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General Notice No. 966 of 2017.

THE ADVOCATES ACT, CAP. 267.

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE
OF ELIGIBILITY.**

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that an application has been presented to the Law Council by Amanyia Sheba who is stated to be a holder of a Bachelor of Laws Degree from Makerere University, having been awarded on the 16th day of January, 2012 and a Diploma in Legal Practice awarded by the Law Development Centre on the 30th day of April, 2015, for the issuance of a Certificate of Eligibility for entry of her name on the Roll of Advocates for Uganda.

Kampala,
19th September, 2017.

MARGARET APINY,
Secretary, Law Council.

General Notice No. 967 of 2017.

THE ELECTORAL COMMISSION ACT

CAP. 140

Section 25 (1b)

NOTICE

PUBLICATION OF DISPLAY PERIOD FOR PURPOSES OF THE BY-ELECTION FOR THE DIRECTLY ELECTED MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, IGARA EAST CONSTITUENCY AND THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCIL ELECTIONS IN RWENTUHA TOWN COUNCIL, BUSHENYI DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Electoral Commission in accordance with Section 25 (1b) of the Electoral Commission Act, (Cap. 140), that the period commencing 13th November, 2017 and ending 22nd November, 2017, is hereby appointed display period of the Voters' Register and published for purposes of the by-election for the Directly Elected Member of Parliament, Igara East Constituency and the Local Government Council elections in Rwentuha Town Council, Bushenyi District.

Display shall be conducted at the respective polling stations from 8.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. during the appointed period.

ISSUED at Kampala, this 30th day of October, 2017.

JUSTICE BYABAKAMA MUGENYI SIMON,
Chairperson, Electoral Commission.

General Notice No. 968 of 2017.

THE PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS ACT

ACT No. 17 OF 2005

Section 20 (1)

AND

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ACT

CAP. 243

SECTIONS 122 (2) & 172

NOTICE

PUBLICATION OF CAMPAIGN PERIOD FOR PURPOSES OF THE PARLIAMENTARY BY-ELECTION IN IGARA EAST CONSTITUENCY AND THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCIL ELECTIONS IN RWENTUHA TOWN COUNCIL, BUSHENYI DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Electoral Commission subject to Section 122 (2) of the Local Governments Act, Cap. 243 in regard to consultations with all candidates and conduct of candidates' meetings and Section 172 of the same Act, and in accordance with Section 20 (1) of the Parliamentary Elections Act, 2005, that the period commencing 26th day of November, 2017 and ending 12th day of December, 2017, is hereby published campaign period for purposes of the by-election in Igara East Constituency and Rwentuha Town Council, Bushenyi District.

Issued at Kampala, this 30th day of October, 2017.

JUSTICE BYABAKAMA MUGENYI SIMON,
Chairperson, Electoral Commission.

General Notice No. 969 of 2017.

THE PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS ACT,

CAP. 140

Section 18 (1) (a)

AND

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ACT, CAP 243

Section 107

NOTICE

PUBLICATION OF POLLING DAY FOR PURPOSES OF THE PARLIAMENTARY BY-ELECTION IN IGARA EAST CONSTITUENCY AND THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCIL ELECTIONS IN RWENTUHA TOWN COUNCIL, BUSHENYI DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Electoral Commission in accordance with Section 18 (1) (a) of the Parliamentary Elections Act and Section 107 of the Local Governments Act, Cap 243, that the 14th day of December, 2017 is hereby appointed polling day for purposes of the by-

election for the Directly Elected Member of Parliament for Igara East Constituency and the Local Government Council elections in Rwentuha Town Council, Bushenyi District.

Issued at Kampala, this 30th day of October, 2017.

JUSTICE BYABAKAMA MUGENYI SIMON,
Chairperson, Electoral Commission.

General Notice No. 970 of 2017.

