

# Ghana's footballers score an own goal: Their nation's image...

NEWSWATCH: Ghana's president John Mahama says that the national team's threat to boycott their game against Portugal over a pay dispute during the World Cup in Brazil damaged Ghana's image...

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The four-time African champions threatened to boycott their third group game against Portugal at the 2014 World Cup over delays in paying their appearance fees.

Ghana had to quickly arrange for the whopping sum to be flown to the South American country to calm nerves.



John Mahama: Not happy with the national team's conduct during the World Cup in Brazil. (Image: Public Domain)

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