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OSAGYEFO DOCTOR KWAME NKRUMAH,
First President of the Republic of Ghana
and Supreme Commander of the
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Osagyefo,

By your command, we the undersigned were appointed a Delimitation Commission by the Delimitation Commission (Appointment) Instrument, 1964 (Executive Instrument No. 59) made on the 30th of May, 1964 under the provisions of the Electoral Provisions Ordinance, 1953 (No. 33) as amended by the Electoral Provisions (Amendment) Act, 1964 (Act 241). Our terms of reference were *to review the delimitation of all existing electoral districts in accordance with the said Electoral Provisions Ordinance.*

On 26th October, 1964 we submitted to you our Report and Recommendations.

In accordance with section 2C. (1) of the Electoral Provisions (Amendment) Act, 1964 (Act 241) you caused the Report with the Recommendations to be published in the *Gazette* issued on 6th November, 1964 with a notification that any objections to or representations in respect of the Report and the Recommendations should be lodged with the Commission within the period of three months from the date of the publication.

As required by section 2C. (2) of the said Act, we considered in public the objections and representations we received during the month of March, 1965.

Having concluded our deliberations on these objections and representations we have agreed to the following revised Report and have the honour to submit it.

With humble duty,

K. E. BOISON
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 18th May, 1965.

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REVISED REPORT OF THE DELIMITATION COMMISSION, 1964

Introduction

1. The period of three months within which objections and representations in respect of our Original Report and Recommendations were to be submitted expired on the 6th of February, 1965. After studying these objections and representations at a series of private sittings we considered them in public as required by law.

2. The details of the public sittings are as follows:

Kumasi

March 18—in respect of the Ashanti Region

March 19—in respect of the Brong-Ahafo Region

March 20—in respect of the Northern and Upper Regions.

Accra

March 24—in respect of the Eastern Region

March 25—in respect of the Volta Region

March 26—in respect of the Central and Western Regions

March 29—in respect of Greater Accra.

Throughout the consideration of the objections and representations the Regional Administration of the Region under discussion was represented by the Regional Commissioner and his staff. Each proposal was discussed in the presence of interested persons for and against the proposal.

3. In all we received 256 written memoranda of varying lengths from individuals and organisations. We heard over two hundred persons.

4. In this Revised Report we do not intend to go over all the objections and representations which were placed before us: almost all of them were similar or related in one way or the other to the arguments which were originally advanced before us and which we discussed in some detail in our Original Report. We only intend to indicate the main changes that we consider necessary to make in the Original Report as a result of fresh facts and arguments advanced. We have inserted, in the margin of the relevant pages, the numbers of the paragraphs of the Original Report to which these changes refer. *This Revised Report should therefore be read in conjunction with the Original Report.*

5. Since the publication of our Original Report a Special Commissioner with the status of a Regional Commissioner has been appointed to administer the Greater Accra area. As, for administrative purposes, this area is regarded as a Region we have so treated it in this Revised Report and made the appropriate changes in various tables and in the appendices. For instance, the table in paragraph 11 of the Original Report showing the distribution of the existing

150 Urban and Local Councils and 97 Electoral Districts should now read as follows:

<i>Region</i>	<i>Urban and Local Councils</i>	<i>Rural Electoral Districts</i>
Greater Accra ..	3	1
Ashanti Region ..	20	10
Brong-Ahafo Region ..	12	9
Central Region ..	20	12
Eastern Region ..	20	18
Northern Region ..	19	10
Upper Region ..	24	16
Volta Region ..	16	13
Western Region ..	16	8

CHAPTER ONE

DELIMITATION OF ELECTORAL DISTRICTS

General Remarks

6. The general trend of the memoranda received after the Original Report and of the arguments adduced before us during our second public enquiry was a request for a relaxation of the principle of population in respect of certain areas. We were told that numbers alone did not make for viability of a given unit of administration and that in certain places despite the smallness of the population the people were capable of managing their affairs. We were constantly reminded of the Akan proverb *Esono kokroo adowa ne panin* (literally, *despite the huge size of the elephant the antelope is senior*) which implies that largeness (of population) is not all that matters. Furthermore, our attention was forcibly drawn to the last sentence of the pronouncement by Osagyefo the President which we quoted in paragraph 11 of our Original Report:

“The ordinary worker, farmer and peasant thereby becomes an active participant in the government of the country and the life of the community generally becomes organised right at its base.”

The point was made that if an area was in all other respects qualified for delimitation as an electoral district but was denied it because of its numbers, then the basic and important principle underlying the pronouncement was lost sight of; the life of the “community” in which the people of that area would be included could never be properly organised because of the lack of co-operation, the core of success of the union.

7. We were often reminded that to certain areas with a population of less than 30,000 we had conceded Electoral Districts because of the existence of peculiar factors. This was in support of the claim that there were more areas whose conditions and circumstances were similar to those which had received favourable treatment.

8. Such was the popularity of this claim and the vehemence with which it was supported that we decided to operate the principle of population with more flexibility. We have therefore reconsidered our recommendations in respect of rural Electoral Districts and have conceded additional Electoral Districts in cases where we have been satisfied that, irrespective of the smallness of the population, other conditions are present which justify their creation.

9. The Electoral Districts we have now recommended for each Region and the Greater Accra area are contained in Appendix D of this Report. They are delineated on the accompanying Map of Ghana.

