

BRIEF PROFILE OF MR. ERIC ADDAE
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF
GUARDS OF THE EARTH AND THE VULNERABLE (GEV)



He is a graduate and a professional Social Worker. He graduated in 1997 at the University of Ghana – Legon.

He did his long vacation field work with the World Vision Int. (International NGO) with the focus on raising the living standard of the deprived communities around the world.

He did his National Service as a teacher at Roman Catholic J.S.S Kenyasi and later with the office of the National Disaster Management (NADMO) Asutifi District

He was appointed as a District Coordinator for NADMO in 1998

and posted to the Berekum District as the substantive District Coordinator, a position he held up to 2002 until he was posted to Accra as an assistant to the Director of the emergency response unit (NADMO H/Q). He was the first Ghanaian to benefit from a co-operation programme of the Ghana government and the government of Singapore to study Emergency Response in Singapore from 10th-22nd October, 2001.

He resigned from the Civil Service in May 2004 to be engaged more on his professional social work practice in his home-town Kenyasi where Newmont Ghana Gold Ltd. (NGGL) is located.

He was the mouthpiece on behalf of farmers during negotiation with Newmont on compensation in 2003 that finally increased compensation rate by 103% across board.

He was a member of the panel that undertook the crop mop up review exercise (NGGL /GEV) collaborative programme.

He is currently a member of the Resettlement Negotiation Committee (RNC).

He is currently the Executive Director of Guards of the Earth and the Vulnerable (GEV) a local NGO working on the vulnerable programme with Newmont Ghana Gold Ltd. (NGGL) and Opportunity Industrialization Centres International (OICI) at Kenyasi the project site of Newmont Ghana Gold Ltd.

Hobbies: Making Friends and Reading

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