

PART 1

CHRIS Arthur..... “Mr. Chairman, we would like to start our submission by quoting article 3(D) of our party constitution...Duties of a Member: *read*

1.1 Mr. Chairman, we petition your highly respected committee (the NPP National Disciplinary Committee), to suspend Mr. Kwabena Agyapong as the General Secretary of the party, for exhibiting per Article 4 (a) v, vii and (b) of the party’s constitution, gross misconduct, and engaging in deals tantamount to venality while in his elected position as General Secretary. Our reasons for this petition, detailing injurious events, activities, and utterances ranging from current to previous and remote are as follows:

1.2 Disrespect to the Party’s Leadership and Structures



● Mr. Chairman, on the 25th of October, 2015, upon in-depth findings, based on deliberations and decision of the NPP National Disciplinary Committee, the National Executive Committee convened at a meeting, and declared an indefinite suspension on Mr. A. Paul Afoko as the National Chairman of the party. Out of gross disrespect for the decision of the two high powered committees of the Party, Mr Kwabena Agyapong, the General Secretary of the Party, through his spokesman, made a derogatory statement, declaring to maintain Mr. Paul Afoko as the National Chairman of the Party. Mr. Chairman, I refer you to Myjoyonline.com / *Naa Sakwaba Akwa* / faustine.akwa@myjoyonline.com **Date:** 28th-october-2015 **Time:** 1:38:18 pm with the headline attached with Mr. Kwabena Agyapng’s photo, **Paul Afoko is still NPP National Chairman - Kwabena Agyepong.**

Mr. Chairman with your permission I would like to quote from the story.

Special aide to the General Secretary of the New Patriotic Party, Kwabena Agyepong says Paul Afoko is still the National Chairman of the party.

According to David Opoku Ansah, the meeting held to by some members of the party to suspend the National Chairman was illegal because it was against the party's constitution.

Speaking on Joy FM's Super Morning Show Mr Ansah said "the constitution of the party still recognises him as national chairman and any member of our party who believes in the constitution will still recognize Paul Afoko as the National Chairman".

In a response to whether it meant Kwabena Agyepong did not recognize Freddie Blay as the acting National Chairman, he said "Freddie Blay is the first vice chair of our party that I know".

The spokesperson for the NPP General Secretary also questioned the process leading to the suspension of Mr Paul Afoko as chairman of the party.

True to his word, at the Electoral Commission's public forum held on 27-29 November, 2015, Mr. Kwabena Agyapong demonstrated to the whole world that he still recognizes Mr. Paul Afoko as the party's chairman against the decision by the NEC. Mr. Agyapong went together with Mr. Afoko, sits beside him in the front row of the participants to the forum showing on the national TV with a tug on Mr. Afoko's neck as "the chairman" of the NPP. At the said forum, Mr. Afoko was questioned by the media men whether he was there representing the NPP as the National Chairman and his answer was "yes, I am still the chairman". Mr. Kwabena Agyapong who has sworn to protect and defend the constitution of party abetted and supported Mr. Afoko through his conduct and action at the forum.

Again, at a subsequent Steering Committee meeting, Kwabena Agyapong further made his position clear, that his lawyer has advised him to be recusant to any discussion relating to the suspension of the ex - national Chairman Mr. Afoko. On the said meeting, Mr. Agyapong came and shows to the Steering Committee a purported court interlocutory injunction over the said meeting. The able members who are lawyers among the Steering Committee examined the said court writ and found that it was only an application for an interlocutory injunction and that they can still hold the meeting. Mr. Kwabena Agyapong true to his bad faith of showing yet another disrespect to the committee and the party structures refused to take part of the said meeting, claiming the then first-vice chairman, Mr. Fredy Blay should not/cannot call and chair the

meeting. Here, Mr. Agyapong still believes that Mr. Paul Afoko is the national chairman of the NPP against the decision of the NEC.

Mr. Chairman, let me be quick to mention that the said case between *Kyeneboah Kodua and others v. NPP* (the application for the interlocutory injunction) is still pending in court. The case was called on the 3rd November, 2015. Mr. Chairman, I would like to ask Mr. Agyapong whether his lawyer(s) have given him different advice after, because I saw him and heard him at the just recent NEC meeting that confirmed Mr. Afoko's suspension.

