

WABA (GH) organises Oil & Gas Conference and Exhibition

The highly successful event was attended by 690 delegates over three days—June 2 to 4, 2009. A special event was hosted for 345 young entrepreneurs on June 5. There were 34 exhibitors. The Omanhene of the Essikado Traditional Area, Nana Kobina Nketia V, chaired the event throughout. Speakers included the Hon. Minister of Energy, Dr. Joe Oteng-Adjei, the Minister of Trade and Industry, Ms. Hanna Tetteh, Chairman of WABA (GH), Joe Winful, Reps of the Ministers of Education, and Roads and Transport, the British High Commissioner, H.E. Dr. Nicholas Westcott, the Executive Secretary of the Ghana Free Zones Board, Dwomoh-Appiah, Dr. Peter Ankrah from the Ghana Investment Promotion Centre, Senior Geologist from Ghana Petroleum Corporation (GNPC), Michael Aryeetey, the Maritime Authority and Ghana Navy, Daniel Nunoo, former Managing Director of Shell Ghana Ltd, and others. Present were the President of the Western Regional House of Chiefs and other chiefs, a delegation from the UK West Africa Action Group, the British Council, International Delegates from all over the world, representatives of the Ambassadors of the United States and the Netherlands, captains of the oil and gas industry and associated industries, the Universities and Polytechnics, private businessmen and businesswomen, the media, etc. The event was moderated by David Ampofo of Channel Two fame.