Part One

RURAL ELECTORAL DISTRICTS

10. The following table shows the allocation of our revised proposals for Rural and Municipal Electoral Districts: (Para. 80)

Regions	Number of Recommended Electoral Districts	Number of Existing Electoral Districts
RURAL		
Greater Accra	3	1
Ashanti Region	29	10
Brong-Ahafo Region	18	9
Central Region	22	12
Eastern Region	32	18
Northern Region	18	10
Upper Region	23	16
Volta Region	23	13
Western Region	15	8
Total Rural	183	97
MUNICIPAL		
Accra-Tema City Council	8	3
Kumasi City Council	4	2
Sekondi-Takoradi City Council	2	1
Cape Coast Municipal Council	1	1
Total Municipal	15	7
Grand Total	198	104

ASHANTI REGION

11. We consider it more logical for Banka and the other three villages at the confluence of the Rivers Pra and Anum to join their neighbours in the Obogu area than for them to cross the Anum River to join Adansi (Fomena). Indeed the latter arrangement would be impracticable in view of the proposals in Appendix E (ii). We have accordingly included these four villages—Banka, Amantia, Muronam and Ogyademwa (with their hamlets)—in the proposed Juaso-Bankaman Electoral District. We have also observed that certain villages which are in the Instrument establishing the Amansie Local Council (E.I. 295/62) and which are included in the proposed Amansie Electoral District (Appendix E (ii)) also appear in the Instrument establishing the Adansi Banka Local Council (E.I. 280/62). To avoid confusion, these villages should be removed from the latter Instrument. They are: Pawuoso, Appia-Krom Afiaso (in Ward 3) and Nyamebekyere, Nsuta, Nsese, Kofi Otu-Krom (Anomawobi) Aframuasi, Asaso (in Ward 4). (Para. 15).

12. After a careful study of maps and other documents and a detailed discussion with all interested persons, we *Recommend* that the original Appendix F should be superseded by Appendix F in this Report in order properly to achieve our aim of avoiding pockets in the proposed Electoral Districts of Adansi, Akrokerri-Dompoe and Obuasi. (Para. 19).

CENTRAL REGION

13. In our Original Report we recommended that the area covered by the Denkyira Local Council and the Twifu-Hemang-Lower Denkyira Local Council should be re-divided to constitute two Electoral Districts with about the same size of area for each. We have reconsidered our proposal and now *Recommend* that the area of each of the two local councils should comprise a separate Electoral District. (Para. 33).

EASTERN REGION

14. In referring to the number of local government units in the Eastern Region which have a population of over 60,000 we said that the eighth of these units was Akropong; the population of Akropong is in fact 51,545. The eighth of the units should be Yilo Krobo (population 60,512). (Para. 36).

15. In our description of the system known as “Huza” in the Many Krobo area, the following sentence occurred:

“Under this each man is given a piece of land for farming.”

We now understand that this sentence is somewhat misleading; nobody gives land to anybody but each person purchases his own piece of land by himself. That sentence, therefore, should have read:

“Under this each farmer lives on and cultivates land acquired outright by him from a vendor stool.” (Para. 37, page 11, line 6).

16. Having rescinded our original proposal for the inclusion in the Volta Region of Finte and Frankadua (paragraph 27 below), we *Recommend* the creation of two separate Electoral Districts, one for the area of Akwamu and the other for the area of Anum, Boso, Finte and Frankadua. (Paras. 40 & 41).

17. We have now learnt that the Densu River does not pass between the Suhum and Asamankese Local Council areas. Our proposal that the Densu River should form the boundary between certain proposed Electoral Districts does not, therefore, affect Suhum and Asamankese. (Para. 43).

18. With regard to the proposed Asamankese and Ga Electoral Districts, we now *Recommend* that the boundary between these should be the Densu River down to the Achiase/Kotoku railway line and then in a westerly direction along the said railway line. (Incidentally, we have now recommended an additional Electoral District in the Asamankese local council area; this boundary will therefore be between the proposed Adeiso and Ga Electoral Districts.) (Para. 43).

19. We received several written memoranda on our recommendation concerning the boundary between Ada and Tongu and discussed the matter with representatives of the Regional Steering Committee of the Party, Regional and District Administrations and other interested individuals from both the Eastern and Volta Regions. Whereas those from the Eastern Region were

in favour of our recommendation that the Angaw Creek should be the boundary between Ada and Tongu, those from the Volta Region were bitterly opposed to it. We have given serious thought to the matter and wish to rescind the recommendation in our Original Report that the Angaw Creek should form the boundary between Ada and Tongu. (Para. 44).

NORTHERN REGION

20. We have replaced the original Appendix H which contained a list of villages to be exchanged between the Jirapa, Lawra and Nandom Local Councils and which has become unnecessary in view of paragraph 21 below. The new Appendix H contains a list of villages to be transferred to the proposed Nanton Electoral District. (Paras. 48 & 49).

UPPER REGION

21. The objections raised from the Upper Region were mainly against our proposal that parts of certain Local Council areas should join proposed Electoral Districts other than those covered by those areas. This exercise which affected eight Local Councils in the Region was necessitated by our desire to achieve, as near as possible, parity in the population of the recommended Electoral Districts. As stated earlier on, we have now relaxed the principle of population in deserving cases. The need, therefore, for dividing existing coherent tribes and basic ethnic groups has diminished. We have also taken account of the fact that these divisions were against the will of those affected. Accordingly, we wish the whole of paragraph 54 of our Original Report, which dealt with the exchanges of certain villages between certain proposed Electoral Districts, to be deleted. The only transfers which are acceptable and which we *Recommend* are as follows:

From Bawku to Garu: Goti-Salaga, Zombaw.

From Bawku to Pusiga: Gumakatari and Baribari.

From Kusanaba to Bawku: Pumyamiri.

From Kusanaba to Garu: Kpoparago, Kado, Voko.

These transfers are among people of the same language and ethnic group and are meant to facilitate administration. (Para. 54).

VOLTA REGION

22. It has been brought to our notice that the area which comprised Wards 1 and 2 of the Krachi Local Council has been inundated by the Volta Lake and that the people who used to live there have been resettled in another area in the Volta Region. Those people will naturally form part of the Electoral District or ward of the local council of the area in which they have been resettled. Therefore, in our revised Appendix D Wards 1 and 2 of Krachi Local Council do not appear.

WESTERN REGION

23. We *Recommend* that the villages of Tamso and Nsuta should be transferred from the Tarkwa/Aboso Urban Council area to the proposed Dompim Electoral District, and that Dadieso should be transferred from Dompim to Tarkwa/Aboso for convenience of administration.

