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**POLITICAL**

**MPs task National Water to reach all Town Councils;** MPs on the Natural Resources Committee want the NWSC to revise its terms of service and start supplying clean piped water in all town councils across the country. [Story](#)

**ENERGY NEWS;**

**Kenya's private alliance raises concern over power company mismanagement;** the Kenya Private Sector Alliance has raised concern over the mismanagement of and poor governance at the Kenya Power and Lighting Company, which have contributed to significant increase in the cost of doing business in Kenya. [Story](#)

**NATIONAL;**

**Nabbanja, Tayebwa fill offices with relatives;** Prime Minister Robinah Nabbanja and Government Chief Whip Thomas Tayebwa have defended the recruitment to their offices in Parliament of what their accusers say are their biological children or other close relations. This has seen the displaced staff attempt to seek intervention from other higher authorities. [Story](#)

**REGIONAL;**

**IGAD reactivates cross-border checks at Nimule, South Sudan;** the Intergovernmental Authority on Development has reactivated a joint committee to respond to the health and social-economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic at the Uganda-South Sudan border. [Story](#)

**GRAFT;**

**Angry PM Nabbanja terminates Shs 1.8bn Kyegegwa road contract;** PM Robinah Nabbanja has terminated a Shs 1.8bn contract for the construction of a 42-kilometre road in Kyegegwa district over shoddy works. The road which connects from Kakabara sub-county in Kyegegwa district to Nabinbola in Mubende was constructed under the DRDIP. The program under the OPM is intended to support refugee-hosting communities. [Story](#)

**HEALTH;**

**Medics complain as COVID-19 allowances delay;** medical workers in Kitgum District are unhappy over the delayed payment of their allowances as frontline workers in the fight against COVID-19. The government disbursed shillings 407 million to Kitgum District in July this year to facilitate emergency responses in the fight against COVID-19. [Story](#)

**BUSINESS;**

**NHCC seeks Shs.1.5 trillion to put up model estates in cities;** NHCC has asked Parliament to allocate it Shs300b per annum for the next five years to lead in setting up standard estates in the newly approved cities. [Story](#)

**SPORTS;**

**Cricket Cranes look to Kigali with hope;** the atmosphere was palpable at the lakeside oval within the Entebbe golf course when the Cranes held on to beat Kenya by six runs in a pulsating Pearl of Africa T20 Tri-Series' final on Friday. [Story](#)

**And finally; Long working hours can kill - World Health Organization;** a new study on work-related causes of deaths finds long working hours to be the biggest occupational risk factor. The joint study by the WHO and International Labour Organization ILO estimates nearly 2 million people a year die from work-related diseases and injuries. [Story](#)

Today's scripture; **3 John 1:11**

**ESKOMorningquote; "Work and you'll get what you need; work harder and you'll get what you want." By- Prabakaran Thirumalai**

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