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5<sup>th</sup> November, 2021

The Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health,  
**KAMPALA**

The Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Education and Sports,  
**KAMPALA**

### **SUBMISSION OF LISTS OF ALL NEW GOVERNMENT FUNDED PROJECTS IN HEALTH AND EDUCATION**

On 21<sup>st</sup> October 2021, this Ministry held a meeting with you to discuss the implementation of the Directive by H.E The President on the use of the Army Construction Brigade to undertake new construction projects in Health and Education with effect from FY 2021/22.

This meeting, among others, agreed that the Directive be **immediately** implemented for new construction projects funded 100% by Government in Education and Health and in line with the guidance to be issued by PPDA. This decision was presented in Cabinet meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> November, 2021. As we await the decision of Cabinet, you are required to submit lists of projects that are fully funded by Government to the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Defense and Veteran Affairs to pave way for their implementation by the Army Construction Brigade.

However, to-date, I note with concern that, despite my Ministry releasing the programmed funds for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter FY 2021/22 to your Institutions and Local Governments for undertaking the projects, your Ministry has not yet submitted the required lists. Please note that, any further delays will affect absorption of the already released funds.

Relatedly, I wish to inform you that, for projects that are externally supported, Government is still undertaking pre-requisite negotiations with the Development Partners, and once discussions are concluded, a final position shall be communicated to all stakeholders in due course.

*Mission*

*"To formulate sound economic policies, maximize revenue mobilization, ensure efficient allocation and accountability for public resources so as to achieve the most rapid and sustainable economic growth and development"*

The purpose of this letter therefore, is to request you to urgently compile and submit to the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Defense and Veteran Affairs, lists of all projects funded 100% by Government at both Central and Local Government levels **not later than Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2021.**

By copy of this letter, the Executive Director, PPDA is hereby requested to urgently finalize and issue guidelines required to implement the above Directive.



Ramathan Ggoobi

**PERMANENT SECRETARY/SECRETARY TO THE TREASURY**

**Copy to:** The Rt. Hon. Prime Minister and Leader of Government Business, Office of the Prime Minister  
The Hon. First Lady and Minister of Education and Sports  
The Hon. Minister of Finance, Planning and Economic Development  
The Hon. Minister of Health  
The Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Defense and Veteran Affairs  
The Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government  
The Executive Director, Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets Authority  
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