

Name : Stephen Asamoah Boateng
Government Administration : J.A. Kuffour (2nd Admin)
Designation: Minister of Local Government
Duration : 2006-2007



Stephen Asamoah Boateng (born August 18, 1958) is a Ghanaian politician and a former member of parliament for the Mfantseman West constituency of the Central region of Ghana. He is a former Minister for Local Government Rural Development and Environment, Tourism and Diaspora Relations. Boateng is also a former minister of information and National Orientation as well as a former chief executive officer of the State Enterprise committee. He is currently the Director General of the State Interest and Governance Authority (SIGA).

Asamoah Boateng was born in 1958 and hails from Konongo in the Ashanti Region of Ghana. He attained his basic education at the Konongo Methodist primary school, Kormantse District Assembly Middle Schools and Jasikan Roman Catholic Middle school and then proceeded to obtain his senior high school education at Konongo/Odumase Senior High School.

Mr. Boateng obtained his first degree from the University of Ghana and a master's degree in business administration at Henley Management College Oxfordshire in the United Kingdom. During his stay in the United Kingdom, he worked as a Marketing Consultant at the American Medical Systems (AMS) of Pfizer Pharmaceuticals. He was also a Business Advisor at Business Link in London as well as a Housing Officer at the Royal Borough of Kensington, Chelsea. He worked as a public servant with the position of a store assistant at the Ghana Medical Stores in Kumasi.

He is a member of the 4th parliament of the 4th republic of Ghana.[10] His political career began in his early days as a political activist. He became the President of the Madina Students Union and the secretary of the Central Committee of National Union of Ghana Students (NUGS) from 1979 to 1982.