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## **POLITICAL**:

Anita Among elected deputy Speaker of Parliament; Bukedea Woman MP, Ms Anita Among has been elected Deputy Speaker of the 11th Parliament with overwhelming majority after beating her two male contenders; Kampala Central MP Muhammad Nsereko and Mawokota South MP Yusuf Nsibambi. Story

#### **ENERGY NEWS.**

**ERA plans power tariff benefits for SMEs:** the Electricity Regulatory Authority says it is going to focus on easing power tariffs to small and medium enterprises by coming up with incentives for the sector, which is the largest creator of employment in the country. **Story** 

#### **NATIONAL:**

Jacob Oulanyah voted Speaker of 11th Parliament; Omoro County MP, Mr Jacob Oulanyah is the next Speaker of Parliament after he was declared winner of the elections held during the first sitting of the 11th Parliament at Kololo, Kampala on Monday. Story

## **AFRICA**:

<u>Mali soldiers arrest President Bah Ndaw, PM Moctar Duane after cabinet reshuffle</u>; the Military in Mali on Monday arrested the country's interim President and his Prime Minister in the latest mutiny after a mini cabinet reshuffle. <u>Story</u>

## **COURT:**

<u>Court issues timelines in Mabirizi's age limit appeal case</u>; the Appellate Division of the East African Court of Justice has issued timelines to be followed by the parties in the case where Kampala city lawyer Male Mabirizi is challenging the removal of age limit from the Ugandan Constitution. <u>Story</u>

## **HEALTH:**

Mulago and Entebbe hospital ICUs full of Covid-19 patients; the intensive care units at Mulago National Referral Hospital and Entebbe General Hospital are full of COVID-19 patients according to medics. This comes weeks after the country entered the second wave of COVID-19 cases which many scientists predicted would be worse compared to the first one characterized with more infections and critical forms of the disease. Story

## **BUSINESS:**

<u>Mobile money separated from telecom operations</u>; mobile money has been split as a standalone business which, going forward, will be regulated by Bank of Uganda as a financial service. <u>Story</u>

## **SPORTS:**

<u>Kasule, Ssekatawa plot merger to unseat Magogo from Fufa;</u> Fufa presidential hopeful Mujib Kasule has mooted the idea of joining hands with opposing challengers as a strong front that can help kick Moses Magogo out of Mengo. <u>Story</u>

And finally; Makerere fresh graduate found dead in hostel room; police await a postmortem report from Mulago National Hospital to ascertain what caused the death of James Eyangu, 27, who last week graduated from Makerere University. Story

Today's scripture; Luke 9:23-24

ESKOMorning quote; "Things work out best for those who make the best of how things work out." By- John Wooden

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