(Paras. 64 & 65).

Part Two

MUNICIPAL ELECTORAL DISTRICTS

24. In addition to the other villages recommended for inclusion in the Kumasi City Council we further *Recommend* for similar inclusion Parkoso, Aperade and Nyankyireniase. (Para. 76).

CHAPTER TWO

OBSERVATIONS ON EXTRANEIOUS MATTERS

25. In paragraph 84 of our Original Report we stated that certain towns and villages were in dispute between certain areas. We referred particularly to a dispute between Adansi Banka and Bekwai. We understand that that dispute was between Adansi Banka and Kokofu (Brenase). (Para. 84).

26. Our recommendation that the Nchumurus in the North and those in the Volta Regions should be united and made constituents of the proposed Kpandai Electoral District received a considerable amount of adverse comment. We discussed the subject at length with representatives of the Nchumurus, the Northern and Volta Regional Commissioners and Chiefs and other interested persons from these Regions. The allegation of discrimination against this tribe in both the Volta and Northern Regions were not, in our view, adequately disproved. We however learnt that in the areas inhabited by the Nchumurus, particularly in the Volta Region, there are substantial numbers of other tribes, such as the Basares, Konkombas, Kabres, Krachis and Gonjas, who are satisfied with where they are at present. Representatives of these other tribes gave evidence before us both in Kumasi and in Accra. It was strongly represented that the population of the Nchumurus in relation to that of the other tribes was small and that therefore the wishes of the minority (the Nchumurus) should not be allowed to outweigh those of the other tribes who together are in the majority. Taking all the circumstances into consideration, we wish to rescind our recommendation in the Original Report. We however suggest that the allegations of discrimination against the Nchumurus should be thoroughly investigated. (Para. 88).

27. In the Original Report we made two alternative proposals concerning the area of Finte and Frankadua. One was that Finte and Frankadua should join the proposed Tongu Electoral District in the Volta Region. We gave our reasons in paragraph 90. The other was that Finte and Frankadua should join the proposed Akwamu-Anum-Boso Electoral District. We have reconsidered this matter in consultation with all interested parties and have now been made to understand that the language difficulty is really not a serious one. We have learnt that if Finte and Frankadua were removed from the Eastern Region to the Volta Region, the difficulties that will arise will be much more serious than those which now exist. That being so, we wish to rescind our first alternative proposal that this area should join the Volta Region. We have made an appropriate recommendation in respect of this area in paragraph 16 above. (Para. 90).

28. Our proposal concerning the posting of additional District Commissioners along the borders of Ghana has been endorsed by all the Regional Administrations concerned. The additional facts which have been brought to our attention strengthen our original proposal. We therefore wish to underline our proposal. (Para. 92).

DEMARCATON OF REGIONAL BOUNDARIES

29. In the Regions of Ghana Act, 1960 (C.A. 11) the territories of the Regions of Ghana are defined as the areas of authority of the various local government units in each Region. There is no physical indication of the boundaries. Where two adjacent local government councils on either side of a regional boundary are not themselves sure of the extent of their respective areas of authority, this has brought about much unnecessary boundary dispute. A dispute in point is the one existing between Kukuom (Brong-Ahafo Region) and Nkawie (Ashanti Region). In order to avoid such disputes we suggest that the boundaries of Regions should be physically demarcated, if possible by the use of survey pillars.

30. Having concluded the final stage of our task we wish, once again, to express the hope that our recommendations will meet the wishes of the majority of the people.

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APPENDIX D

LIST OF RURAL ELECTORAL DISTRICTS RECOMMENDED FOR EACH REGION
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NOTE

1. The entries in column 5—Suggested Headquarters—refer to the town or towns suggested as the headquarters of the local government council and the headquarters of the district of a District Commissioner to be established. Where only one town is named, it is to be the headquarters of both the council and the district. Where two towns are named, the first relates to the council and the second to the district.
2. "E.I.", "G.N." and "L.G." appearing in column 4 mean "Executive Instrument", "Gazette Notice" and "Local Government Bulletin", respectively.

APPENDIX D—contd.

Section (A1)
GREATER ACCRA

Electoral District Recommended	Population	Existing Urban/Local Council Area	Document in which Area of Electoral District Described	Suggested Headquarters
1. Ga	36,917	1. Ga Local Council	E.I. 164/62 (a)	Amasaman
2. Dangbe	26,148	2. Dangbe Local Council	E.I. 343/62	Prampam
3. Shai	12,909	3. Shai Local Council	E.I. 342/62	Dodowa

(a) Subject to adjustments recommended in paragraph 43.

Section (A)
ASHANTI REGION

Electoral District Recommended	Population	Existing Urban/Local Council Area	Document in which Area of Electoral District Described	Suggested Headquarters
1. Obuasi	26,579 (a)	1. Obuasi Urban Council	G.N. 244/52 (a)	Obuasi
2. Bekwai	30,108	2. Bekwai Urban Council	..	Bekwai
3. Manso	31,193	3. Manso Local Council	Appendix "E"	Adubea; Nkwanta
4. Odotobri	31,517	4. Amansie Local Council	..	Jacobi
5. Amansie	31,279	5. Agona Kwabre Local Council	E.I. 281/62 (Wards 5-12)	Yapesea
6. Adaaya	30,751	6. Akrokerri-Dompoase Local Council	E.I. 281/62 (Wards 1-4)	Huntado
7. Kwabre	43,060	7. Mampong Local Council	E.I. 196/62 (a)	Mampongten
8. Agona	20,000	8. Mampong Local Council	..	Agona
9. Akrokerri-Dompoase	21,625 (a)	9. Ejura-Sekyedumasi Local Council	..	Akrokerri
10. Asante Mampong	41,807	10. Sekyere Local Council	E.I. 58/63	Mampong
11. Ejura-Sekyedumasi	30,674	11. Nsuta-Kwamang Local Council	E.I. 299/62	Ejura
12. Asakoduase	29,281	12. Nsuta-Kwamang Local Council	E.I. 283/62 (Wards 1-6)	Effiduase
13. Sekyere	26,802	13. Nsuta-Kwamang Local Council	E.I. 283/62 (Wards 7-12) (b)	Kumawu
14. Nsuta-Kwamang	23,462	14. Nsuta-Kwamang Local Council	E.I. 59/63 (c)	Nsuta

APPENDIX D—contd.

