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PUBLIC NOTICE

TARIFF REVIEW APPLICATION FOR 2012

The Authority has received applications from Eskom (U) Ltd, Uganda Electricity Transmission Limited (UETCL), Uganda Electricity Generation Company Ltd (UEGCL), and Uganda Electricity Distribution Company Ltd (UEDCL) for 2012 tariff review.

ERA is now inviting the public, Stakeholders and all interested parties to view the utility companies' applications at the ERA Resource Centre at ERA House, Plot 15 Shimon Road, Nakasero, Kampala between 8:30 am and 4:30 pm during working days. These applications are also available on the ERA Website www.era.or.ug.

Comments on these applications will be received up to 16th December 2011 at 4:00 pm and should be addressed to the Secretary to the Authority.

MANAGEMENT

General Notice No. 677 of 2011.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS ACT

ACT NO. 17 OF 2005

Section 59(1)

NOTICE

PUBLICATION OF BY-ELECTION RESULTS FOR THE LUWERO DISTRICT WOMAN REPRESENTATIVE TO PARLIAMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Electoral Commission that the results in Schedule to this Notice are hereby published in accordance with Section 59(1) of the Parliamentary Elections Act, No. 17 of 2005 (As amended).

SCHEDULE

RESULTS FOR THE LUWERO DISTRICT WOMAN REPRESENTATIVE TO PARLIAMENTARY

	Name of Candidate	*Party/Political Organisation*	*Votes Obtained*
1.	Asiimwe A. Kirabo	Independent	3,687
2.	Gwokyalya Ziadah	Forum For Democratic Change (FDC)	3,775
3.	Lugudde K.N. Elizabeth	Independent	191
4.	Nabukenya Brenda	Demmocratic Party (DP)	14,945
5.	Nalwanga R. Balwana	National Resistance Movement (NRM)	14,915
6.	Namagambe Elsie	Independent	2,193

ISSUED at Kampala this 2nd day of December, 2011.

ENG. DR. BADRU M. KIGGUNDU,
Chairperson, Electoral Commission.

General Notice No. 678 of 2011.

THE POLITICAL PARTIES AND ORGANISATIONS ACT

No 18 OF 2005

Section 11(2)

NOTICE

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGES IN THE UGANDA PEOPLES CONGRESS (UPC) CONSTITUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Electoral Commission in accordance with Section 11(2) of the Political Parties and Organisations Act, No. 18 of 2005 (As amended) that Uganda Peoples Congress (UPC) has made changes in its Constitution as in the Schedule to the Notice.

Any person who has grounds to oppose the changes may within 14 days from the date of this Gazette, lodge an objection to the Commission at Plot 53/56, Jinja Road, P. O. Box 22678, Kampala.

UPC CONSTITUTION

SCHEDULE OF AMENDMENTS CONTAINED IN THE UPC CONSTITUTION OF 2008.

This Schedule reflects the changes made by the 2008 Constitution over the 1970 Constitution.

Please note that:

1. Numbering in the Articles in the constitution decreased from 28 to 26.
2. The numbering has changed and the titling of the Articles has also changed.

