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# POLITICAL;

<u>Kyagulanyi reasons for amending election petition</u>; the Supreme Court is sitting today to hear an application by former presidential candidate, Robert Kyagulanyi Ssentamu, seeking leave to amend the election petition he filed last week challenging the victory of the incumbent President, Yoweri Kaguta Museveni. <u>Story</u>

# **ENERGY IN THE NEWS;**

<u>Oil major Total's full-year profit falls 66% as Covid pandemic hits fuel</u> <u>demand</u>; France's Total on Tuesday reported a massive drop in full-year profit, following a tumultuous 12 months in which commodity prices collapsed amid the coronavirus pandemic. <u>Story</u>

# **INTERNATIONAL;**

<u>Rwanda suspends flights to South Africa over coronavirus variant;</u> Rwanda's national carrier has suspended its flights to South Africa and Zimbabwe in order to contain the spread of a new coronavirus variant. <u>Story</u>

# NATIONAL;

<u>Kadaga institute to train MPs on debate</u>; parliament has opened an institute for inducting and training Members of Parliament how to legislate and debate on the floor of the House, with the next legislators coming in May being the first beneficiaries. <u>Story</u>

# **EDUCATION;**

Higher learning institutions endure ahead of re-opening; since March last year when tertiary institutions closed as a measure to curb the Covid-19 spread, each day that goes by leaves many students in the dark without knowing when normalcy will be reinstated. <u>Story</u>

# COURT;

Nubian Li, Eddy Mutwe further remanded as army court grants bail to 13 <u>Bobi supporters</u>; at least 13 out of 49 supporters of the National Unity Platform presidential candidate, Robert Kyagulanyi, who are facing charges of being in possession of ammunition before the army court, have been granted bail. Story

# HEALTH;

<u>DR Congo announces 'resurgence' of Ebola</u>; DR Congo on Sunday announced a "resurgence" of Ebola in its troubled east after a woman died of the disease, just three months after authorities declared the end of the country's previous outbreak. <u>Story</u>

# **BUSINESS;**

<u>Covid-19 knocked \$200m off remittances last year;</u> remittances fell by \$200m for the year ended December 2020, highlighting the impact of Covid-19 within and without Uganda. <u>Story</u>

And finally; <u>SafeBoda illegally shared users' data with US Company - NITA-U</u>; Safe Boda unlawfully shared clients' data with a US company, according to an investigation by National Information Technology Authority – Uganda. <u>Story</u>

Today's scripture; 1 Corinthians 10:13 ESKOMorning quote; "A dream does not become reality through magic; it takes sweat, determination, and hard work."~ Colin Powell

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