THE JUDICIAL SERVICE STAFF ASSOCIATION OF GHANA

PRESS RELEASE



DATED: **JULY 12, 2024**

RE: ORGANISED LABOUR INDUSTRIAL ACTION OVER SALE OF 60% OF SSNIT'S STAKE IN FOUR HOTELS

The Leadership of Organised Labour, at its emergency meeting held on Friday, 12th July 2024 at the Trades Union Congress (TUC), Accra resolved to reiterate its position that 'the proposed sale of SSNIT's share in the four hotels is not in the best interest of Ghanaian workers'. It therefore called for termination of the process with immediate effect.

Further, Organised Labour has **directed all workers** not to report to work from **Monday, July, 15, 2024** until the demands are met.

The Judicial Service Staff Association of Ghana (JUSAG) is an accredited member of Organised Labour and its members are required to comply with the resolution. Consequently, the National Executive Council (NEC) of JUSAG has directed that effective **Monday, 15th July, 2024** staff of the Judicial Service are not to report to work in compliance with the Organised Labour decision.

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ORGANISED LABOUR

PRESS STATEMENT ON PROPOSED SALE OF 60% OF SSNIT'S SHARES IN THE FOUR HOTELS

We have followed the developments on the proposed sale of 60% of SSNIT's stake in four hotels with very keen interest, especially after Organised Labour leadership meeting with the President of the Republic on this matter which took place on 25th June, 2024 at the Jubilee House.

Yesterday, 11th July, 2024, the Honourable Minister for Employment and Labour Relations, who is also responsible for pensions, made a statement in Parliament that NPRA has approved the sale of 60% of SSNIT's shares in the hotels.

We recall that on 28th June, 2024 the Board of NPRA issued a directive to SSNIT to suspend the negotiation with Rock City Hotel Ltd. We, therefore, find it extremely difficult to understand how and why NPRA would turn around to approve such a flawed deal two weeks after the directive.

Organised Labour would like to reiterate its well-known position that the proposed sale of SSNIT's shares in the four hotels is not in the best interest of Ghanaian workers.

We, therefore, demand that SSNIT terminates the process immediately.

From Monday, 15th July, 2024 all workers in Ghana must not go to work until SSNIT publicly announces the termination of the process for the sale of its shares in the hotels.

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