ARTICLES OF THE 1970 CONSTITUTION	ARTICLES OF THE 2008 CONSTITUTION	CHANGES
1. Party name as "Uganda People's Congress"	1. Party identity as "Uganda Peoples Congress" without the apostrophe in "peoples". i) Identity includes Emblem and Flag. ii) Flag -the party Emblem of the open right hand in black on water marsh circle in the centre of the flag	In the 1970 Constitution, Article 1 is named "Name" and declares only name of Party. In the new Constitution, the Article is now "Identity" under which there are sub-articles of Name, Emblem and Flag. The change in the flag is: 'An open right hand in the centre of the flag, on a water marsh circle background'.
2. Emblem.	2. Values, Aims and Objectives.	i) The Emblem and Flag are both in Article 1 titled; "Identity". ii) Aims and Objectives now fall under this Article and have been increased to 18 sub-articles, covering unity, sovereignty, democracy, social and political development, economy, rights, freedoms and liberties, equality and equity, non interference with rights and freedom of others, cooperation and relations, gender issues, rights of the child, rights of persons with disability, conflict resolution and world peace, environment protection, good governance and ethics, youth, political power and others.
3. Flag.	3. Membership of the Party.	This Article under the 2008 amendment introduces three categories of Membership: Ordinary, Honorary (good friend of the party) and Associate (Members of sister political parties outside Uganda). Acquisition of membership is out of conviction and by Application, Recommendation and Registration. Provision has been made for membership cards, cessation of membership and re-admission after loss of membership.
4. Aims and objectives.	4. Fees and Dues.	This is a new Article. i) Fees shall be paid on acceptance of Application. ii) Annual Subscription Fees is imposed.
5. Membership of the party open to Citizens of Uganda who accept aims of party and have paid membership.	5. Rights and Duties of members.	This Article provides for rights to participation in party activities, receiving and imparting information on party policy and activities and the right to offer oneself for elective office. It also imposes ten duties:- i) Recognizing and defending the supremacy of the Party Constitution. ii) Being active in one's Branch. iii) Understanding the Values, Aims, Policies and Programmes of the Party. iv) Explaining the values to others. v) Fighting against any propaganda against the Party. vi) Fighting against tribalism, nepotism, chauvinism, ethnicity, sectarianism, religious and political intolerance. vii) Observing discipline. viii) Informing the Party when you relocate your Branch. ix) Registering as a voter in a constituency where resident. x) Abiding by and working within the Rules and Regulations of the Party.

6. The Annual Delegates Conference and its composition.	6. Party Organizational Structure; i.e. Party Organs, Executive Committees and their tenure of office.	i) Article 6 under the amended Constitution provides for the different structures of the Party and its organs i.e. The Branch General Meeting, the Parish Conference, the Sub-county Conference, the Parliamentary Constituency Conference, the District Conference, the National Council and the Delegates Conference. ii) It also sets up Party Executive Committees i.e. The Branch Executive Committee, the Parish Executive Committee, the Sub-County Executive Committee, the Parliamentary Constituency Executive Committee, the District Executive Committee and the Party Cabinet. Nobody can be on two or more Committees. Tenure of Executive Committee members at all levels is 5 years. iii) Annual Delegates Conference is now simply referred to as "Delegates Conference" and its powers and functions are provided for in Article 13.
7. Duties of the Annual Delegates Conference.	7. Branch Structure of the Party - Its establishment, composition, meetings, quorum, - Branch Executive Committee composition, duties, meetings and quorum.	Branch Structure of the Party is the lowest organ of the Party which is at village level reflecting the Government Administrative structure at the grassroots. a) This is to be established in every village in Uganda, residence in educational institutions and in a city or town in every country of the world where there are at least ten UPC members. b) The elected Chairperson of the Branch nominates his Executive members for approval or rejection by the Branch general meeting. c) The Branch general meeting meets at least once every two months and quorum is one half of all the members. d) The Branch Executive Committee is created and given detailed and elaborate duties. They must meet at least once every month and the quorum for such meetings shall be one half of the members.
8. National Council and its composition.	8. Parish structure of the party, their Executive Committee, their rights and duties, meetings and quorum.	Article 8 provides for the Parish Structure of the Party. It sets out: a) The Parish Conference as an organ of the Party to which every member of a Branch Executive Committee in the Parish shall belong. b) The duties of a Parish Conference. c) Meetings of the Conference at least once every month and quorum is one third of all the members. d) The Parish Executive Committee, their elaborate duties, meetings at least once every two months and quorum is one third of all the members.
9. Duties of the National Council.	9. Sub-County structure of the Party. Its composition. The Sub-County Conference, its Executive Committee, rights and duties, meetings and quorum.	"Sub County Structure of the Party" is now Article 9 and is new. It was previously not provided for. It is in line with the current Government Administrative Structure thus making it easier to monitor the implementation of Government Programmes. a) The Sub-County conference comprising all members of Parish Executive Committee of all parishes in the Sub-County, every member of the Party's Sub-county Council Committee. b) Duties of the Sub-County Conference. c) Meetings of the Sub-County Conference at least once every 4 months, quorum one third of all members.