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MORTUARIES & FUNERAL FACILITIES AGENCY



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PRESS RELEASE

REGULARIZATION OF OPERATIONS OF MORTUARIES AND FUNERAL FACILITIES

The Mortuaries and Funeral Facilities Agency (MoFFA), established under Part Two of the Health Institution and Facilities Act, 2011 (Act 829) with the object to **license, control and regulate all facilities connected with the storage, transportation and disposal of human remains** wishes to inform the general public, both private and public mortuaries and funeral facilities that are operating without the requisite license to take immediate steps to regularize their operations with the Agency within one (1) week from the date of this publication.

The Agency has observed that a number of Mortuaries and Funeral Facilities continue to operate without license which is contrary to section 55 of Act 829, which states that; “a person who practices in a facility without registering as a practitioner or fails to license a facility commits an offence and is liable to the payment of a fine or the temporary or permanent closure of the facility.”

All operators of Facilities and Practitioners are by this notice advised to take steps to regularize their operations or risk closure of their facilities.

For further enquiries, kindly contact the Mortuaries and Funeral Facilities Agency at the Former Ministry of Health Main Building, Ministries, Room 22. You can also contact us on, 0302956550, 0243868384, 0244659795, 0243164470 Or visit our website at www.moffa.gov.gh.

MoFFA, Protecting the Living; Dignifying the Dead

Signed

Registrar