Bars, and all Businesses that Operate adjacent or close to the various markets will be affected and therefore will all remain closed on Saturday, 4th April, 2020 from 5:00 am to 2:00 pm.

For the purposes of clarity we attach herewith the list of the affected markets and areas for the traders and other service providers who operate at these places to be notified and educated so that they comply with the directive to close their shops and stay away from them during the period the exercise will take place.

Therefore all Hon. Municipal/District Chief Executives are hereby directed to engage with the market Queens and traders as well as other service providers of the affected markets to solicit their full support and co-operation.

The exercise will be undertaken by Zoomlion group of companies and assisted by other sprayers to be mobilized by the Municipal and District Assemblies.

The other key stakeholders who will be assisting in the exercise include the Security Agencies, the Military, the Police, the Fire Service as well as NADMO and the Ambulance Service.

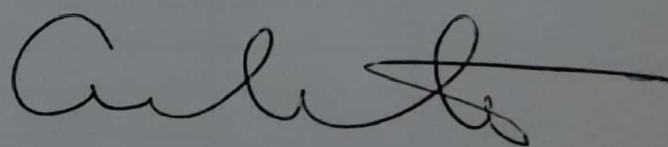
The Presence of the Security Agencies is to ensure that law and order prevails at the various places.

Therefore, as the Forth Estate of the Realm, we have invited the press to brief you about the impending exercise on Saturday, 4th April, 2020 and to solicit your usual support and assistance to carry the message across the length and breath of the citizenry and in particular to the market women, traders as well as all service providers who operate at the various markers to understand the importance and general benefits of the mass disinfection exercise so that they keep their shops closed on Saturday, 4th April, 2020 from 5:00 am to 2:00 pm.

On this note, Ladies and Gentlemen, I wish to once again thank you for your time, patience and prompt response to our invitation to attend this important meeting.

I will pause here and take any question for clarification.

Thank you and may God bless us all.



(DR. ARCHIBALD YAO LETSA)
HON. REGIONAL MINISTER/VOLTA

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MARKET CENTRES IN VOLTA REGIONS

NO.	MMDA	DISTRICT CAPITAL	NAME	TOTAL NUMBER
1	ADAKLU	WAYA	Waya Market	4
			Ahunda Kpodzi market	
			Boso market	
			Helekpe	
2	AFADJATO SOUTH	GOLOKUATI	Golokuati	4
			Liati	
			Leklebi	
			Logba	
3	AGOTIME ZIOPE	KPETOE	Ziope market	3
			Kpetoe market	
			Agotime -Zopope	
4	AKATSI NORTH	AVE DAKPA	Ave Dakpa	4
			Ave Xevi	
			Afiadenyigba	
			Atanve	
5	AKATSI SOUTH	AKATSI	Akatsi Central market	5
			Avenorpeme	
			Avenorpedo	
			Wute	
			Akatsi Mini market	
6	ANLOGA	ANLOGA	Anloga market	3
			Anyanui market	
			Woe market	
7	CENTRAL TONGU	ADIDIME	Adidome market	5
			Mafi Kumasi	
			Mafi Avedo market	
			Agorve market	
			Mafi Zongo	
8	HO MUNICIPAL	HO	Ho Central	5
			Ahoe market	
			Nyive Market	
			Dome	
			shia	
9			Kpedze	

	HO WEST	DZOLOKPUITA	Kisifli	
			Tsito	
			Dededo	4
10				
			Hohoe Central market	
			Likpe Bala	
			Likpe Bakwa	
			Wli	
			Kpeme	
			Atabu	
	HOHOE MUNICIPAL	HOHOE	Like Abrani	7
11				
			Abor	
			Anyarko	
			Atiavi	
	KETA MUNICIPAL	KETA	Keta	4
12				
			Dzodze	
			Weta	
			Tadzewu	
			Penyi	
			Afife	
			Ehi	
	KETU NORTH	DZODZE	Dzodze Dzesime market	7
13				
			Agbozome	
			Aflao	
			Denu	
			Aflao Border	
			Wudada	
	KETU SOUTH	AFLAO	Gkli	6
14				
			Kpando Central market	
	KPANDO MUNICIPAL	KPANDO	Torkor market	2
15				
			Anfoega	
	NORTH DAYI	ANFOETA	Vakpo market	2
16				
			Juapong market	
			Battor market	
			Aveyime market	
	NORTH TONGU	BATORKEVE	Mepe market	4
17				
			Kpeve	
			Dzemeni	
	SOUTH DAYI		Peki	3

18			Dabala market	
		SOGAKOPE	Sogakope	
	SOUTH TONGU		Sikpo	3
	TOTAL			75