CURFEW (YENDI) INSTRUMENT, 2002

In exercise of the powers conferred on the Minister responsible for the Interior by section 4(1) of the Public Order Act, 1994 (Act 491) this Instrument is made this 22nd day of March, 2002.

Imposition of curfew

1. A person within the boundaries of the area specified in the schedule to this Instrument shall not be out of doors between the hours specified respectively in the schedule except under the written permission of the Minister or a person authorized by the Minister.

Exceptions

- 2. Paragraph 1 of this Instrument does not apply to the following:
 - (a) a member of the Armed Forces;
 - (b) a member of the Ghana Police;
 - (c) a member of the Ghana Prisons Service;
 - (d) a member of the Security and Intelligence Service;
 - (e) a member of the Ghana Immigration Service;
 - a member of the Customs, Excise and Preventive Service;
 - (g) any other person duly authorized in writing by the Minister to undertake any specific task.

Period of curfew

3. The curfew imposed by this Instrument shall be for a period of seven days commencing 24th March, 2002.

Power of arrest without warrant

4. A member of any of the institutions specified in paragraph 2 or a person authorized by the Minister, may arrest without warrant any person who breaches the curfew imposed by this Instrument.

Suspension of curfew

5. The Regional Minister for the Northern Region may suspend the operation of the curfew imposed by this Instrument in the whole or any part of the specified area and may terminate the suspension of the curfew and restore the curfew as and when he thinks fit.

SCHEDULE

Area	Curfew hours
Yendi Township and Environs	6pm–6a.m.

ALHAJI MALIK AL-HASSAN YAKUBU Minister for the Interior

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