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OFFERS OF STUDY AND TRAINING FACILITIES UNDER RESOLUTION 845 (IX)
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Report of the Secretary-General

By letter of 5 November 1958, the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of External Affairs of Ghana, has informed the Secretary-General that the Government of Ghana has decided to award to the nationals of Non-Self-Governing Territories scholarships for higher training tenable in Ghana on the following broad lines:

- "(i) Field of study: The field of study will be at university level. Courses will be offered at both the University College of Ghana and the Kumasi College of Technology, but in each academic year the specific field of study in which scholarships will be awarded will be decided upon in consultation with the two institutions and appropriate notice will be given to prospective applicants well in advance.
- "(ii) Duration: The duration of the award will be according to the field of study, plus a period for English study, where necessary.
- "(iii) Qualifications: This will be the entry requirement of either the University College or the Kumasi College of Technology, as the case may be, with an adequate knowledge of English. Where a candidate has no knowledge of the English language, which is the medium of instruction, arrangements will be made for a preliminary language course.
- "(iv) Transportation: Passage to and from Ghana will be provided by this Government.

"(v) Maintenance: Full board and lodging fees will be provided at the institutions concerned. During vacation periods, college or hostel accommodation will be arranged, but where this proves impossible, arrangements will be made for candidates to stay with families.

"(vi) Allowances: Allowances to cover all essential expenses will be provided, e.g., books, examination and other institutional fees. Free medical treatment either at the college hospital or at government hospitals will also be provided. A clothing replacement allowance will be given. Holiday allowance will be made on the basis of the standard of living in Ghana....

"It is intended that three scholarships should be awarded in each of the academic years 1959-60, 1960-61, 1961-62, after which the matter will be reviewed. Academic years begin in October and end in June. A further communication about the field in which the awards for 1959-60 will be made, the method of applying and the dates when applications should be received here will be sent in due course."
