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PUBLIC HOLIDAYS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2019, ACT 986

The President of the Republic of Ghana, His Excellency, Nana Addo Dankwa Akufo-Addo assented to the Public Holidays (Amendment) Act 2019, (Act 989), on 16th April, 2019.

The Public Holidays (Amendment) Act 2019, (Act 989) states Statutory Public Holidays and Commemorative days;

	<u>Public Holidays</u>	
New Year's Day	-	1 st January
Constitution Day	-	7 th January
Independence Day	-	6 th March
Good Friday		
Easter Monday		
Eid-Al-Adha Hajj)		
Eid-Al-Fitr (Ramadan)		
Workers' Day	-	1 st May
Founders' Day	-	4 th August
Kwame Nkrumah Memorial Day	-	21 st September
Farmers Day	-	1 st Friday in December
Christmas Day	-	25 th December
Boxing Day	-	26 th December
	<u>Commemorative Days</u>	
African Union Day	-	25 th May
Republic Day	-	1 st July

Whilst the public holiday days would be observed as such, the commemorative days would only be observed but not to be observed as holidays.

The general public is hereby informed accordingly.

SIGNED
AMBROSE DERY (MP)
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TO: THE MEDIA