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EDAC Requests Postponement of Ashanti Region Executives' Swearing-in Pending Petition Hearing

The Election Dispute Adjudication Committee (EDAC) of the Ghana Journalists Association (GJA) has received a petition challenging the outcome of the recent elections held on June 30, 2025, specifically contesting the results for the Ashanti Region Chairperson. After reviewing the petition, EDAC is satisfied that it meets the constitutional requirements and will adjudicate on the matter.

Swearing-in Update

The EDAC has been informed that the swearing-in ceremony for the elected National and Regional Executives is scheduled for Friday, July 11, 2025. Given the ongoing petition concerning the Ashanti Region, we respectfully request that the swearing-in for the Ashanti Region executives be postponed until after the determination of this matter.

Process and Timeline

EDAC is committed to a fair and transparent process. We will review the petition, gather evidence, and conduct hearings in accordance with the GJA constitution. A detailed timeline for the petition process will be communicated to stakeholders, ensuring all parties are kept informed.

Call for Calm

We urge all parties involved, GJA members, and the public to remain calm and respectful during this process. EDAC assures you of our diligence and impartiality in handling the petition.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.



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