Mr. Kwabena Agyapong has rubbished, and keeps rubbishing the suspension of Afoko from his chairmanship. This in our view is an act of mischievous contempt for the authority of the Party as a whole, including its elders, its leadership, and its structure. His posture is inimical to the sanctity and respect for the party's constitution and leadership. His actions are said to have set bad precedent for the present and future of the party. He being the General Secretary of the party, whom is expected to obey and respect the structures and the laid down policies and procedures of the party, should not be allowed to tear down the very same structures that made him.

- Mr. Chairman, you may recall that based on your wise decision of Mr. Afoko's suspension and the subsequent misbehavior of some constituency executives who kicked far or near against the NEC decision of Mr. Afoko's suspension have been equally suspended from their respective positions. Mr. Chairman, your able committee has set out the tone of instilling discipline in our party and you must as well continue in this very sane case to avoid unfair discrimination against those who have been disciplined by the same or even more harmful behavior of Mr. Agyapong. Mr. Chairman, I refer you to a general maxim of law that states that "*All persons shall be equal before the law*". And also the doctrine of *Stare decisis* (the judicial precedent). The force of precedents in the law is sensitive by an additional factor; the curious almost universal sense of justice which urges that *all men are properly to be treated alike in like circumstances*. This is in article 17(1) of the 1992 constitution. This is sometimes stated as no one is above the law. It is also sometimes stated as the law is no respecter of persons.

Mr. Chairman, we are in the world of politics. Politics goes with different perceptions and interpretations of events and decisions. If the party through NEC had suspended Mr. Afoko of similar offenses like that of Mr. Agyapong, then we must not give slit opportunity for our opponent to read any tribalistic meaning into it.

KAA's response

“OPK or the person you're referring to is a member and of full age of the party. He is responsible to those statement...I have not instructed him to speak on my behalf....so that is it”

CHRIS's replied.....” right! Is he your spokesperson or not?

KAA... “yes he is but I have told him not to speak on radio again.

CHRIS....how does a spokesperson do for his master? You were a while ago a spokesperson to Ex-president Kuffuor, is that right? And I know you a media man...collect?

KAA...”yes” .

Chris.....so anytime you speak as the spokesperson of Prz. Kuffuor it means it is prez kuffuor who has spoken right?

KAA ...not always.

Chris...alright!. Did you hear your spokesperson on Joy FM that morning and the words he used? Have seen this story on myjoyonline.com with your photo?

KAA.....Am saying those are not my words.....Joy and myjoyonline always tried to twist the facts and put words on my mouth...I not have spoken to any media house. How can I speak against the NEC decision...never!

Dr. Addo kuffour So..so kwabena who is chairman now?

KAA....I have expressed my opinion about NEC decision that I don't agree with the procedure and that is my view.

Dr. A kuffuor...So now who is chairman of the party?

KAA.... Mr. afoko is a suspended chairman...I heard people referring him as ex-chairman, he is not an ex-chairman. He is a suspended chairman and Mr. Fledie Blay is the acting Chairman of the party.

Chris ... Mr. Agyapong, have you issued any disclaimer to that story?

KAA.... No but I have sacked OPK from my office and have warned him not to speak on radio and since then he hasn't spoken on radio again.

Chris....Mr. Agyapong, I can suggest to you that you caused OPK to say those words but you are only denying him before the committee just to save your job.

Chris.... Mr. Agyapong at the EC forum, were you there? Did you see Mr. Afoko with the tug on his neck as the chairman? And what did you do to uphold the decision by the NEC then?

KAA.... I could not sack him from the forum.

Chris....do you understand your duty as a member and GS to defend, to protect and uphold the decision and the constitution of the party? If not then I put it to you that you're sleeping on your job!

Mrs. Ama Busia---KAA you should issued a disclaimeryou didn't do well at all.

Chris...Mr. KAA I can also put it to you that you yourself have spoken against the NEC decision and it is on graphiconline.com and I would like to refresh your memory... "Mr. Kwabena Agyapong, when asked if Mr. Afoko will be coming to the Forum as the national chairman of the NPP, and he said "yes, he is coming as the chairman". Is that also incorrect?

KAAi went to the forum in my car without Mr. Afoko.

Chris ...Mr. Chairman, the GS is not being truthful here and that he is only protecting his job.

