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POLITICAL

Nabbanja on the spot for coming late to Parliament; Kiira Municipality MP Ibrahim Ssemujju Nganda questioned why Nabbanja came to Parliament late and yet she is supposed to listen and answer to the concerns of the MPs. Story

ENERGY NEWS:

<u>Govt is delicately balancing both environment and oil activities;</u> a variety of environmental leaning civil society organisations in Uganda have fanned the flames on this issue to the extent of opposing the development of Uganda's Oil and Gas Project. <u>Story</u>

NATIONAL

Parliament sets up Adhoc committee to examine merger of gov't agencies; the committee has one month to study the justification of the merger of agencies, cost-benefit analysis of the merger, effects of the merger on current employees and impact on service delivery. Story

REGIONAL;

<u>Kenya, Uganda locked in new sugar trade dispute</u>; Uganda has protested a 79 percent cut on its scheduled sugar exports to Kenya, reigniting trade disputes between the two East African Community states. <u>Story</u>

COURT:

Kidandala asks court to force Kitalya prison to provide visitors' book; Sulaiman Kidandala has asked the High court to order for the production of the visitors' book at Kitalya prison so as to confirm that he served his Kawempe North parliamentary candidate rival, Muhammad Ssegirinya with the election petition. Story

HEALTH;

Forced Covid-19 tests for travellers sparks outrage; regardless of the international traveller's vaccination status or indications in their Covid-19 test certificate, the government has vowed to subject each passenger to a mandatory Covid-19 test upon arrival in the country. **Story**

BUSINESS:

Finance unveils solutions for 'persistent' domestic arrears; the ministry of Finance has lashed out at its own government over the "casual manner" in which domestic arrears keep piling up, saying there are many signs pointing to government officials being "poor fiscal managers and leaders." **Story**

SPORTS:

<u>Uganda battles Kenya in 2022 World Cup qualifiers</u>; the last time Uganda played Kenya in a major qualifier saw the Harambee Stars hold Cranes to two frustrating stalemates that cost Uganda near-certain Afcon qualification back in 2010 and 2011. **Story**

And finally: <u>CMI Arrests University don over spying claims</u>; a joint security team from the Chieftaincy of Military Intelligence and Police Crime Intelligence Directorate arrested Dr Lawrence Muganga, the Vice Chancellor of Victoria University, and his personal assistant, whose identity remains unconfirmed. **Story**

Today's scripture; Psalms 91:4-5

ESKOMorningquote; "I can't change the direction of the wind, but I can adjust my sails to always reach my destination." By- Jimmy Dean

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