Section (A)
ASHANTI REGION—contd.

Electoral District Recommended	Population	Existing Urban/Local Council Area	Document in which Area of Electoral District Described	Suggested Headquarters
15. Mponua	30,000	11. Atwima-Mponua Local Council	E.I. 300/62 (Wards on West of River Offin).	Nkwie
16. Amanano	26,000	12. Atwima-Nwabiagya Local Council	E.I. 300/62 (Wards on East of River Offin).	Nyinahin
17. Nwabiagya	26,865	13. Ahafo Ano Local Council	E.I. 194/62	Abuakwa
18. Teppa	40,000	14. Offinso-Kwabre Local Council	E.I. 288/62 (Wards 7-11 and parts of 4 and 5).	Teppa
19. Ahafo Ano	30,718	15. Lake Bosomtwe Local Council	E.I. 288/62 (Wards 1, 2, 3, 6 and parts of 4 and 5).	Mankranso
20. Offinso	35,201	16. Atwima-Kwanwoma Local Council	E.I. 60/63 (Wards 6-12)	Offinso
21. Afigya Kwabre	32,000	17. Juaben-Ejisu Local Council	E.I. 60/63 (Wards 1-5)	Kodie; Ahinkro
22. Bosomtwe	33,675	18. Ashanti Akim Local Council	E.I. 284/62	Kuntanase
23. Kwanwoma	30,933	19. Konongo-Odumasi Local Council	E.I. 286/62	Brofeyedru; Trede
24. Juaben	26,373	20. Adansi Banka Local Council	E.I. 285/62 (Wards 1-5, 7)	Juaben
25. Ejisu	22,399	21. Konongo-Odumasi	E.I. 285/62 (Wards 6, 8-12)	Ejisu
26. Ashanti Akim	35,983	22. Juaso-Bankaman	E.I. 287/62 (Wards 1-5, 8, 11, 12 and parts of 6, 7 and 10).	Agogo
27. Konongo-Odumasi	24,222	23. Juaso-Bankaman	E.I. 301/62 (Wards 6-10, 12) plus E.I. 287/62 (part of Ward 6).	Konongo-Odumasi
28. Juaso-Bankaman	31,920	24. Juaso-Bankaman	E.I. 301/62 (Wards 1-5, 11) plus E.I. 287/62 (Ward 9 and parts of 7 and 10) and E.I. 280/62 (Wards 11 and 12).	Juaso
29. Adansi	42,273 (a)	25. Adansi	E.I. 280/62 (Wards 1-10) (a)	..

(a) Subject to adjustments in Appendix "F".

(b) Less Beposo (Para. 17).

(c) Plus Beposo (Para. 17).

Section (B)

BRONG-AHAFO REGION

Electoral District Recommended	Population	Existing Urban/Local Council Area	Document in which Area of Electoral District Described	Suggested Headquarters
1. Sunyani	52,109	1. Sunyani Urban Council	E.I. 222/62 (a)	Sunyani
2. Attebubu	21,184	2. Attebubu Local Council	E.I. 213/62 (Wards 6-12)	Attebubu
3. Yeapra	21,186	3. Kwame Danso Local Council	E.I. 213/62 (Wards 1-5)	Prang
4. Kwame Danso	23,000	4. Techiman Local Council	E.I. 128/62	Kwame Danso
5. Techiman	39,000		E.I. 215/62	Techiman
6. Nkoranza	34,173		E.I. 216/62 (Wards 3-10)	Nkoranza
7. Kintampo	34,727	5. Nkoranza Local Council	E.I. 216/62 (Wards 1, 2, 11, 12)	Kintampo
8. Wenchi	42,975	6. Wenchi Local Council	E.I. 214/62 (Wards 7-12)	Wenchi
9. Tan-Banda	43,173		E.I. 214/62 (Wards 1-6)	Nsawkaw
10. Dormaa	32,000		E.I. 220/62 (Wards 1-5, 10-12)	Dormaa Ahenkro
11. Dormaa-Drobo	32,000	7. Dormaa Local Council	E.I. 220/62 (Wards 6-9)	New Drobo; Asuotiano
12. Jaman	32,000	8. Jaman Local Council	plus E.I. 219/62 (Wards 1-5)	
13. Bereh	59,000	9. Bereh Local Council	E.I. 218/62	Nwereme; Sampa
14. Bechem	29,709	10. Tano Local Council	E.I. 221/62 (Wards 5-11) (d)	Bereh
15. Duayaw-Nkwanta	25,907		E.I. 221/62 (Wards 1-4, 12) (b)	Duayaw-Nkwanta
16. Kukuom	31,797		E.I. 217/62 (Wards 5-7 and part of 8)	Kukuom
17. Goaso	29,203	11. Asunafo Local Council	E.I. 217/62 (Wards 1-4 and part of 8)	Goaso
18. Asutifi	23,539	12. Asutifi Local Council	E.I. 236/62 (c)	Kenyasi No. 1.

(a) Plus Atronie, Susuanso and Tanoso
 (b) Less Susuanso
 (c) Less Atronie.
 (d) Less Tanoso

(Paragraph 26).

APPENDIX D—contd.