THE PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS ACT

ACT No. 17 of 2005

Section 9 (1)

AND

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ACT,

CAP. 243

Section 119 (1)

NOTICE

PUBLICATION OF NOMINATION DAYS AND VENUE FOR PURPOSES OF PARLIAMENTARY BY-ELECTION IN IGARA EAST CONSTITUENCY AND THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCIL ELECTIONS IN RWENTUHA TOWN COUNCIL, BUSHENYI DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Electoral Commission in accordance with Section 9 (1), of the Parliamentary Elections Act and Section 119 (1) of the Local Governments Act, Cap 243, that the period commencing 22nd November, 2017 and ending 23rd November, 2017 is hereby appointed and designated the nomination days for purposes of the Parliamentary by-election in Igara East Constituency and Local Government Council elections in Rwentuha Town Council, Bushenyi District.

Nominations for both Parliamentary and the Local Government Council candidates shall be conducted from 9.00 a.m to 5.00 p.m on each of the appointed dates at the District Returning Officer's Office respectively.

ISSUED at Kampala; this 30th day of October, 2017.

JUSTICE BYABAKAMA MUGENYI SIMON,
Chairperson, Electoral Commission.

General Notice No. 971 of 2017.

ELECTRICITY REGULATORY AUTHORITY



DIRECTIVE No. ERA/002/2017

INTERCONNECTION CODE AND STANDARD WHEELING AGREEMENTS

TO: ALL LICENSEES

Directive under Section 10 (e) of the Electricity Act, 1999, (Chapter 145 of the Laws of Uganda), to licensees involved in interconnection activities and wheeling of electricity.

1.0 INTRODUCTION

The Electricity Regulatory Authority ('ERA'/'Authority') at its 284th meeting held on 8th September 2017, approved and adopted the Interconnection Code and Wheeling

Agreement Templates for implementation by licensees in Uganda that are involved in interconnection activities and wheeling of electricity.

2.0 OBJECTIVE

The overall objective of the Interconnection Code and Wheeling Agreement is to develop an elaborate framework to enable reliable and efficient evacuation and transmission of electricity in the Electricity Supply industry (ESI) of Uganda, in accordance with allowable national and international technical – economic standards.

3.0 STATUS QUO

The Interconnection Code and Wheeling Agreement considers the technical and economic requirements for connecting utilities to the existing grid system during interconnection and wheeling activities and more specifically comprised of;

- Interconnection Code;
- Wheeling Agreement for wheeling of electricity by the System Operator through an embedded distribution licensee;
- Wheeling Agreement for wheeling of electricity by the System Operator through an adjacent distribution licensee; and,
- Wheeling Agreement for wheeling of electricity from a generation licensee/Independent Power Producer.

NOW THEREFORE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH;

- Section 10 (e) of the Electricity Act, 1999 which requires the Authority to make and enforce directives to ensure compliance with licences issued under the Act;
- Section 10 (p) of the Electricity Act which empowers the Authority to approve standards for the quality of electricity supply services provided;
- Section 10 (q) which requires the Authority to approve codes of conduct in respect of the operation of Transmission and Distribution Systems;
- Section 11 (2) (e) which requires all licensees to connect to Transmission Systems and Facilities in Uganda on a non-discriminatory basis on terms and conditions that are fair and reasonable and, when practicable, ensure that licensees connect to Distribution Systems and Facilities;
- Section 58 (1) which provides that a holder of a distribution licence shall provide access to all existing and potential users of the distribution network on the payment of fees and other charges for network services, as may be approved by the Authority;

The Electricity Regulatory Authority, hereby issues this Directive No. ERA/002/2017 as follows;

- All licensees involved in interconnection projects/activities and wheeling of electricity in the Electricity Supply Industry are hereby directed to adopt and implement the approved Interconnection Code and Standard Wheeling Agreements.
- Each licensee that is currently involved in the wheeling of electricity must submit for the Authority's approval, an initialled Wheeling Agreement in the approved format, by the 15th day of December 2017.

This Directive No. ERA/002/2017 shall take effect on the 3rd of November, 2017.

Issued this 31st day of October, 2017.

ENG. ZIRIA TIBALWA WAAKO,
Chief Executive Officer.

General Notice No. 972 of 2017.

ELECTRICITY REGULATORY AUTHORITY

**NOTICE OF CONSENT TO TRANSFER
GENERATION AND SALE LICENCE
NUMBER ERA/LIC/GEN/016/138 ISSUED TO
NDUGUTU POWER COMPANY UGANDA LIMITED.**

Under Section 46 of the Electricity Act, 1999.

