



week long tourism exhibition opened on Tuesday 22nd September, 2009 to officially kick-start activities to mark World Tourism Day celebrations.

Ghana's Minister of Tourism, Juliana Azumah-Mensah, beat the drums to signify the official opening of the event. The spectacular exhibition showcased Ghana's rich culture and tourism attractions from various regions, amidst drumming and dancing. On exhibition were artifacts, Ghanaian clothing, sandals, Ghanaian dishes, hotels, restaurants and airlines.

Mrs. Azumah-Mensah in her opening remarks called on all present to take advantage of the exhibition to explore the various aspects of the rich Ghanaian culture and purchase artifacts, souvenirs and collectibles that would hold the memory of the event as they participate in the programme.

The Minister further urged the private sector to use the occasion to sell and promote their products to visitors present adding that the government is interested in securing maximum benefits from tourism through the establishment of more hotels, restaurants, good roads and other social amenities.



Ghana's Minister Tourism, Juliana Azumah - Mensah



His Excellency Darren Schemmen, Canadian High Commissioner to Ghana (middle) with Antrak Staff

Present at the ceremony was the Canadian High Commissioner to Ghana, His Excellency Darren Schemmen, who used the occasion to visit the stands of Antrak Airline. After a short interaction with the staff of Antrak, the High Commissioner commended Antrak Air for its diligent services and commitment towards developing domestic carrier in Ghana. He admonished the Airline not to relent in their quest in developing the aviation industry through its domestic operations and urged the company to continue in its efforts in contributing towards the country's economic growth.