Section—(C)

CENTRAL REGION

Electoral District Recommended	Population	Existing Urban/Local Council Area	Document in which Area of Electoral District Described	Suggested Headquarters
1. Swedru	20,546	1. Swedru Urban Council	G.N. 859/52	Swedru
2. Nyakrom-Nkum	23,870	2. Nyakrom-Nkum Urban Council	L.G. 547/56	Nyakrom
3. Denkyira	43,389	3. Denkyira Local Council	E.I. 185/62	Dunkwa
4. Denkyimanfu	30,353	4. Twifu-Hemang-Denkyira Local Council	E.I. 184/62	Hemang; Twifu
5. Agona-Nsaba	51,088	{ 5. Agona Local Council	E.I. 176/62 and	Kwanyako; Nsaba
6. Komenda-Abrem	25,876	6. Agona Swedru Local Council	E.I. 177/62	Komenda
7. Edina-Eguafo	30,503	7. Komenda-Abrem Local Council	E.I. 210/62	Elmina
8. Abura	30,278	8. Edina-Eguafo Local Council	E.I. 211/62	Abura Dunkwa
9. Asebu	15,738	9. Abura Local Council	E.I. 180/62	Moree
10. Asin Atandaso	31,106	10. Asebu Local Council	E.I. 182/62	Fante Nyankumasi
11. Mfantiman	44,380	11. Asin Atandaso Local Council	E.I. 183/62	Saltpond
12. Ekumfi	50,187	12. Mfantiman Local Council	E.I. 179/62	Esiakyer
13. Asin Apimanim	26,614	13. Ekumfi Local Council	E.I. 178/62	Asin Manso; Asin
14. Enyan-Breman	18,274	14. Asin Apimanim Local Council	E.I. 181/62	Nkwantanum
15. Esikuma	27,779	15. Enyan-Breman Local Council	E.I. 174/62	Esikuma
16. Gomoa	27,472	16. Breman-Esikuma Local Council	E.I. 175/62	Apam
17. Akyempim	33,348	17. Gomoa-Akyempim Local Council	E.I. 209/62 (Wards 1, 2, 11, 12 and parts of 3 and 10)	Dawurampong
18. Gomoa Ajumako	27,073		E.I. 209/62 (Wards 4-9 and parts of 3 and 10)	Pomadze; Afransi
19. Gomoa Asin	21,966	18. Gomoa-Asin-Ejumako Local Council	E.I. 208/62 (Wards 7-11)	Potsin; Dominase
20. Ejumako	55,386		E.I. 208/62 (Wards 1-6)	Ejumako
21. Effutu	29,983	19. Ejumako Local Council	E.I. 212/62	Winneba
22. Awutu-Senya	31,259	20. Ewutu-Effutu Local Council	E.I. 80/61 (Wards 23-32)	Awutu
			E.I. 80/61 (Wards 1-22)	

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EASTERN REGION

<i>Electoral District Recommended</i>	<i>Population</i>	<i>Existing Urban/Local Council Area</i>	<i>Document in which Area of Electoral District Described</i>	<i>Suggested Headquarters</i>
1. Koforidua ..	53,815	1. Koforidua Urban Council ..	E.I. 234/62	Koforidua
2. Nsawam-Aburi ..	52,269 (a)	2. Nsawam-Aburi Urban Council ..	E.I. 223/62 (a)	Nsawam; Aburi
3. Suhum ..	52,921 (a) (c)	3. Suhum Local Council ..	E.I. 170/62 (a) (c)	Suhum
4. Begoro ..	38,773	4. Begoro Local Council ..	E.I. 167/62	Begoro
5. Kwabeng ..	34,421	5. Kwabeng Local Council ..	E.I. 169/62	Kwabeng
6. Kade ..	37,091		E.I. 226/62 (Wards 2-4, 7 and parts of 1 and 5)	Kade
7. Akwatia ..	33,508	6. Kade-Akwatia Local Council ..	E.I. 226/62 (Wards 9, 10, 12 and parts of 1 and 11)	Akwatia
8. Birimnagya ..	22,981		E.I. 226/62 (Wards 6, 8 and parts of 5 and 11)	Akim-Akropong
9. Abetifi ..	47,690	7. Abetifi Local Council ..	E.I. 168/62	Abetifi
10. Osudoku ..	12,357 (b)	8. Osudoku Local Council ..	E.I. 173/62 (b)	Asutsuare; Osuwem
11. Ada ..	52,116 (b)	9. Ada Local Council ..	G.N. 194/52 (b)	Big Ada; Ada Foah
12. Yilo-yono ..	27,500		E.I. 165/62 (Wards 5-9 and parts of 10 and 11)	Agogo
13. Somanya ..	33,012	10. Yilo Krobo Local Council ..	E.I. 165/62 (Wards 1-4 and parts of 10 and 11)	Somanya
14. Akwamu ..	19,573	11. Akwamu-Anum-Boso Local Council ..	E.I. 225/62 (Wards 1-7)	Senchi
15. Guan ..	12,928	12. Fintse-Frankadua Local Council ..	E.I. 225/62 (Wards 8-14) plus E.I. 171/62	Boso; Anum
16. Afram ..	17,157	13. Afram Local Council ..	E.I. 166/62	Donkorkrom
17. Akropong ..	28,073	14. Akropong Local Council ..	E.I. 172/62 (Wards 2, 3, 7, 9-12)	Akropong
18. Akwapim-Mampong ..	23,472		E.I. 172/62 (Wards 1, 4, 5, 6, 8)	Mampong
19. Sekesua ..	21,324		E.I. 170/60 (Wards 5, 13, 14 and 15)	Sekesua
20. Odumase ..	26,548	15. Manya Krobo Local Council ..	E.I. 170/60 (Wards 1-4 and 6)	Odumase-Krobo; Akuse
21. Asesewa ..	44,153		E.I. 170/60 (Wards 7-12 and 16)	Asesewa

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EASTERN REGION—contd.

