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REPUBLIC OF GHANA

**MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND  
REGIONAL INTEGRATION**

**CIRCULAR NOTE - URGENT**

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Regional Integration of the Republic of Ghana presents its compliments to all Diplomatic Missions, International Organisations and Honorary Consulates accredited to the Republic of Ghana, and as part of enhanced measures by the Government of Ghana to contain the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, regrets to announce the **temporary closure of the VIP Lounge at the Kotoka International Airport (KIA) with effect from Saturday, 21<sup>st</sup> March, 2020 until further notice.**

The above decision is critical to secure Ghana's borders and ports of entry, especially the KIA against further importation of the virus into the country. In light of the foregoing, it has become mandatory for all inbound and outbound passengers, including emergency cases, to use Terminal 3 of the KIA and go through laid down arrival and departure protocols. Services at the VIP Lounge would be restored when the situation normalizes.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Regional Integration of the Republic of Ghana avails itself of this opportunity to renew to all Diplomatic Missions, International Organisations and Honorary Consulates accredited to the Republic of Ghana the assurances of its highest consideration.

Accra, 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2020



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