

Is nita.gov.gh legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 90/100

nita.gov.gh

Verdict

90

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

nita.gov.gh appears legitimate.

Our checks found nothing pointing to fraud. Ordinary care still applies when you pay or sign in.

Not Scam

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-08-11 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 75%.

What this site appears to be

A maintenance/under-construction page for the National Information Technology Agency (NITA) with contact email (info@nita.gov.gh), phone number, office hours, and a link to a regulatory portal. No forms or monetization present.

Evidence status and limitations

Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN

- The real-world operator identity was not independently verified.
- Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	None flagged it VirusTotal	CLEAR
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	17 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2011 525 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by Thawte TLS RSA CA G1	NOTED

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2011.
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

The website is a government-agency informational landing page for Ghana's National Information Technology Agency (NITA), currently presenting a maintenance notice, public contact details, office hours, and access to a regulatory portal rather than commercial services or financial products.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No contradictions were observed. The homepage identifies the organization as NITA and provides a coherent public-service purpose; it contains no login form, payment flow, fundraising request, monetization, or credential solicitation. Independent reputation checks found no malicious or suspicious classification, no phishing indication, and no confirmed blacklist signal. The established government-domain context and sustained historical continuity further support an apparently legitimate site, although the real-world operator identity remains independently unverified.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage is categorized as a government-agency maintenance page and contains no forms, sensitive fields, or monetization.
- The domain was registered in 2009 and is approximately 16.67 years old.
- Historical records show 525 snapshots spanning 2011–2026, covering 16 tracked years with a maximum gap of 1 year.
- External reputation checks recorded 0 malicious and 0 suspicious detections, with phishing status false.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site's stated function is public-service information for a government agency, not a regulated commercial or investment activity; therefore, no financial license claim is expected from the visible maintenance page. The page provides an institutional name, contact route, office hours, and a link to a regulatory portal, but the available page does not independently establish the legal operator's identity or provide a broader registration disclosure. This is a verification matter rather than evidence of deception. The transport and hosting indicators are consistent with an established government-operated web presence.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage identifies the National Information Technology Agency and states that the website is undergoing an upgrade.
- Hosting is resolved to AS37313, Ghana Government (Ministry of Communications), Ghana.
- The site uses an OV TLS certificate issued by Thawte TLS RSA CA G1 for National Information Technology Agency (nita), valid to 2026-10-02.
- The domain uses the NITA GOV Registrar.

What to Verify Next

Before credential or payment interactions become relevant, an institution should independently confirm that the NITA identity and the linked regulatory portal correspond through an official government channel or an independently sourced government directory. Any future transactional or account functionality should be assessed against the applicable public-sector service terms, privacy notice, and official support procedures before use. Routine use of the current informational page presents no observed sensitive interaction surface.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage states that the site is under construction and directs visitors to a regulatory portal.
- The published page supplies office hours of Monday–Friday, 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
- The observed page contains no login form, password field, wallet connection, external sensitive form, or payment mechanism.

Summary Verdict

Available evidence is consistent with an established, apparently legitimate government website and supports a high-trust, low-risk posture. The site presents no observed scam, phishing, impersonation, or commercial-abuse indicators, while independent operator verification remains incomplete.

Infrastructure Integrity

The site resolves directly to a Ghana Government Ministry of Communications address rather than a CDN edge, with one identified origin address and no CDN or WAF detected. This is a straightforward hosting posture; the government-operated hosting organization and OV certificate provide useful mitigating infrastructure context, but infrastructure alone does not prove operator identity.

Closing Assessment

Normal informational browsing is proportionate to the observed risk posture; independent confirmation of institutional identity and applicable service protections should precede any future credential or payment interaction.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-11 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	UNVERIFIED
Identity score	55/100
Identity verification confidence	60%

- Identity verified on page

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of nita.gov.gh.

- The request stayed on nita.gov.gh. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under NITA GOV Registrar. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by gov.gh, across 4 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2025-12-31. NOTED
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2011-09-03. CLEAR
- It is hosted on Ghana Government (Ministry of Communications), from a server in GH. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	NITA GOV Registrar
Hosting	Ghana Government (Ministry of Communications) - Ghana Government (Ministry of Communications), GH
Country	GH
Server IP	197.253.67.106
Name servers	ns1.nita.gov.gh, ns2.nita.gov.gh, ns3.nita.gov.gh, ns5.nita.gov.gh
SSL issuer	Thawte TLS RSA CA G1
SSL expiry	2026-10-02
Domain age	16.67 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	2025-12-31
Archive first seen	2011-09-03
Archive snapshots	525
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about nita.gov.gh at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a

legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.

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