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THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

30<sup>th</sup> December 2019

## **All Local Government Accounting Officers**

### **PHASING OUT OF PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP SCHOOLS ACROSS GOVERNMENT**

Reference is made to my letter dated 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2019 requesting you to submit the list the affected schools to this Ministry not later than Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2019, to facilitate removal from the Online Transfer Information Management System (OTIMS) and the Program Based Budgeting (PBS). Further reference is made to the attached letter from the Ministry of Education and Sports on the same subject.

This was done in line with Government's Policy pronouncement on withdrawal of funding from Public Private Partnership in a phased manner under the USE/UPOLET Programme, starting with Senior One and Five by 31 December 2019. In the letter referred to above, you were informed of Government's reversal of the above Policy effective January 2020.

The purpose of this letter therefore is to inform you as above and to notify you not to remit any funds to these schools effective Term 1 2020.

  
Keith Muhakanizi

**PERMANENT SECRETARY/SECRETARY TO THE TREASURY**

Copy to: The Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Education and Sports  
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All Local Government Accounting Officers

## **PARTICIPATION OF PRIVATE SCHOOLS IN USE/UPOLET PROGRAMMES IN LOCAL GOVERNMENTS**

As you are aware, effective Academic year 2016, Government embarked on a policy shift to withdraw funding from Public Private Partnership in a phased manner under the USE/UPOLET programme, starting with Senior One and Five. This was to end with Senior Four in Academic year 2019.

Accordingly, this is, to inform you that Government will not be funding these school effective January 2020. You should therefore have informed the affected schools by now communicated in the First BCC for FY 2020/21.

In view of the above, you are requested to submit the list of the affected schools to this Ministry not later than **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2019**, so that they are removed from Online Transfer Information Management System (OTIMS) and the Program Based Budgeting System(PBS).



**PERMANENT SECRETARY/SECRETARY TO THE TREASURY**

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10<sup>th</sup> September, 2019

The Executive Director, KCCA  
All Chief Administrative Officers  
All Town Clerks

### **PHASING OUT PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP (PPP) SCHOOLS**

Reference is made to our letter of even reference dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 2019 to all Local Government Accounting Officers on the above subject.

As you are aware, Government commenced the phased withdrawal from the Public Private Partnership under the USE/UPOLET program in FY 2017/18, starting with S1 and S5 and to end with S4 in this FY 2019/20. Unfortunately, the Ministry continues to receive several requests from Local Government Accounting Officers and Headteachers to retain some schools on the USE programme under the same arrangement.

This is to inform you again that the final cohort under the USE Program under the PPP arrangement was budgeted for in this FY 2019/20. Therefore, no school will be considered under a similar arrangement in subsequent Financial Years as the policy is universally applied.

  
Alex Kakooza

**PERMANENT SECRETARY**

CC: First Lady and Minister of Education and Sports

CC: All LCV Chairpersons

CC: All Mayors