<i>Electoral District Recommended</i>	<i>Population</i>	<i>Existing Urban/Local Council Area</i>	<i>Document in which Area of Electoral District Described</i>	<i>Suggested Headquarters</i>
22. Nkawkaw ..	38,482	16. Nkawkaw Local Council ..	E.I. 235/62 (Wards 1-6, 8 and part of 7)	Nkawkaw
23. Mpraeso ..	32,518		E.I. 235/62 (Wards 9-12 and part of 7)	Mpraeso
24. Abirem ..	45,000	17. Birim Local Council ..	E.I. 227/62 (Wards 1-5 and part of 6)	Abirem; Afoso
25. Oda ..	32,000		E.I. 227/62 (Wards 7-12 and part of 6)	Oda
26. Akim Manso ..	45,424	18. Manso-Achease Local Council ..	E.I. 229/62 (Wards 1-5 and 9)	Akim Manso
27. Swedru-Achease ..	34,219		E.I. 229/62 (Wards 6-8 and 10-12)	Achease; Akim Swedru
28. Akim Tafo ..	34,639 (b) (c)		E.I. 228/62 (Wards 2-5 and 7) (b) (c)	New Tafo
29. Kibi ..	34,724 (a) (b) (c)	19. Abuakwa Local Council ..	E.I. 228/62 (Wards 1, 6, 8-12) (a) (b) (c)	Kibi
30. Asamankese ..	30,518		E.I. 224/62 (Wards 3, 5, 6 and parts of 1 and 2)	Asamankese
31. Kraboa Coalta ..	36,988 (a)	20. Asamankese Local Council ..	E.I. 224/62 (Wards 9-12) (a)	Kraboa Coalta
32. Adeiso ..	30,821 (a)		E.I. 224/62 (Wards 4, 7, 8 and parts of 1 and 2) (a)	Adeiso

(a) Subject to adjustments recommended in para. 43.

(b) Subject to adjustments recommended in para. 45.

(c) Subject to removal of Birimso and Bunso from Ward 1 to Suhum and Akim Tafo respectively. (Paras. 43 and 45).

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Section (E)

NORTHERN REGION

<i>Electoral District Recommended</i>	<i>Population</i>	<i>Existing Urban/Local Council Area</i>	<i>Document in which Area of Electoral District Described</i>	<i>Suggested Headquarters</i>
1. Tamale ..	57,933..	1. Tamale Urban Council	E.I.206/62 (b)	Tamale
2. Nanton ..	22,860..	2. Nanton Local Council	E.I.144/62 (b)	Nanton
3. Savelugu ..	31,183..	3. Savelugu Local Council	E.I.146/62 ..	Savelugu
4. Bole ..	25,443..	4. Bole Local Council ..	E.I.205/62 ..	Bole
5. Kusamongo ..	36,994..	{ 5. Damongo Local Council 6. Kusawgu Local Council	{ E.I.140/62 and E.I.150/62	Damongo
6. Kpandai ..	19,380..	7. Kpandai Local Council	E.I.141/62 ..	Kpandai
7. Salaga ..	36,412..	8. Salaga Local Council	E.I.139/62 ..	Salaga
8. Bimbilla ..	45,937..	9. Bimbilla Local Council	E.I.202/62 ..	Bimbilla
9. Yendi ..	35,363..	10. Yendi Local Council	E.I.204/62 (b)	Yendi
10. Zabzugu ..	17,661..	11. Zabzugu Local Council	E.I.203/62 ..	Zabzugu.
11. Saboba ..	21,876	12. Saboba Local Council	E.I. 207/62	Saboba
12. Gushiegu ..	18,931	13. Gushiegu Local Council	E.I. 143/62 (b)	Gushiegu
13. Chereponi ..	25,393	14. Chereponi Local Council	E.I. 142/62	Chereponi
14. Bunkpurugu ..	26,501	15. Bunkpurugu Local Council	E.I. 148/62	Bunkpurugu
15. Nalerigu ..	28,228	16. Nalerigu Local Council	E.I. 138/62	Nalerigu; Gambaga
16. Walewale ..	23,520	17. Walewale Local Council	E.I. 147/62 (a)	Walewale
17. Kpasemkpe ..	26,214	18. Kpasemkpe Local Council	E.I. 149/62 (a)	Kpasemkpe
18. Tolon ..	31,183	19. Tolon Local Council	E.I. 145/62	

(a) Subject to adjustments as in paragraph 50 (Appendix G).

(b) Subject to adjustments as in paragraph 49 (Appendix H).

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Section (F)

UPPER REGION

<i>Electoral District Recommended</i>	<i>Population</i>	<i>Existing Urban/Local Council Area</i>	<i>Document in which Area of Electoral District Described</i>	<i>Suggested Headquarters</i>
1. Bolgatanga ..	38,539	1. Bolgatanga Local Council	E.I. 326/62	Zuarungu; Bolgatanga
2. Tongo ..	34,648	2. Talensi Local Council	E.I. 340/62	Tongo
3. Bongo ..	54,928	3. Bongo Local Council	E.I. 338/62	Bongo
4. Nabdram ..	21,913	4. Nabdram Local Council	E.I. 339/62	Nangodi
5. Bawku ..	46,552	5. Bawku Local Council	E.I. 315/62 (a)	Bawku
6. Garu ..	24,151	6. Garu Local Council	E.I. 329/62 (a)	Garu
7. Pusiga ..	22,574	7. Pusiga-Pulimakom Local Council	E.I. 330/62 (a)	Pusiga
8. Tempane ..	41,152	8. Tempane Local Council	E.I. 333/62	Tempane
9. Zebilla ..	22,508	9. Zebilla Local Council	E.I. 328/62	Zebilla
10. Kusanaba ..	29,486	10. Kusanaba Local Council	E.I. 314/62 (a)	Kusanaba
11. Navrongo ..	43,998	11. Navrongo Local Council	E.I. 334/62	Navrongo
12. Chiana ..	19,032	12. Chiana Local Council	E.I. 336/62	Chiana
13. Paga ..	30,367	13. Paga Local Council	E.I. 335/62	Paga
14. Sandema ..	50,922	{ 14. Fumbisi Local Council 15. Sandema Local Council	{ E.I. 331/62 and E.I. 337/62	Sandema
15. Nandom ..	28,067	16. Nandom Local Council	E.I. 325/62 ..	Nandom
16. Jirapa ..	39,928	17. Jirapa Local Council	E.I. 313/62 ..	Jirapa
17. Nadawli ..	37,739	18. Nadawli Local Council	E.I. 310/62 ..	Nadawli
18. Wala ..	48,218	19. Wala Local Council ..	E.I. 332/62 (Wards 1-6 and part of 7).	Wa
19. Wechiau ..	30,683		E.I. 332/62 (Wards 8-12 and part of 7).	Wechiau
20. Tumu ..	43,540	{ 20. Gwollu Local Council 21. Tumu Local Council	{ E.I. 341/62 and E.I. 312/62	Tumu
21. Lambussie ..	18,377	22. Lambussie Local Council	E.I. 311/62 ..	Lambussie
22. Lawra ..	27,821	23. Lawra Local Council	E.I. 309/62 ..	Lawra
23. Funsai ..	14,343	24. Funsai Local Council	E.I. 327/62 ..	Funsai

