

**COMMUNIQUE BY NATIONAL TRIPARTITE COMMITTEE (NTC) ON
THE 2017 NATIONAL DAILY MINIMUM WAGE**

The National Tripartite Committee (NTC) concluded consultations on the 2017 National Daily Minimum Wage (NDMW) at its meeting held on 7th September, 2016.

It was agreed that the National Daily Minimum Wage be increased by 10% that is, from **GH¢8.00** to **GH¢8.80**

The effective date of implementation is 1st January, 2017.

Any establishment, institution or organization whose **daily minimum wage** is below the new National Daily Minimum Wage should adjust its wages upward accordingly.


The National Tripartite Committee recommends that the National Daily Minimum Wage should be tax exempt.

The National Tripartite Committee reiterates its commitment to the improvement of incomes and productivity in both the public and private sectors.



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DATED IN ACCRA THIS DAY OF 7th SEPTEMBER, 2016