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## GRIDCo PROVIDES TWO (2) MECHANISED BOREHOLES TO NAVRONGO SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

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The Ghana Grid Company Limited (GRIDCo), the licensed operator of National Interconnected Transmission System under its Educational Support Initiative has supported the Navrongo Senior High School (NAVASCO) in the Upper East Region with the construction of Two (2) Mechanised Boreholes.

The support to the Navrongo SHS is in fulfilment of one of GRIDCo's Core Value "CARE" demonstrating the Company's commitment to support its stakeholders in its Areas of Operation. It is also in line with GRIDCo's Sustainable CSR and the UN Sustainable Development (SDG) GOAL 6 – "Ensure the availability sustainable management of water and sanitation for all."

The construction of the bore holes will,

- Improve the quality of life for a stakeholder group located within our Nayagnia Substation and Bolgatanga Operational Area who need a key natural resource (which is water)
- Relieve Staff and Students of NAVASCO of the frequent water challenges experienced especially during the dry season
- Improve time management of Students (reduce time spent searching for water)

The construction began in Q4 2022 and was completed in Q1 2023 at a cost of One Hundred Thousand (GH¢100,000) Ghana Cedis. GRIDCo is proud to improve the lives of the two thousand and seventy-three (2,073) students and one hundred and eighty (180) Staff and urge care for the Boreholes so it is beneficial for the long-term.

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#### Note to Editors:

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