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POLITICAL:

Lukwago lashes at contractors delaying on projects; city Lord Mayor Erias Lukwago has expressed dissatisfaction with contractors who deliver shoddy work or take long to deliver on projects. He expressed his disappointment during a meeting with suppliers of KCCA at the second annual KCCA Suppliers' Conference held at Imperial Royale Hotel. [Story](#)

ENERGY NEWS:

We all stand to benefit from oil production; in order to prepare Ugandans to harness opportunities in the oil industry, government should publish the expected number of jobs to be created as a result of oil production. [Story](#)

NATIONAL:

PM Rugunda ordered to explain security brutality against journalists; parliament has directed the Prime Minister Dr Ruhakana Rugunda to give a statement on the continued attacks on journalists by security officers in the country. [Story](#)

REGIONAL:

Tanzania's President Samia Suluhu pardons 5,001 prisoners; Tanzanian President Samia Suluhu Hassan has pardoned 5,001 prisoners who were serving various sentences in different correction facilities across the country. [Story](#)

COURT:

MTN must pay Shs 51bn license fees, court rules; the High court in Kampala has upheld a decision by UCC demanding Shs 51 billion as license fees from a telecommunications company, MTN-Uganda. In July last year, UCC wrote to MTN asking the company to pay a license fee for the transitional period of October 21, 2018, to June 30, 2020. This is a period during which MTN did not have a running telecom license which had expired in October 2018. [Story](#)

BUSINESS:

Gov't not bothered about banks refusing to finance EACOP; the government is not concerned about the decision of some international banks to stay away from the financing plans for the East African Crude Oil Pipeline. [Story](#)

SPORTS:

Nemostars finish eighth at Africa meet; all the optimism and promise of Nemostars' surge at the Africa Club Volleyball Championship was deflated on Monday as the Ugandan side finished eighth in Tunisia. [Story](#)

And finally; Uganda's EALA MP, Mathias Kasamba is dead; Uganda's representative in the East African Legislative Assembly in Tanzania, Mathias Kasamba has died. [Story](#)

Today's scripture; Psalm 31:23-24

ESKOMorning quote; "Try not to become a man of success, but rather try to become a man of value." By- Albert Einstein

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