

National Communications Authority

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Namibia Benchmarks Ghana's Telecommunications Sector

Accra, September 18, 2024 - The National Communications Authority (NCA), on Tuesday, 17th September, 2024, received a delegation from the Ministry of Information and Communication Technology (MICT) of Namibia on a one-day benchmark visit. The 7-member delegation, led by Mr. Shasimana Uugulu, Deputy Director for Production, sought to gain perspective on best practices in the regulatory field and other possible areas of cooperation.

Welcoming the delegation, the Deputy Director General for Technical Operations, Prof. Ezer Osei Yeboah-Boateng, expressed the NCA's pleasure to host MICT for such an event. He added that beyond the conventional regulations, the Authority is exploring new regulatory avenues for the communications sector. This, he said has become important as the world is migrating to digital platforms and regulatory interventions are needed to harness digital services being carried on communication services. Ending his remarks, Prof. Yeboah-Boateng assured the delegation of the NCA's availability to collaborate with Namibia concerning issues within the industry.



• Prof. Ezer Osei Yeboah-Boateng giving his welcome remarks

Head of MICT delegation, Mr. Shasimana Uugulu, in his brief remarks, thanked the NCA for the warm reception and noted that MICT sought to benchmark the NCA owing to the many years of remarkable achievements in the telecommunications sector within the sub-region. He was hopeful that his team would gain the required knowledge in their various areas of concern to enable them impact positively on the MICT's operations and the Namibian telecommunication industry as a whole.



Mr. Shasimana Uugulu giving his remarks on behalf of the delegation

Present at the meeting were some Management members and staff of the Authority. The delegation was taken through some presentations and tours to the various regulatory installations and facilities within the NCA.



• Mad. Olivia Okailey Quartey (left) making a presentation to a member of the delegation



• The delegation and some Management Staff of the NCA in a group photo

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About NCA

The National Communications Authority, (NCA), was established by an Act of Parliament, Act 524 in December 1996, which has been repealed and replaced by the National Communications Authority Act, 2008 (Act 769). The Authority is the statutory body mandated to license and to regulate electronic communication activities and services in t