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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **INVESTIGATION INTO FATAL SHOOTING INCIDENT AT ASAWASE – ASHANTI**

1. The Ashanti Regional Police Command has commenced investigation into a shooting incident that occurred on the evening of Monday, 22nd July 2025, at Asawase F-Line, a suburb of the Ashanti Region.
2. Preliminary investigation indicates that the victim, a middle aged man was fatally shot by two unidentified assailants. The suspects, each riding on a motorbike, reportedly approached their victim and opened fire at close range before fleeing the scene.
3. The victim was initially rushed to the Manhyia District Hospital and later referred to the Komfo Anokye Teaching Hospital, where he was unfortunately pronounced dead. His body has since been deposited at the Ebenezer Mortuary in Tafo for autopsy.
4. In response to the incident, the Ashanti Regional Police Commander, DCOP Mr. Emmanuel Teye-Cudjoe; the Regional Crime Officer, ACP Mr. Ebenezer Boyor and a team of officers visited the crime scene.

5. During the inspection, two empty shells suspected to be from an AK-47 assault rifle were recovered and documented.
6. The Regional Police Command assures the public that every effort is being made to identify and apprehend the perpetrators of this heinous crime.
7. We therefore urge the public to remain calm and wish to call on anyone with relevant information to contact the nearest police station or call our emergency lines. 191,18555 and 112.

**Signed**

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