1.3 Unilateral Decision – ID Card

Mr Kwabena Agyapong unilaterally launched his so-called Party cards, without recourse to the Party structures, and its hierarchy. Mr. I refer him to his Memorandum dated 31st July, 2015, subject : *issuance of party membership cards*. Mr. Agyapong published or caused to published on the various media platforms both social networks including NPP YOUTH. (NY-GH) WhatsApp where his aid, David Opoku-Ansah a.k.a OPK posted a purported website www.nppcentre.org/signup for party membership card with its private Ecobank bank Madina Branch account number 0593014457860901, Name: Natasha G.A. Cofie plus Airtel number 0268092150 for the payment of membership fee. Which constitutional body of the party

sanctioned this processes? Who is the said Natasha G. A Cofie? Is the treasurer aware of the said bank account? Who are the signatories of the said Ecobank Madina Branch account? And how much have been so far paid into the account? This again, Mr. Chairman, our General Secretary Mr. Kwabena Agyapong acted in a manner that has caused the party a very bad name and has ridiculed the good name of the party in the public because of its associated controversies with the company for the execution of just a party membership cards. Knowing the controversies surrounding the ID cards, Mr. Agyapong deliberately launched this project at the time that our flag-bearer was touring the country just to divert attention from Nana Addo's tour to another internal fight in the NPP.



KAA's response...

KAA... I didn't launch it unilaterally. It the decision by the Finance Committee sanctioned by the national chairman and the national chairman was insisting to launch his card so I had to do it for him ...you know how he does his things!...as he has asked me even though it wasn't my full support but I have to do it for him.... The finance committee met on the company for the issuance of the card and it was approved by the national chairman so that is it. I don't have enough information about the ID card and the website. Natasha may have being connected to the company...I really have little knowledge about the ID card issue...

Prof. Mike Oquaye.....GS is this the same company that is connected with Mr. Sammy Crabb?

KAA... I don't know!

Chris.... Mr. Chairman, our GS is not being truthful. The treasurer is the secretary to the finance committee and he has issued a counter statement to GS's claims. The finance committee is to report to the National Executive Committee and not only to the national chairman. Mr. Chairman, I have the memo from both GS and the treasurer and I would like tender.....*read them. A video was shown to confirm that he knows much about both the ID card and its website.*

1.4 Waivers to NPP parliamentary aspirants

Kwabena Agyapong unilaterally gave waivers to NPP parliamentary aspirants in similar manner as above. Mr. Kwabena Agyapong gave waivers as follows per region without recourse to the NEC nor Steering Committee;

EASTERN	Ghc. 8,000.00
BRONG AHAFO	23,000.00
ASHANTI	27,500.00
VOLTA	12,500.00
TOTAL	71,000.00



Mr. Chairman, Mr. Kwabena Agyapong purges himself from perceived fraudulent behavior in this circumstance.

KAA..... it was NEC decision for the waivers and it wasn't unilateral decision. I gave the waivers to those who applied and begged me. So I was only assisting them upon knowing that some of the aspirant cannot pay so I gave them the waiver. In Greater Accra, there is one Benjamin Adjetey who was the former constituency chairman. He is a Ga and his other contender is an Housa so I thought he being Ga can... can win the election for us. That is why I gave him the waiver.

Chris....Do you know the said Benjamin Adjetey resigned from the party in 2011? I have this letter of resignation and I would like to read it to you .. *read it.*

Rev. Asante Antwi..... so GS did you know he has resigned from the party?

KAA.... I didn't know then but later the constituency executives came to resolve the issue.

Chris....Mr. GS, do you know that the waiver caused the constituency to demonstrate against you?

So you gave the waivers to your favorites candidates without approval from the NEC.

Prof. Mike Oquaye..... GS, did you involved the regions in this your waivers?

KAA...no.

Chris....So you gave the waivers without recourse NEC is that right?

KAA....i am the general secretary and I think I have the right to decide...I was only helping them especially those in the volta region.

1.5 His media Utterances

Kwabena Agyapong's utterances and statements on the media are always inimical, and counterproductive to the efforts made by the flag bearer, while he contributes little or nothing towards building a strong Party, knowing very well that general and Presidential elections are less than a year away.

Mr. Agyapong on countless occasions have accused and insinuated ill motive about the flag-bearer on issues like the Rise and Build Tour – that he wasn't informed, he was deny to join Nana Addo's convoy to a funeral in Eastern region, etc.

