QUARTER 4: Highlights of Vote Performance

V1: Summary of Issues in Budget Execution

This section provides an overview of Vote expenditure

(i) Snapshot of Vote Releases and Expenditures

Table V1.1 below summarises cumulative releases and expenditures by the end of the quarter:

Table V1.1: Overview of Vote Expenditures (UShs Billion)

(i) Excluding	Arrears, Taxes	Approved Budget	Cashlimits by End	Released by End	Spent by End Jun	% Budget Released	% Budget Spent	% Releases Spent
	Wage	0.943	0.907	0.907	0.847	96.2%	89.9%	93.5%
Recurrent	Non Wage	6.512	5.889	5.864	5.882	90.1%	90.3%	100.3%
- I	GoU	0.971	0.656	0.265	0.076	27.3%	7.8%	28.6%
Developme	nt Donor*	0.000	N/A	0.000	0.000	N/A	N/A	N/A
·	GoU Total	8.425	7.451	7.035	6.805	83.5%	80.8%	96.7%
Total GoU+D	Oonor (MTEF)	8.425	N/A	7.035	6.805	83.5%	80.8%	96.7%
(ii) Arrears	Arrears	0.079	N/A	0.079	0.099	100.0%	125.0%	125.0%
and Taxes	Taxes**	0.177	N/A	0.177	0.177	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	Total Budget	8.681	7.451	7.291	7.081	84.0%	81.6%	97.1%
(iii) Non Tax	Revenue	3.639	N/A	0.667	0.667	18.3%	18.3%	100.0%
	Grand Total	12.320	7.451	7.958	7.747	64.6%	62.9%	97.4%
Excluding	g Taxes, Arrears	12.064	7.451	7.702	7.472	63.8%	61.9%	97.0%

^{*} Donor expenditure information available

The table below shows cumulative releases and expenditures to the Vote by Vote Function:

Table V1.2: Releases and Expenditure by Vote Function*

Billion Uganda Shillings	Approved Budget	Released	Spent	% Budget Released	% Budget Spent	% Releases Spent
VF:0501 IT and Information Management Services	1.65	1.10	1.10	66.6%	66.6%	99.9%
VF:0502 Communications and Broadcasting Infrastructure	1.70	0.90	0.84	52.9%	49.6%	93.7%
VF:0549 Policy, Planning and Support Services	8.72	5.71	5.53	65.4%	63.5%	97.0%
Total For Vote	12.06	7.70	7.47	63.8%	61.9%	97.0%

^{*} Excluding Taxes and Arrears

(ii) Matters to note in budget execution

Inadequate releases of funds especially Non-wage (other) and development budget. Out of the entire approved budget of shs 12.064bn, the ministry received only shs 7.632bn, which is 63.3% of the approved budget. The least budget performance was in the development budget which was at only 27.3% of the approved budget. The NTR which constitutes about 24.5% of the approved is never released on time and in most cases, it equally performs poorly averaging at less than 50%.

Table V1.3: High Unspent Balances and Over-Expenditure in the Domestic Budget (Ushs Bn)

	Table V1.3. Then Onspent Balances and Over-Expenditure in the Domestic Budget (Oslis Bil)
((i) Major unpsent balances
((ii) Expenditures in excess of the original approved budget
:	* Excluding Taxes and Arrears

^{**} Non VAT taxes on capital expenditure

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V2: Performance Highlights

This section provides highlights of output performance, focusing on key outputs and actions impelemented to improve section performance.

Vote, Vote Function Key Output		approved Budget Planned outputs	and	Cumulative Expenditure and Performance	•	Status and Reasons f Variation from Plans	-	
Vote Function: 0501 I	T and In	formation Manag	gement Servic	es				
Output: 050101	En	abling Policies,La	ws and Regu	lations developed				
Description of Performance		Oata protection and ompleted and subrarliament		Approval of the Data Prot and Privacy Bill with Parl coordinated 1st Reading of Bill Attain	iament	on Activities were implement planned		
	C	Open Data Policy foo Sovernment Develorst draft)		ICT approved Policies (e waste, ICT Policy, e-government Policy and cy				
		CT and Disability Developed	Strategy	laws) disseminated in 20 l				
		Vational software in luster Established	nnovation					
		Budapest Convention Sybercrime Ratified						
		Child Online Protect camework Develop						
Performance Indicators	s:							
No. of dissemination activities carried out			5	3				
Status of data protection privacy policy	n and		5	5				
Outpu	ıt Cost:	UShs Bn:	1.313	UShs Bn:	0.877	% Budget Spent:	66.9%	
Output: 050102		government servic						
Description of Perform		National Internet (Jganda (NICug) es		Conducted 2 monitoring assessment on the PAeN project		Joined approach to m programme was under this improved the more	rtaken and	
		Catalogue of national e- Government services Developed		Conducted hands-on capa building sessions on telemedicine for medical	city	activity	intornig	
	1	echnical guidance 2 MDAs and 12 L	•	personnel at 9 health cent				
		Governments wareness strategy	on e-	Technical Guidance given to 4 LGs				
D 6	g	overnment service						
Performance Indicators								
No. of techinical activity reports produced	-		4	4				
No. of monitoring active undertaken			4	2				
Outpu	ıt Cost:	UShs Bn:	0.212	UShs Bn:	0.106	% Budget Spent:	50.0%	
Output: 050103		O industry promo	oted					
Description of Perform	nance:			Development of a zero dra the framework for promot and monitoring BPO active	ing	Insufficient resources allow completion of the framework as planned	he	