(a) Subject to adjustments as in Para. 54

Section (G)

VOLTA REGION

<i>Electoral District Recommended</i>	<i>Population</i>	<i>Existing Urban/Local Council Area</i>	<i>Document in which Area of Electoral District Described</i>	<i>Suggested Headquarters</i>
1. Keta ..	29,719	1. Keta Urban Council	E.I. 152/62 ..	Keta
2. Ho ..	51,024	{ 2. Ho Urban Council 3. Adaklu-Anyigbe Local Council	{ E.I. 160/62 and E.I. 159/62	{ Ho
3. Some-Aflao ..	50,536	4. Some-Aflao Local Council	E.I. 151/62 ..	Agbosume; Denu
4. Krachi ..	47,107		E.I. 231/62 (Wards 3-9) ..	Kete-Krachi
5. Nkwanta ..	30,947	5. Krachi Local Council	E.I. 231/62 (Wards 10-12) plus E.I. 153/62 (Parts of Wards 1 and 12)	Nkwanta
6. Akan Bowiri ..	32,410		E.I. 153/62 (Wards 3-7, 10, 11) plus	Worawora
7. Akan Wawa ..	30,492	6. Akan Local Council	E.I. 230/62 (Wards 5 and 6) E.I. 153/62 (Wards 2, 8, 9 and parts of 1 and 12)	Papase
8. Buem ..	35,959		E.I. 230/62 (Wards 1-4) ..	Jasikan
9. Biakoye ..	39,996	7. Buem Local Council	E.I. 230/62 (Wards 7-12)	Nkonya Ahenkro
10. Kpandu ..	25,135		E.I. 162/62 (Wards 1-3 and 7)	Kpandu
11. Afadzato ..	28,802	8. Kpandu Local Council	E.I. 162/62 (Wards 4, 8-12)	Golokwati
12. Gbi ..	17,208		E.I. 162/62 (Wards 5 and 6)	Hohoe
13. Dayi ..	48,196	9. Dayi Local Council	E.I. 161/62 ..	Peki
14. Yingor ..	33,949		E.I. 233/62 (Wards 1-4, 6 and part of 5)	Dzolokpuita; Kpedze
15. Dutator ..	30,928	10. Dzolokpuita Local Council	E.I. 233/62 (Wards 7-11 and part of 5)	Anyinawase; Tsito
16. Wheta ..	34,121		E.I. 158/62 (Wards 7-11)	Wheta
17. Dzodze ..	28,757	11. Dzodze Local Council	E.I. 158/62 (Wards 1-6) ..	Dzodze
18. Avenor ..	33,225	12. Avenor Local Council	E.I. 157/62 ..	Avenorfeme; Akatsi
19. Anlo ..	39,272		E.I. 232/62 (Wards 7-12)	Anloga
20. Wego ..	30,602	13. Anlo Local Council	E.I. 232/62 (Wards 1-6) ..	Wego; Abor
21. Sogakofe ..	39,232	14. Sogakofe Local Council	E.I. 156/62 ..	Sogakofe
22. Adidome ..	29,230 (a)	15. Adidome Local Council	E.I. 155/62 (a) ..	Adidome
23. Battor ..	20,550 (a)	16. Battor Local Council	E.I. 154/62 (a) ..	Aveyime; Battor

(a) Subject to removal of Mepe from Adidome to Battor.

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Section (H)

WESTERN REGION

<i>Electoral District Recommended</i>	<i>Population</i>	<i>Existing Urban/Local Council Area</i>	<i>Document in which Area of Electoral District Described</i>	<i>Suggested Headquarters</i>
1. Tarkwa-Aboso ..	46,678	1. Tarkwa-Aboso Urban Council	G.N. 178/52 (a) (c) ..	Tarkwa
2. Sefwi-Bibiani ..	48,179	{ 2. Bibiani Urban Council 3. Sehwi-Anhwiaso-Bekwai L.C.	{ E.I. 122/62 and E.I. 201/62	Bibiani
3. Dompim ..	30,998	4. Dompim Local Council	E.I. 125/62 (a) (c) ..	Dompim
4. Wiawso ..	37,244	5. Wiawso Local Council	E.I. 195/62 ..	Sehwi Wiawso
5. Aowin ..	19,513	{ 6. Aowin Local Council 7. Dadieso Local Council	{ E.I. 121/62 and E.I. 124/62	Enchi
6. Juabeso-Bia ..	30,234	{ 8. Juabeso Local Council 9. Trans-Bia Local Council	{ E.I. 194/62 and E.I. 123/62	Juabeso; Asempanaye
7. Prestea ..	31,322	10. Prestea Local Council	E.I. 199/62 (Wards 6-12) (c) ..	Prestea
8. Ateiku ..	32,275		E.I. 199/62 (Wards 1-5) ..	Ateiku
9. Jomoro ..	47,842	11. Jomoro Local Council	E.I. 197/62 ..	Half Assini
10. Axim ..	18,029	12. Axim Local Council	E.I. 200/62 Plus E.I. 196/62 (Ward 6)	Axim
11. Nkroful ..	27,229	13. Nkroful Local Council	E.I. 196/62 Less Ward 6	Nkroful
12. Ahanta ..	37,194	14. Ahanta Local Council	E.I. 198/62 (d) ..	Agona Junction
13. Shama ..	30,134	15. Shama Local Council	E.I. 127/62 (b) ..	Shama; Ncheaban
14. Asankrangwa ..	28,742		E.I. 126/62 (Wards 1, 2, 3, 5, 11 and part of 4)	Asankrangwa
15. Wassaw Akropong ..	28,700	16. Amenfi Local Council	E.I. 126/62 (Wards 6-10 and part of 4)	Akropong

(a) Subject to adjustments as in para. 64 (a).