The General Secretary made a statement on Joy FM that “*without my signature, the party cannot even files at the Electoral Commission, not even the flag-bearer....those who want to think they can end my political career, I will face them squally...very squally..*”. As to why General Secretary can make such a loaded insinuatative tantrum on airwaves is cause to worry and must come clear to explain this assertion. Who was he referring to? How did he intent to *face* the so called *them*. Mr. Chairman, I can put to it Mr. Kwabena Agyapong that by such statement he made, he is nursing evil and bad motive and plan against the party and more especially, the flag-bearer, Nana Addo.

His dealing with the EC

Chris....Mr. Kwabena Agyapong do you remember your telephone conversation on 27th May 2015 early morning with one Sulley together with Mr. Afoko?

KAA... I can't recall

Chris...really? You can't recall of any telephone call with Amedu Sulley of the electoral commission in the morning before Mr. Afoko's letter to that effect?

Chris....and that you cannot remember discussion the party's dealings with the EC with one Sulley of the electoral commission together with Mr. Afoko on telephone?

KAA.... Yes I remember

Chris....and now who is this Sulley?

KAA.... No answer

Chris....Mr. Chairman, I refer to a letter signed by the then National Chairman, Mr. Paul Afoko dated 27th May 2015, instructing the Electoral Commission not deal with any member of our party except he Afoko and Kwabena Agyapong. And that without the two neither indeed the party nor the flag bearer can deal with the Electoral Commission. We would like to know which constitutional body/organ of the party mandated him to write such a dangerous letter?

the content of the letter read.....

National Chairman of the opposition New Patriotic Party (NPP) Paul Afoko, in a letter dated May 27, 2015, asked the Electoral Commission (EC) to ignore any letter which is not signed by the party's General Secretary, Kwabena Agyepong.

According to reports, this letter was to stamp their (Paul Afoko, Kwabena Agyepong) authority on the National Executive Committee and also to ensure that nobody does anything without their knowledge.

The letter was also to nullify an earlier one allegedly written by the party's National Organiser, John Boadu concerning their upcoming polls.

However, in an interview on *Okay FM*, John Boadu stridently denied writing any letter to the EC.

Read contents of Paul Afoko's statement below

COMMUNICATION BETWEEN THE PARTY AND THE COMMISSION

Further to our telephone conversation (Afoko/Agyepong/Sulley), this morning, this is to confirm that the Party has not officially submitted Notices of Poll to the Commission.

The only authorized signatories to any official communication to the Electoral Commission are:

1. The National Chairman
2. The General Secretary

In all operational matters, as in this particular instance, the General Secretary (Mr Kwabena Agyei Agyepong) is the recognized and designated signatory.

Please be advised accordingly

Yours faithfully

Signed

PAUL AWENTAMI AFOKO

NATIONAL CHAIRMAN

Chris.... So mr. Agyapong you and Mr. Afoko had a telephone conversation with Amedu Sulley of the EC...right?

KAA.... *No answer*

KAA...You have said so many thing and I cannot answer all your questions...please

Chris... Mr. Chairman, you and your able committee members must today save the party and restore the hope of many Ghanaians. Mr. Chairman, we want to know his position now that Mr. Afoko has been suspended. How is he going to deal with the electoral commission? In case he is in the position that he cannot personally deals with EC, what should the party do then?

KAA's response

Part two.....

1.6 Suspected Compromise

The General Secretary Kwabena Agyapong must come clean to purge himself from the allegation that he has been given a vehicle from the NDC/Mahama.

Note:

The ex-General Secretary of the NDC, Dr, Josiah Aryeh, was accused of having received a “gift” of only US \$1,000.00 from Mr. Stephen Ntim, ex-First Deputy Chairman of the NPP and was asked to resign by the committee set up NDC to look into the matter.

Similarly, the then Deputy General Secretary of the NDC, Kofi Adams was suspended upon mere suspicion of his relationship with some elements within the NPP – a sign of a serious political party.

It has been alleged that our General Secretary Mr. Kwabena Agyapong has been dashed/ given a vehicle worth between USD \$80,000.00 to 10,000.00 by NDC/ President Mahama, which he has denial on Kwesi Pratt's show *Hot issues* on TV3.

