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PRESS RELEASE

GACC URGES GOVERNMENT TO SPEND COVID-19 NATIONAL TRUST FUNDS AND DONATIONS IN A TRANSPARENT AND ACCOUNTABLE MANNER

The Ghana Anti-Corruption Coalition (GACC) commends government on the bold steps taken to fight the spread of the corona virus in Ghana. The Coalition also commends private companies, individuals, religious organizations and civil society organizations that have donated to the COVID-19 pool fund and/or are implementing interventions to help their communities cope with the effects of this pandemic.

The Coalition would like to remind government and all persons who deal with, or on behalf of government in expending COVID-19 funds to ensure that transparency and accountability to the people prevail.

GACC is urging the government and all persons in charge of procuring goods and services to be guided by value for money considerations, and strictly abide by the emergency public procurement laws.

GACC and like-minded CSOs will lead the charge of citizens to demand accountability from the people we have entrusted with our COVID-19 funds and resources.

Meanwhile, GACC would like to express our sincerest appreciation to the men and women working on the front lines to return our lives to normalcy. The Coalition further commends Government for introducing social intervention measures to blunt the effect of the ban on public engagements on commerce, and thus the livelihood of Ghanaians, particularly the most vulnerable in our society.

Finally, GACC encourages all residents of our dear country to abide by the safety and hygiene protocols, and restrictions on movements, as instructed by the President, H. E Nana Addo Dankwa Akufo-Addo.

Long live Ghana!!

SIGNED:
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Executive Secretary – GACC



About GACC

GACC is a unique cross-sectoral grouping of public, private and civil society organizations with a focus on promoting good governance and fighting corruption in Ghana.