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NEW PATRIOTIC PARTY MOURNS THE PASSING OF HER EXCELLENCY MRS. NANA KONADU AGYEMAN RAWLINGS

The New Patriotic Party (NPP) has received with deep sorrow the passing of Her Excellency Mrs. Nana Konadu Agyeman Rawlings, which sad event occurred on Thursday, October 23, 2025.

The late Mrs. Agyeman Rawlings, Founder of the 31st December Women's Movement and Ghana's longest-serving First Lady, was an epitome of the strength and resilience of Ghanaian women, particularly in political leadership and socio-economic empowerment. Her unparalleled advocacy greatly influenced national policies and laws relating to the rights of women and children. Indeed, she played a vital role in bringing into force the famous Intestate Succession Law (PNDCL 111), which has guaranteed the inheritance rights of women and children.

The former First Lady is a perfect example of a true woman who was resolute in the fight for women's emancipation. She is also credited with making significant contributions to the provisions on gender equality in Ghana's 1992 Constitution.

Ghana has not just lost a mother and a political colossus but also an embodiment of inspiration. The NPP extends its heartfelt condolences to her immediate family and commiserates with the rest of the nation for the painful loss of this illustrious citizen. May the soul of our dearly departed find comfort in God's bosom, and may the family she left behind, and indeed, all of us, find fortitude to bear this great loss.

Damirifa Due!!!

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General Secretary