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# THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL/COMMITTEE

Through:
The SRC Chief Justice
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# PETITION FOR THE IMMEDIATE IMPEACHMENT AND APROPRIATE SANCTIONS AGAINST JOHN WULAH NUTA (SRC PRESIDENT)

We hereby under this title and upon series of investigations, findings, revelations and confessions made by John Wulah Nuta the SRC President and other relevant parties to subject matter regarding series of criminal, unethical and unapproved actions counter-productive to student leadership, oath of office and sanctity to the office to which he beholds petition for his immediate RESIGNATION or IMPEACHMENT and other appropriate sanctions meted duly.

#### **ISSUES:**

- 1. On the 11<sup>th</sup> of August 2023, a meeting was held with SRC executives to discuss the following:
  - i. SRC Hostel Project
  - ii. SRC Week Celebration
  - iii. Meeting with the Regional Police Crime Officer Etc.
- 2. In the said meeting, it was unearthed that,
  - i. The SRC President had awarded the SRC hostel project contract solely without the notice of other executives to a contractor of his choice and also without any formal contractual process whatsoever. This has unnecessarily raise queries to the

process and has delayed the execution of an embattled long awaited project of supreme interest.

ii. The SRC president had also awarded the SRC cloth project to another contractor and had proceeded to receive a Bank payment as commission of around Thirty-Six Thousand Ghana Cedis (GH¢36,000.00) without the knowledge of his other executives.

The supplier has since not delivered, cannot reached, and per the Presidents own words have even been blocked by the said supplier.

This and many others have also caused the delay or total cancelation of the much anticipated SRC week celebration.

- iii. The SRC president has mismanaged his office and the SRC's finance such that there is woefully nothing to celebrate the SRC week with, and obviously nothing to even organize elections with.
- 3. The SRC President upon interrogation denied all the allegations initially.
- 4. But upon numerous encounters and resistance to go to the bank to confirm either such payments were made finally confessed and admitted to receiving the cash but had indicated that he spent it.

# **ALSO:**

 It was alleged that the SRC president is accused of a number of unethical and unprofessional activities involving students, in fact the very students he had pledged to defend, support and work for have now become his prey. (NOT PROVEN GUILTY YET- UNTIL FINDINGS ARE COMPLETED)

Findings from the said meeting with the Alumni Executives were reported to the Dean of Students who also set a separate committee to investigate and report on findings.

# LEGALITY

# **ARTICLE 11 of the SRC Constitution (2021) states:**

THE SRC PRESIDENT - The President shall:

a. By the virtue of his office be a member of the University Governing Council, and may appoint representative from the SRC to represent students on any other University Bodies and Committee where student's representative is needed.

- b. Chair all meetings of the Executives Committee and meeting of the entire student body. DR HILLA LIMANN TECHNICAL UNVERSITY SRC CONSTITUTION
- c. **Act on the advice of the Executive Committee**, at the beginning of every semester and before the dissolution of the General council or at any point in time deliver to the General Assembly a written report on the state of affairs of the SRC including the financial statement.
- d. Represent the SRC on the Academic Board whenever students' representative is required
- e. Represent the SRC on the University's Disciplinary and Malpractice committee.

# **ARTICLE 55 of the SRC Constitution (2021) states:**

REMOVAL FROM OFFICE - An Executive Officer shall be removed from office if found in accordance with the provision of this article:

- a. To have conducted himself in a manner.
  - i. Which brings or is likely to bring the high office(s) of the Executive Committee into disrepute, ridicule or contempt; or
  - ii. Prejudicial or inimical to the interest of the student body. DR HILLA LIMANN TECHNICAL UNVERSITY SRC CONSTITUTION
- b. To have acted in violation of the oath of office set out in this Constitution for them or in violation of the Constitution itself.
- c. To be incapable of performing his functions by reason of infirmity of body and mind.
- d. To have embezzled funds or recklessly handled the finances of the SRC.
- e. To be inefficient or negligent in the discharge of his/her duties.

### **CONCLUSSIONS**;

- 1. We've by these come to a conclusion that, the SRC President by dent of such character is not fit to represent the student body at a high level as the Institution's governing council.
- 2. That by such character cannot chair SRC functions and meetings
- 3. That by such defamatory character cannot represent Students at both academic and disciplinary or malpractice committee meetings.
- 4. And also cannot hold himself at GNUTS level, within the Institution or anywhere as SRC President of DHLTU because:
  - i. His conduct have brought onto himself and the institution to disrepute and ridicule
  - ii. He has acted in violation to the oath of his office
  - iii. He acted inefficiently and recklessly
  - iv. And is also seen to be incapable of managing the SRC

# **RECOMMENDATIONS**

It is therefore our recommendation that;

- 1. The Judicial Board should leverage on these allegations and findings to do its own findings and provoke the appropriate sanctions.
- 2. The President should resign and hand over immediately based on his own plea or;
- 3. Be impeached and sanctioned

Counting on your swift action and response.

Cc:

Dean of Students Affairs
Registrar
GNUTS
Campus Media
General Assembly Speaker/Clerk
Interested Parties

Signed
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(The Chairman)

Issued

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