In pursuance of its powers under Section 46 of the Electricity Act, 1999 and Regulation 12 of the Electricity (Application for Permit, Licence and Tariff Review) (Regulations), 2007, the Electricity Regulatory Authority hereby gives notice of its decision to approve the transfer of **Licence No. ERA/LIC/GEN/016/138** (the 'Licence') for the generation and sale of electricity from the proposed 5.9 MW Hydropower plant in Bundibugyo District (the 'Project').

No	Entity	Current Share-holding	Proposed Shareholding
			Percentage
(a)	Frontier Investment Management	N/A	43.5%
(b)	KMRI	100%	25%
(c)	LMSC	N/A	21.5% or less
(d)	WK Holding Proprietary Limited	N/A	10%

Dated this 18th day of September, 2017.

DR. GEOFREY OKOBOI,
Ag. Chief Executive Officer.

General Notice No. 973 of 2017.



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**NOTICE OF INTENDED MODIFICATION OF
LICENCE NO. ERA/LIC/GEN/015/133 ISSUED TO
TORORO SOLAR NORTH LIMITED.**

Under Section 4(5) of the Electricity Act, 1999.

In pursuance of its powers under Section 44 (4) of the Electricity Act, 1999, the Electricity Regulatory Authority hereby gives Notice under Section 44(5) of its intention to Modify the Electricity Generation and Sale Licence Number ERA/LIC/GEN/015/133 (the "Licence") issued to TORORO SOLAR NORTH LIMITED (the "Licensee"), for the proposed 10 MWp Solar Photovoltaic Power Plant in Tororo District.

The detailed Modification can be accessed at www.era.or.ug.

In line with Clause 44 (5) of the Electricity Act, 1999, any representations or objections in respect to the proposed Modification may be made and submitted before thirty (30) days from the date of this Notice, to the Secretary to the Authority on the above address.

Dated this 28th September, 2017.

MANAGEMENT

General Notice No. 974 of 2017.

THE MINING ACT, 2003*(The Mining Regulations, 2004)***NOTICE OF GRANT OF AN EXPLORATION LICENSE**

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that Exploration License, number EL1686 registered as number 002447 has been granted in accordance with the provisions of Section 27 and Section 29 to M/s. Beta Minerals Limited, of P.O. Box 257, Entebbe, for a period of three (3) years effective from 18th October, 2017.

The Exploration area subject to the Exploration License is 354.34 km² and is on topography map, sheet numbers 57/2, 57/4, 58/1 & 58/3, situated in Kibaale District.

Dated at Entebbe, this 18th day of October, 2017.

EDWARDS KATTO,
*Commissioner for the Geological Survey and Mines
Department.*

General Notice No. 975 of 2017.

THE MINING ACT, 2003*(The Mining Regulations, 2004)***NOTICE OF GRANT OF AN EXPLORATION LICENSE**

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that Exploration License, number EL1687 registered as number 002448 has been granted in accordance with the provisions of Section 27 and Section 29 to M/s. Beta Minerals Limited, of P.O. Box 257, Entebbe, for a period of three (3) years effective from 18th October, 2017.

The Exploration area subject to the Exploration License is 414.46 km² and is on topography map, sheet numbers 62/2, 3 & 4, situated in Iganga, Jinja, Luuka and Mayuge Districts.

Dated at Entebbe, this 18th day of October, 2017.

EDWARDS KATTO,
*Commissioner for the Geological Survey and Mines
Department.*

General Notice No. 976 of 2017.

THE MINING ACT, 2003*(The Mining Regulations, 2004)***NOTICE OF GRANT OF AN EXPLORATION LICENSE**

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that Exploration License, number EL1685 registered as number 002446 has been granted in accordance with the provisions of Section 27 and Section 29 to M/s. Beta Minerals Limited, of P.O. Box 257, Entebbe, for a period of three (3) years effective from 18th October, 2017.

The Exploration area subject to the Exploration License is 224.5 km² and is on topography map, sheet numbers 63/3, (Busesa) & 63/4 (Bugiri), situated in Bugiri & Iganga Districts.

Dated at Entebbe, this 18th day of October, 2017.

EDWARDS KATTO,
*Commissioner for the Geological Survey and Mines
Department.*