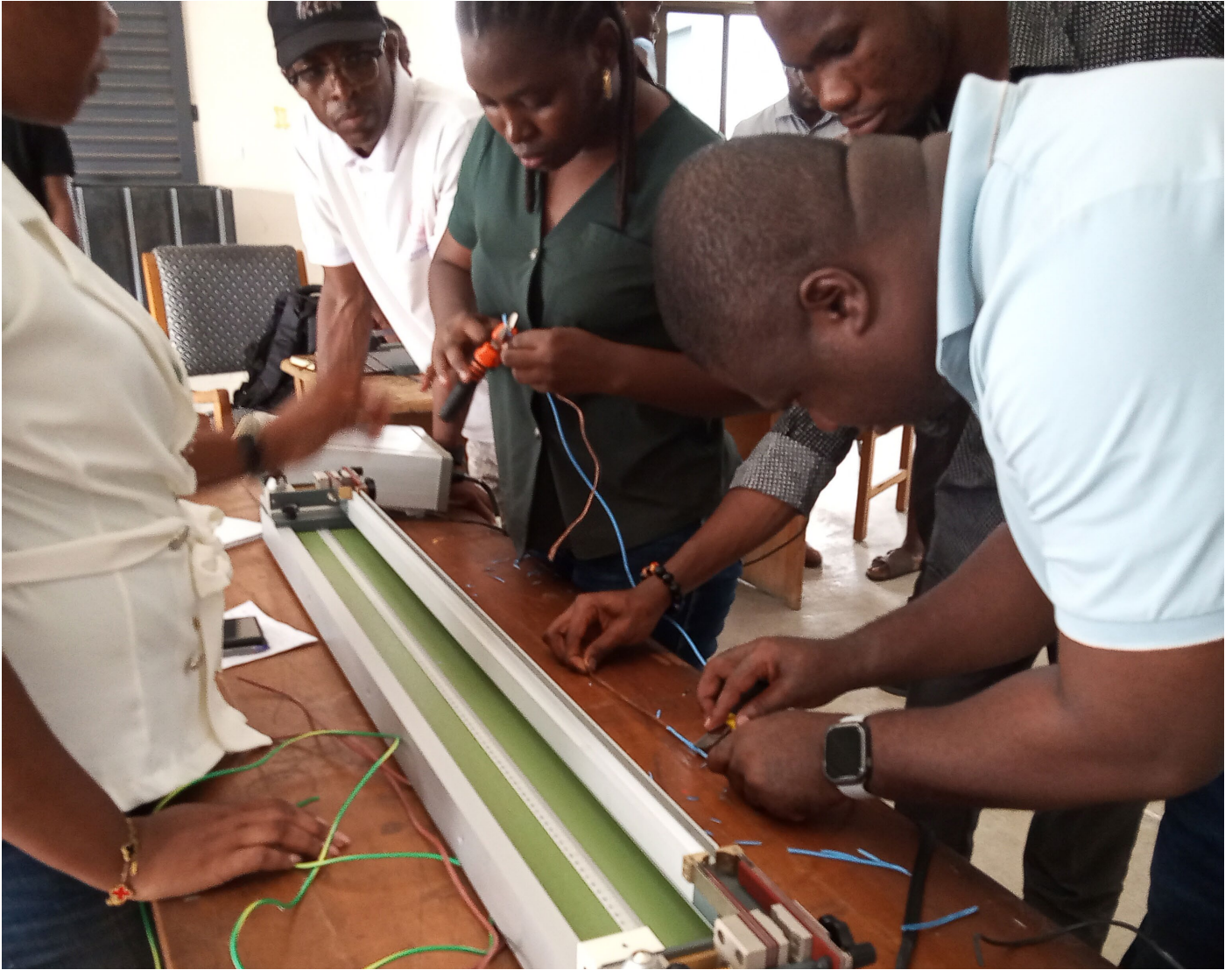


GSA Installs Electrical Cables Testing Equipment in Six Regional Offices



Selected staff being trained on electrical cable cutting techniques

As part of Project Electrovigilance (eV), initiated by the Director-General in 2019, with the aim of enhancing the safety and quality of electrical cables and electrical products in the country, the GSA has successfully installed electrical cable testing equipment across

six regional offices.

The offices are Kumasi, Koforidua, Ho, Cape Coast, Tamale, and Takoradi.

The installation follows a week-long training of selected staff from the regional offices at the GSA Head Office to equip them with the technical skills

required for operating the new equipment.

Each installation involved an assessment of designated spaces, equipment set-up, functionality testing, and

practical demonstrations by the trained staff.

The Regional Managers expressed excitement and strong commitment to the project, pledging to ensure proper maintenance and optimal use of the equipment for market surveillance and compliance enforcement.

They also highlighted the need for enhanced resources, such as dedicated vehicles, computers, logistics, and air-conditioners and more training, to support the effectiveness of Project eV.

The expansion of GSA's electrical cable testing capacity represents a significant step towards strengthening market surveillance of electrical cables nationwide and ensuring consumer protection.

