

# GHANA ARMED FORCES



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### **GHANA ARMED FORCES REACTION TO CLAIMS OF RELEASE OF A PORTION OF BURMA CAMP LAND TO THE LA TRADITIONAL COUNCIL**

The Ghana Armed Forces High Command has sighted a media report in which the La Traditional Council is claiming that the government has released 114 Acres of Burma Camp Lands to them for development. This claim was made by the La Traditional Council during a ceremony which was performed to signify the reclamation of the said land.

The Military High Command wishes to acknowledge that there are ongoing discussions by a Committee set up by the Minister for Lands and Natural Resources to deliberate and recommend possible measures to resolve the land issue. However, the Ghana Armed Forces has not received any directives from the Ministry of Defence, which is our supervising Ministry, directing that the land should be released to the La Traditional Council. Neither has any government agency directed the Ghana Armed Forces to release any land to any Traditional Authority. Indeed, those lands remain a critical need of the Ghana Armed Forces for the preservation of State security.

Whereas the Ghana Armed Forces looks forward to a peaceful resolution of the matter through the Committee's work by government, it takes exception to the premature announcement made by the La Traditional Council as it has the potency of breaching the existing cordial relations between the Ghana Armed Forces and the La Traditional Council. The Military High Command wishes to assure all personnel of Ghana Armed Forces of its desire and resolve to protect the interest of the Ghana Armed Forces at all times.

The Military High Command by this release advises the general public to stay away from all Ghana Armed Forces lands, particularly the Burma Camp lands.



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