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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT FOR ALL MEDIA HOUSES

It has been observed that members of the public attempt to open private schools without first obtaining a valid license to operate from the Ministry of Education. We wish to inform the public that *Sections 95 and 96 of the Education ACT, 11 of 1997* clearly outline the requirement for operation of a private school.

Institutions operating without a valid license violate the established legal statutes. Note that it remains the responsibility of parents to request from the institution a copy of the license to operate prior to registering students at these institutions.

The public is asked to be guided accordingly.

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