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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **GES CAUTION AGAINST UNAUTHORIZED BECE REGISTRATION FEES**

The Ghana Education Service (GES) has taken notice of allegations on social media that some Heads of Basic schools are imposing unauthorized BECE registration fees on final-year students.

Management wishes to emphasize that these fees are unauthorized, and all Heads are advised to cease this practice immediately. Regional Directors are instructed to alert District Directors to monitor the situation and caution all Heads of Basic schools.

Any Head who has collected such unauthorized fees is required to refund the monies promptly. Failure to comply will result in sanctions.

Heads of Basic schools are reminded that late registration of candidates will not be permitted. Therefore, all eligible candidates must be registered within the stipulated registration period set by the West African Examinations Council (WAEC).

The general public is informed to take note.

**SIGNED**

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