

REPUBLIC OF GHANA

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- (2) The levies shall be paid into such public account as the Controller and Accountant General shall determine.

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