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Thank you for your inquiry regarding the total count of Ghanaians legally residing in Estonia. We can hereby provide you with the following information:

## 1. Total count of Ghanaian nationals:

- a) who have valid legal ground for residing in Estonia: 104
- b) who have valid residence permits for studying: 16 who have been granted visas during a 1-year period of 15.03.2021 ? 15.03.2022 for study purposes: 14
- c) who have valid residence permits for employment: 1
- d) who have valid residence permits for settling permanently: 33
- e) who have permanent residency: -
- f) who have valid residence permits for family reasons: 40

**2.** As the number of Ghanaians who have acquired Estonian citizenship during a 10-year period of 15.03.2012 -15.03.2022 is low, we cannot provide it in order to assure anonymity.

Kind regards, Annika Murov

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