## **PRESS RELEASE**

## DATABANK CELEBRATES ITS 29TH ANNIVERSARY

Databank, Ghana's premier investment bank, celebrated 29 years of investment excellence in the industry on April 20, 2019.

Founded in 1990 on the core values of Leadership, Excellence, Humility and Integrity, Databank has remained committed to the dream of helping all Ghanaians achieve financial independence and has made significant strides in the Ghanaian investment industry. This includes being the first investment bank to introduce a mutual fund in Ghana. We introduced the first equity fund (Epack), the first money market fund (MFund), the first balanced fund (BFund), the first ethical fund (ArkFund) and the first two-tiered mutual fund with a built-in insurance cover (EdIFund). Databank has also made pioneering moves in the digital banking realm, being the first Ghanaian investment bank to provide online investing using a Visa and MasterCard, introduce a mobile app and also allow investors to open an account online.

To our clients, we are grateful for your loyalty and patronage of our products. Thank you for choosing Databank as your investment partner, and we look forward to serving you better in the future. To our future clients, we look forward to partnering with you on your journey to financial independence. Whatever your financial needs may be, Databank is ready and willing to help you achieve them.

We also thank our Board of Directors for their invaluable guidance and administration of each of our funds, and the contributions they have made towards the success and evolution of Databank as a company. Thank you to every member of the Databank staff, who work hard every day to bring our mission and vision as a company to life.

We would also like to take this opportunity to recognize our family of partner banks as well. Thank you to our partner banks, Access, Barclays, Fidelity, GCB, GTBank, Standard Chartered, UBA and Zenith, as well as our custodian banks, Stanbic, Standard Chartered and GTBank. Your support and partnership allow us to significantly advance and deliver our mission of making sure Ghanaians everywhere have access to our investment products.

To our pioneers, thank you for starting something almost three decades ago that we are all very proud to be a part of today.

Databank will continue to work hard to help all Ghanaians achieve financial independence. Whatever your dream may be: whether it is accessing quality education, planning for your retirement, purchasing or building a home or preparing financially prepared for unexpected emergencies, Databank has the financial plan to help you achieve it.

Thank you all for bringing us this far.



## About Databank

Founded in April 1990, Databank's mission is to empower its customers to achieve financial independence by promoting financial literacy and offering a diverse range of investment products. To deliver on our mission, we provide innovative and responsive corporate finance, brokerage, fund management and research services to local and foreign individuals, multinational companies, pension trusts, institutions and portfolio investors for the ECOWAS sub-region. Databank currently has 18 branches across the country. The main branches are in Accra (Head office), Cape Coast, Ho, Koforidua, Kumasi, Sunyani, Takoradi, Tamale and Tema. There are also 9 partner-locations situated within GTBank branches in Accra (Airport, East Legon, Lapaz, Madina, Opera Square, Osu), Ashaiman and Tarkwa, and a UBA KNUST branch in Kumasi.

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