(b) Plus Osofokrom and Ncheaban Nkwanta (para. 64 (b)).

(c) Subject to transfer of Teberebe from Prestea and Dadieso from Dompim to Tarkwa-Aboso (para. 65).

(d) Less Kwesimintsim, Asaaka, Apremdu, Whindu and Mpatadu (para. 78).

Section (I)

MUNICIPAL ELECTORAL DISTRICTS RECOMMENDED

City/Municipal Council	Population	Electoral Districts Recommended	Document in which Areas of Electoral Districts Described
1. Accra-Tema City Council ..	415,523 ..	1. Ablekuma .. 2. Okakwei .. 3. Ga Mashie .. 4. Ashiedu Keteke .. 5. Klotey Tenashie .. 6. Kpeshie .. 7. Ayawaso .. 8. Tema ..	L.N. 201/53 (Wards 1, 2 and 3). L.N. 201/53 (Wards 4, 5, 14 and 27). L.N. 201/53 (Wards 6-9). L.N. 201/53 (Wards 10-13, 15 and 16). L.N. 201/53 (Wards 17-21). L.N. 201/53 (Wards 22-25). L.N. 201/53 (Ward 26). Ordinance No. 38 of 1952 (First Schedule) or E.I. 366/62.
2. Kumasi City Council ..	218,172 ..	1. Subin .. 2. Asukwa .. 3. Bantama .. 4. Manhyia ..	L.G. 472/57 (Wards 1-4, 7, 17, 18 and 19). L.G. 472/57 (Wards 6, 9, 13, 14, 23 and 24). L.G. 472/57 (Wards 15, 16, 20, 21 and 22). L.G. 472/57 (Wards 5, 8, 10, 11 and 12). (Tanoso, Abuohia, Kwapra, Buoba, Abutantia, Chirase, Parkoso, Aperade and Nyankyireniase to be added to appropriate Wards (See paragraph 76).
3. Sekondi-Takoradi City Council ..	128,806 ..	1. Sekondi .. 2. Takoradi ..	L.N. 398/53 (Wards 1-9). L.N. 398/53 (Wards 10-21). (Osofokrom and Ncheab n Nkwanta to be removed from appropriate wards (see para. 64 (b)) and Kwesimintsim, Asakaa, Apremdu, Whindu and Mpatadu to be added to appropriate ward (see para. 78).
4. Cape Coast Municipal Council ..	56,914 ..	1. Oguaa ..	L.N. 394 of 1953.

APPENDIX F

LIST OF VILLAGES TO BE EXCHANGED BETWEEN THE PROPOSED AKROKERRI-DOMPOASI, ADANSI AND OBUASI ELECTORAL DISTRICTS

(i) FROM THE ADANSI LOCAL COUNCIL AREA TO THE PROPOSED AKROKERRI-DOMPOASE ELECTORAL DISTRICT

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|-----------------|------------------|
| 1. Adomanu | 12. Nyamebekyere |
| 2. Akyeasi | 13. Nyankomasu |
| 3. Abadwum | 14. Ofoase |
| 4. Sanso | 15. Denyase |
| 5. Old Edubiasi | 16. Adembra |
| 6. Burah | 17. Nhyease |
| 7. Anyinabrem | 18. Ahinsan |
| 8. Nantin | 19. Adokwai |
| 9. Mampamhwe | 20. Agogoso |
| 10. Asase | 21. Dekyiso. |
| 11. Tasiliman | |

(ii) FROM THE ADANSI LOCAL COUNCIL AREA TO THE PROPOSED OBUASI ELECTORAL DISTRICT

Jimiso Kakraba.

(iii) FROM THE AKROKERRI-DOMPOASE LOCAL COUNCIL AREA TO THE PROPOSED OBUASI ELECTORAL DISTRICT

Odumasi	Akaporiso
Pumposo	Brahabehome
Nyameso.	

(iv) FROM THE AKROKERRI-DOMPOASE LOCAL COUNCIL AREA TO THE PROPOSED ADANSI ELECTORAL DISTRICT

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|---------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Apagye | 14. Acheasewa Aboabo |
| 2. Kronkromso | 15. Prekesease |
| 3. Amenaso Nos. 1-3 | 16. Krofofro |
| 4. Denyameso | 17. Domeabra |
| 5. Kyekyewere | 18. Kusa |
| 6. Wuruyie | 19. Menang |
| 7. Bentim | 20. Dunchie |
| 8. Kotwea | 21. Kukurabo |
| 9. Asuminem | 22. Aworoso |
| 10. Birim Boe | 23. Dasubiadwem |
| 11. Edwinase | 24. Obonsu |
| 12. Atwereboana | 25. Addokrom |
| 13. Ataasi-Nkwanta | 26. Praso and Villages. |

APPENDIX H

TRANSFERS TO THE PROPOSED NANTON ELECTORAL DISTRICT

	<i>Population</i>							
(i) From the Tamale Urban Council Area:								
Yilonayili, Begu Kurugu, Zaazi, Bogupalga and Salamba						250
(ii) From the Gushiegu Local Council Area:								
Ward 10	1,455
(iii) From the Yendi Local Council Area:								
Wards 8 and 10	1,734
								<hr/> 3,439 <hr/>
(iv) Resulting Population:								
Nanton Electoral District (19,421 and 3,439)	22,860
Tamale Electoral District	57,933
Gushiegu Electoral District	18,931
Yendi Electoral District	35,363