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Dear CHASS Member,

**APPEAL TO AUTHORITIES TO POSTPONE THE RESUMPTION OF SCHOOLS FROM THE CHRISTMAS
BREAK**

The National Executive Council (NEC) of CHASS at an emergency meeting convened on Tuesday, December 31st, 2024 decided among other things that:

1. The Ghana Education Service and the Ministry of Education be strongly advised against the reopening of schools on 3rd January 2025 after the Christmas break. The reasons accounting for this recommendation were contained in earlier letters written to the Hon Minister of Education through the Director General dated 12th August 2024, 13th November, 2024 and 20th December 2024, requesting government to make good the payment of all arrears in respect of perishables and recurrent fees as well as monies owed to schools emanating from the carting of food items from various regional distribution centers to schools.

2. Parents and Guardians will be notified through all appropriate channels available to CHASS and especially through the Regional branches of CHASS and the various school Parents Associations (PAs) of the decision as captured in paragraph 1 above.

This unfortunate decision was arrived at following the inability of appropriate authorities to heed to the several requests of the leadership of CHASS on the issues captured in paragraph 1 of this letter.

Leadership wants to inform its members that another reminder has been forwarded to the Hon Minister through the Director General on the above subject matter.

Leadership appeals to all members to take note of the content of this correspondence and adhere to them. Any action contrary to this directive will be considered as a betrayal of trust to the course of CHASS.

Be assured that, you will be duly notified on the next line of action when things are streamlined.

We count on your usual cooperation.

**BARO PRIMUS
NATIONAL SECRETARY**

TO:

ALL MEMBERS

CHASS