However, documents sighted by us show the following,

1. Vehicle Reg. No. GM 615-14
2. Chassis No. JTMHVO912E4128711
3. Owner: STELIN AUTOMATIVE AND TRADING CO.

4. Directors SETH STEPHEN FIATI (50%) AND CECILIA LINDA
(50%)
5. Secretaries of Stelin REGINALD KPAKPO AND DEMPSON THOMPSON
6. Address P.O Box 19941, Accra North

Our covert information reveals that Seth Stephen Fiati gave the vehicle to Mr. Kwabena Agyapong and it is alleged that he, Fiati was introduced to Kwabena Agyapong by

one Mr. Tommy Amametekpor. It is again alleged that the said Stelin Automative Company belongs to Mr. John Dramani Mahama. We therefore request NEC to set committee to investigate the issues raised and act on it.

KAA..... I have many cars and very capable to buy any other car. I have the document about the car which am ready submit it to the committee. Read the content

Dr. Addo Kuffuor.... Kwabena can you give the document you are reading....

KAA.....i will! I have paid for the car

Dr. Addo Kuffuor.... Yes but I want to read the document myself

KAA....ok! handed it to Dr. Addo Kuffuor

Dr. Addo Kuffuor...but Kwabena these are not official documents....they are not stamped and it is very difficult for me to accept this as official....

KAA.... Well if you doubt the authenticity of the documents... I can take you to the company to verify....i bought the car myself. There is letterhead of the company...

Dr. Addo Kuffuor...oh please! I can get letterhead from anywhere.....i have worked in many organizations and letterhead alone cannot mean as official or guinea. If these are official documents, then it must stamped else I cannot accept it....anybody can get letterhead through backdoor.

Rev. Asante Antwi..... the car is registered in your wife's name?

KAA.....yes! all cars are registered in my wife name because I don't want my family members to worry her when I am dead

Rev. Asanti Antwi..... hmmm I see. You are wise and good husband.

Prof. Oquaye....and how much is the car GS?

KAA.... I am still negotiating with the company.

Prof. Oquaye...and you have paid all these huge amount according to yourself without reaching the exact amount of the car? Do you do any other job apart from your position as the General Secretary? Do you see the legal implication of all these huge amounts you're quoting?

KAA....i saved money when I was the press secretary to ex-president Kuffuor...

Chris ...Mr. we are making this urge appeal to your committee to instigate further as to the basis of which our GS is driving the said car.



His Wife's scholarship

Chris....Kwabena Agyapong's wife is currently believed to be on Ghana government scholarship. She is a resident student, studying at Leicester University in the United Kingdom. We strongly suspect that this offer of scholarship to Mrs Lawrentia Agyapong is part of a package of agreements with the ruling NDC, to suborn and compromise Kwabena Agyapong's loyalty to the NPP, whiles in his position as General Secretary of the NPP.

Mrs Agyapong, in association, and with the oblique authority of her husband, has the guts to spew scorn at the NPP flag bearer, and to the displeasure of her hearers, right in the presence of Kwabena Agyapong, who says nothing. This incident happened at a gathering with NPP Manchester Chapter executives, when the General Secretary recently came to the UK for the Conservative Party conference.

I have tendered in the documents regards to the scholarshipread

KAA.....my wife is a lecturer at GIJ and she got the scholarship from the institution even before I became the secretary so I don't see why I should be questioned on that! *read again the documents of the scholarship. Even GIJ did not pay the first year.....i have been paying from my pocket ...it is only this semester that I have wrote to them for this year's fee because I am drained off.*

Hon. Kussi....and have you heard of her insults on Nana Addo in Manchester?

KAA...is not true....Manchester party has even denied the story...

Hon. Kussi.... And where is their denial statement?

Chris Mr. Chairman, our GS is nursing evil and bad plan against the flag bearer based on his statement on joy Fm. He doesn't respect him

KAA...oh how? That I cannot accept it!

Chris Listen to this audio.....*played*

KAA.... This is my personal private conversation withit is not intended to be played on radio....it is unethical....these are all calculated attempt to get me...

Chris...well that's even makes it to dangerous...if you have such an opinion about the party and the flag bearer in secret then....that is even why you should be suspended so you cannot harm the party any longer....in my little sociology, the real person is what he does in secret. If in secret you can say such a thing about the party's flag bearer then what can't you do to sabotach our chances of winning 2016?

