From Degradation To Restoration: Story Of Reclaimed Lands At Adansi Fomena And Dompoase In Ashanti Region

March 4, 2025, the Minerals Commission organised handing over ceremonies at Adansi Fomena and Dompoase, aimed at the restoration of devastated mined out lands at selected communities in Adansi South District Assembly in the Ashanti Region.

In total, eight reclaimed sites across three locations covering 160.33 hectares (approximately 396.18 acres) of degraded lands was restored. The locations are Domeabra I & II, Adansi Kenya I, II & III at Adansi Fomena, and Nkrankese I, II & III at Dompoase.

The colourful events were held at the palaces of the Paramount Chiefs who chaired the function and accepted full responsibility of the reclaimed lands as custodians. In attendance were the District Coordinating Directors of the beneficiary Assemblies who pledged their support to ensuring that these lands are protected from devastation.

The events were climaxed with the signing of Project Handover Attestation document to officially return the lands to the Chiefs and people of the beneficiary communities.



PICTURE STORY AT PALACE OF OMANHENE OF DOMPOASE

Officials of Minerals Commission, Okofo Kwabena Bonsu, Chief of Dampoase and kinsmen



Officials of Minerals Commission and District Assembly briefing the Chief at the palace



The Omanhene and Elders seated at the palace



Mr. Thomas Kwame Okrah, District Coordinating Director, introducing Officials of the Minerals Commission to the Chief.



Mr. Ibrahim Assani, Director, HR & Admin at Minerals Commission, handing over the signed attestation document to the Chief of Dampoase



Officials of Minerals Commission and District Assembly at the palace



Omanhene Okofo Kwabena Bonsu, Chief of Dampoase seated

PICTURE STORY AT PALACE OF ADANSIHENE



Mr. Assani Ibrahim, Director, HR & Admin. at Minerals Commission, handing over the signed attestation document to the representative of Adansihene, Daasebere Omono Asamoah Agyei II, Adokwaihene



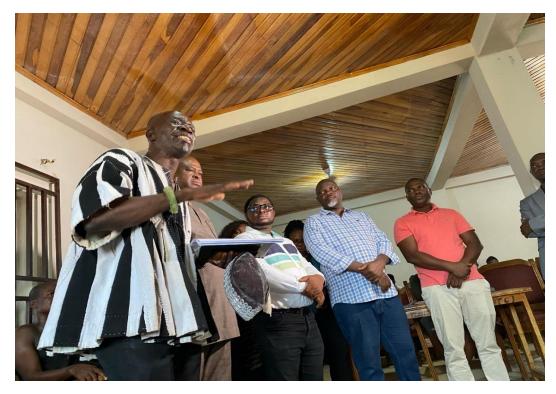
Officials of Minerals Commission with Daasebere Omono Asamoah Agyei II, Adokwaihene



Representative of Adansihene, Daasebere Omono Asamoah Agyei II, Adokwaihene signing the attestation document



Officials of Minerals Commission at the Adansihene's palace



Mr. Thomas Kwame Okrah, District Coordinating Director, introducing Officials of the Minerals Commission



Traditional leaders and Elders at the palace