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NATIONAL SECRETARIAT
UNIVERSITY TEACHERS ASSOCIATION OF GHANA

UTAG/NAT/2021/IM-004

24TH DECEMBER, 2021

COMMUNIQUE

We refer to our communiqué dated 11th November 2021 with reference number UTAG/NAT/2021/IM-003.

At its emergency meeting held on Tuesday, 21st December 2021, the National Executive Committee (NEC) of UTAG, among other things, reviewed and examined the response of the Chief Executive of Fair Wages and Salaries Commission (FWSC) to our letter dated 11th November 2021 with reference number UTAG/NAT/2021/EM-002. Primarily, our letter requested for a copy of the report of the 2021 Labour Market Survey (LMS) and expressed the need for agreed timelines for the implementation of the LMS to be respected.

It is unfortunate to report that the NEC of UTAG is yet to receive a copy of the 2021 Labour Market Survey (LMS) Report from the FWSC and considering that the LMS commenced in mid-2019, the pace of work leaves much to be desired.

At the meeting, members took exception to the response from the FWSC, which suggested an unwillingness to release a copy of the report to UTAG for our study to enable us to plan our next line of action. We believe the unwillingness to release the report only serves to deepen the perception of lack of trust that has so far characterised our engagements.

Thus, the NEC of UTAG resolved that failure of the Employer to adhere to the agreed timelines will compel UTAG to withdraw teaching and related activities, effective Monday, 10th January 2022.

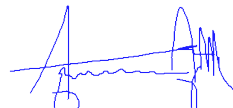
We are, therefore, calling on the Employer to do the needful in the interest of industrial harmony on the campuses of our Public Universities.

The NEC of UTAG also calls on all University Teachers in Ghana to remain calm and united to sustain the fight for better Conditions of Service for members.

Thank you.



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