Chris....Mr. Chairman, our GS do not respect other organs of the party. He unilaterally cancelled the Sunyani East election without any formal petition. He swore affidavits against the party when even the Electoral officer in charge of the election was defending the party when the matter was sent to court. Mr. Chairman, because of GS's personal interest in the Sunyani East election, he intentionally assigned his lawyers to stand in for the party without making reference to the constitutional and legal affairs committee of the party....this his action again caused the party in bad name before the public.

KAA... there is where in the constitution that commanded me to refer court issues to any organ...I decide what to do anytime there is court issue against the party...I am a son of a judge and I know what is right

Madam Ama Busiah.....Kwabena yes we know that the constitution is silent on that but it has been the practices and convention that every matter with the law is referred to the constitutional committee...that one I know. So what the young man saying is true...you should have referred the matter to the committee.

KAA... well I thought it was just a mere internal primaries...so I could handle it...not to worry the committee members on such matters...

Chris...mr. Agyapong, the matter was in court ...how can mater in court be regarded as just a meresomething...the issue was not just a mere matter.

Mr. Chairman, I have not heard him on why he excused himself from the Steering Committee meeting after Mr. Afoko was suspended..

Rev. Asanti Antwi..... and that will be your last question....Kwabena answer the question.

KAA...in fact I have been advised that anytime there is court process on any matter, I should put a stop to that particular thing....so when I got the injunction I informed the Steering Committee that the party has been served so I left the meeting only to see that my car has been attacked by Hadjia Fahti....accusing me that I have come to stop the meeting....

Chris...you have been advised by who? And who is given you advise to ignore the advice by the lawyers at the said meeting?

Rev. Asante.....Chris were you at the said meeting?

Chris.....no please but it was reported in the media....by the communication officer..

KAA....you were not at the meeting...so who told you there were lawyers?....there were no lawyers at the meeting....

Chris....really? Mr. Blay and Nana Obiri-boahene , were they at the meeting or not?

KAA...no answer

The Allege Ecobank Secret Account

Chris....Mr. Agyapong do you know any party bank account at Ecobank Trust Towers?

KAA...there are many of bank account that has been rendered dormant and it could be one of them..

Chris...Mr. Chairman, we like to ask Mr. Agyapong whether or not he is aware of any NPP Ecobank Trust Tower Branch Account Number 002100032252.

Chris...Mr. Chairman, is this the supposed NPP Ecobank account that Mr. Agyapong once referred to as secret account on Okay FM some time ago?

Chris... Mr. Agyapong do you know one Baah Acheamfour? Have you been invited to give any written statement to police CID in respect to the alleged secret bank account? Do you know that the said Baah Acheamfour is the complainant to the alleged secret bank account to the CID?

Mr. Chairman, we refer him to the news item on peacefmonline.com dated 1 September 2015 by the aL-hAJJ Newspaper with the headlines.-

Police Invites Paul Afoko, Agyapong Over Operation Of “Secret Account”

Mr Baah Acheamfour recently wrote to the CID to probe the ongoing feud among the top executives of the NPP over allegations that some top officers of the NPP were operating a secret account which until recently, was believed have been kept away from the National Chairman and General Secretary.

Parts of Mr. Baah Acheamfour’s complaint to the CID reads “*I write to bring to your urgent attention some strange transactions with regards to the operation of the New Patriotic Party’s account with Ecobank Gh Limited, Trust Towers Branch, Accra by some National Executives of my party namely...*

My suspicion of Fraud..., have been occasioned by the illegal activating and suspected connivance with Ecobank to operate the said account without the attention of the constitutionally mandated procedures and signatories of the party's account."

This paper can confirm that the CID has officially written to the National Chairman of the NPP, Paul Afoko, and General Secretary, Kwabena Agyei Agyapong, inviting them to assist in investigations into the so-called operation of a "secret account" at the Trust Towers Branch of ECOBANK.

This move follows official complaint lodged at the Headquarters of the CID over the contentious account by Communications Director of NPP appendage group "Save NPP Now", Baah Acheamfour.

As part of moves to investigate Baah Acheamfour's claims, sources at the CID headquarters confirmed to The aL-hAJJ that, the CID has officially written to Paul Afoko and Kwabena Agyapong, inviting them to assist the police in investigations into the said account.

