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PRESS RELEASE BY THE NEW PATRIOTIC PARTY (NPP) LEADERSHIP-GARU CONSTITUENCY:

Good morning, ladies and gentlemen of the press, the NPP fraternity, and the general public.

On behalf of the parliamentary candidate, the constituency executives, the council of patrons, the council of elders, and the entire NPP supporters, we bring warm greetings to everyone in Kusaug.

It has become very necessary for us to issue this press statement in view of the current unfortunate situation in Kusaug occasioned by the return into Bawku of the illegally self-proclaimed chief Seidu Abagre, which has led to renewed clashes between the Kusasis and the Mamprusis, leading to loss of lives and properties within Kusaug and the North East Region, specifically Walewale.

This sad situation required our due attention, and since the dawn of the renewed clashes on October 25, 2024, we have suspended our campaign activities in line with the directive of Zugraan and the Kusaug Traditional Council to suspend the campaign activities of the NPP in the six constituencies of Kusaug.

We recognise the Supreme Court of Ghana's decision that Zugraan **ASIGRI ABUGRAGO AZOKA II** is the Bawku Naba of the Kusaug Traditional Area.

We pledge our unalloyed loyalty to Zugraan and therefore restate our position that there is only one overlord of Kusaug, who is the Zugraan Bawku Naaba, **ASIGRI ABUGRAGO AZOKA II**, and demand that the government, law enforcement agencies, and all stakeholders take the necessary steps to deal with anybody within Kusaug who holds himself out as Bawku Naba in contravention with the law.

We also call on the government to take timely remedial actions to restore an environment of peace, tranquility, and respect for the dignity of everyone in the Kusaug Traditional Area.

We remain committed to supporting all efforts by the government and the Kusaug Traditional Council to bring lasting peace to Kusaug under the Zugraan.

We again demand that all security strategies to restore calm and peace should include Walewale to ensure the safety of all travelers and to avert further escalation and the spread of the conflict to other parts of the country.

In our pursuit to demand and ensure respect for the rule of law and the enforcement of the laws of our country, we appeal to all people of Garu Constituency and our members at all levels to remain calm and respect the directives of the Zugraan **ASIGRI ABUGRAGO AZOKA II** and the Kusaug Traditional Council, whilst urging the government to act swiftly to address issues and save further loss of lives.

We thank you all.

ISSUED BY CONSTITUENCY CHAIRMAN FOR THE LEADERSHIP OF NPP GARU CONSTITUENCY

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