When The aL-hAJJ contacted Mr. Baah Acheamfour, he confirmed lodging a complaint with the Police and that, the CID has indeed written to the National Chairman and General Secretary *"to come and write statements of their knowledge about the matter, after which the named executives allegedly involved would also be invited for interrogation."*

"My claim to the CID was that Paul and Kwabena had no knowledge of the account and that I suspect fraud in the manner in which two party officials operated the account...as first step the CID has invited Paul and Kwabena to authenticate they had no knowledge of the said account until recently," he stated.

He added that *"I have checked from Paul and Kwabena's office and I can tell you that they have received the invitation. As I said, after Paul and Kwabena have given their statements, the CID will proceed with the investigation by inviting the two party officers I mentioned earlier."*

According to him, he has been happy about the way the CID is handling the issue, saying *"what the CID has done shows how serious they are when it comes to fighting crime, and I must commend them for that."*

Source: The Al-Hajj

Sir John's letter.

I refer you to a letter dated May 12, 2014 with the title: CHANGE OF ACCOUNT NO. 0021000322521. The said letter was signed by then General Secretary, Kojo Owusu Afriyie and the National Treasurer, Esther D. Ofori and copied to The National Chairman, Paul Afoko, Mr. Kwabena Agyapong the General Secretary, and the Treasurer, Mr. Kobena Yeboah Abankwah.

Mr. Agyapong so you knew the activation of this account you referred to as secret...right? That as far back as May 12, 2014 you knew the operations of the account..is that correct or not?

Mr. Chairman, we like to state it clear to Mr. Agyapong that he is aware and know the existence of the said bank account and that he was deliberately accusing the Acting National Chairman and the Treasurer of fraudulent dealings with the bank just to tarnish the good image of the party. Mr.Chairman, true his bad motive of causing the public to reduce Nana Addo's assertion of uncorrupted to null, Mr. Agyapong and his cohorts on many times tried to allude that the said alleged secret bank account was created by the two executive to divert party's funds to Nana Addo following those allegations.

KAA.... That letter you referring to were written when we have taken over from the previous executives, so how means Sir John got access to the letterhead is something we have to ask...the said account issue is before a committee for investigation

Chris....so you are aware of that then why do you gave that interview on radio when you knew the matter is before your own committee?

KAA.. I am also a human being, I have a family to protect ...you heard them accusing us of stealing party's money...so do expect me to sit down a watch? I thought it right to come and explain the matter to clear myself.

The above as stated are deemed to be instances of gross misconduct, and very unbecoming of a general secretary of a party in opposition, seeking to be elected into power.

Chris....mr. Agyapong do you know one Baah Acheamfour?

KAA....no....i have heard him on radio....so last time I called him and advised him

Rev. Asante....oh you have his number?...then advise him well to stop what he has been doing....

Chris.... I wonder the kind of advice you gave him though....but you are not aware that this Baah Acheamfour is the one who reported the said Ecobank account issue to the police CID and that according to him you have submitted your statement to the CID?

KAA.....No....i was in the US when I heard that,,but I have not gone to the CID.

Chris....Mr. Chairman, based on facts and law presented we strongly believe that Mr. Kwabena Agyapong should be suspended per the article 4 (a) v, vii and (b) of the party's constitution. Thank you Mr. Chairman.

Rev. Asanti Antwi....so Kwabena what do you have to say? Is there anything you want us to know?

KAA....not yet...I will make some documents available to you to see that some people since after Temale that they vowed not to allow us to work because they see me as against the flag bearer...but...

Dr. Addo Kuffour....i will thank Mr. Chris Arthur and his team for their work and sacrifice...Chris are you in third year in Law,...the LLB at KNUST?

Chris....No please, am in my first year.

Prof. Oquaye...Chris holds his first degree in sociology....and now reading law...

Dr. Addo Kufour...I mean, I am from a family of lawyers and great men and I can see you becoming a great lawyer for the party.....

Madam Ama Busiah.....not only the party...the nation as well...he has done very well...God bless you....I have my judgement ready...

Madam Ama Busiah...Kwabena then Advice OPKi saw his photo mobilizing people to demonstrate against the party.....it is bad.

Rev. Asante...So Kwabena how do you see the committee and its members.....i can tell you if Mr. Afoko had honors our invitation things wouldn't have gone the way it has gone....we are not here to intimidate anybody...we are also serving the party.

Chris, we are very much grateful to you and your team for your sacrifice....how is your studies going at KNUST?. Continue in this way and God will bless you. Mr. Barfo, we thank you so much and may God grants safe journey to Sunyani...Kwabena please see them off....