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Vote, Vote Function Key Output	Approved Budget and Planned outputs	Cumulative Expenditure and Performance	Status and Reasons for any Variation from Plans	7
		in the country was work-in- progress		
Output Cost:	: UShs Bn: 0	0.015 UShs Bn: 0.0	015 % Budget Spent: 10	0.0%
Output: 050104 H	Hardware and software devel	lopment industry promoted		
Description of Performance:	• 4 Hole in the Wall sites renovated and handed over to the respective local Authoriti		support to MDAs and Local	
Performance Indicators:				
No. of software and hardware promotion initiatives undertaken		0		
No. of MDAs & LGs supported		0		
Output Cost:			935 % Budget Spent: 7-	4.5%
	Human Resource Base for IT	•		
Description of Performance:	Capacity building on Pan African e-network conducted traings for Doctors conducted		Insufficient funds	
		4 LGs on development of ICT Policies		
		6 sample schools Assessed		
Output Cost:	: UShs Bn: 0	0.061 UShs Bn: 0.0	055 % Budget Spent: 9	0.2%
Vote Function Cost			096 % Budget Spent: 60	6.6%
	unications and Broadcasting			
	Policies, Laws and regulation	_		
Description of Performance:	internet and broadcasting) Developed	The Uganda communications Commission amendment Bill address issues of Analogue to Digital Migration (ADM)	Insufficient funding. (to	
	Uganda Communications Ac (2013) ammended to address	3		
	issues of Analogue to Digital			
	Migration (ADM)	utilisation of the spectrum was submitted by the consultant.	S	
	Migration (ADM) Spectrum Management Polic developed and submitted to cabinet	submitted by the consultant. Ey First draft of the National Postcode and Addressing	S	
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Output Cost:	Spectrum Management Polici developed and submitted to cabinet National Postcode & Addressing System Policy developed and submitted to cabinet UShs Bn: 1	submitted by the consultant. Y First draft of the National Postcode and Addressing System produced .083 UShs Bn: 0.4		1.6%
Output: 050202 S	Spectrum Management Polici developed and submitted to cabinet National Postcode & Addressing System Policy developed and submitted to cabinet UShs Bn: 1 Sub-sector monitored and professional profess	submitted by the consultant. First draft of the National Postcode and Addressing System produced Ossa UShs Bn: 0.4	451 % Budget Spent: 4	
=	Spectrum Management Polici developed and submitted to cabinet National Postcode & Addressing System Policy developed and submitted to cabinet UShs Bn: 1 Sub-sector monitored and professional profess	submitted by the consultant. First draft of the National Postcode and Addressing System produced Omoted 4 Quarterly monitoring trips carried out on the Broadcastin	451 % Budget Spent: 4 Achieved the planned targets	

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Vote, Vote Function Key Output	Approved Budget a Planned outputs		Cumulative Expendent of the Communication of the Co					•
	Subsector (4 reports	in place)	Subsector					
Performance Indicators:								
No. of monitoring and evaluation activities carried conducted		4		4				
Output Cost:	UShs Bn:	0.260	UShs Bn:	0.205	% Budget Spent:	79.0%		
Output: 050203	ogistical Support to	ICT infrast	ructure					
Description of Performance:	•Support to UBC an broadcasters on the Signal Distribution Infrastructure provide	roll out of	Technical support to UBC in evaluati Technical and Fina for identification o Signet/UBC	on of ncial Bids	Support was provided needed.	l when		
Performance Indicators:								
No. of MDAs supported		5		3				
Output Cost:	UShs Bn:	0.353	UShs Bn:	0.185	% Budget Spent:	52.4%		
Vote Function Cost	UShs Bn:	1.696	UShs Bn:	0.841	% Budget Spent:	49.6%		
Vote Function: 0549 Policy,	Planning and Suppo	rt Services						
Vote Function Cost	UShs Bn:	8.720	UShs Bn:	5.534	% Budget Spent:	63.5%		
	UShs Bn:		UShs Bn:		% Budget Spent:	61.9%		

^{*} Excluding Taxes and Arrears

Table V2.2: Implementing Actions to Improve Vote Performance

Planned Actions:	Actual Actions:	Reasons for Variation
Vote: 020 Ministry of Information & Co	mmunications Tech.	
Vote Function: 05 02 Communications and	d Broadcasting Infrastructure	
	Not applicable	Not applicable
Vote Function: 05 49 Policy, Planning and	Support Services	
Conduct regular data collection	Draft ICT Strategic Plan was produced; awaiting stakeholder validation and dissemination	Regular and systematic data collection exercises awaits approval of the Plan and funding
Implementation of the ICT Sector Strategic Investment Plan	ICT SIP not implemented	The ICT SIP could not be implemented substantially due to inadequate budget during the FY 2015/16. However, a few elements of the SIP were implemented within the small budget of the Ministry.
Vote: 020 Ministry of Information & Co	mmunications Tech.	
Vote Function: 05 49 Policy, Planning and	Support Services	
Negotiate for waiver of taxes on ICT related products	Not applicable	Not applicable
Vote: 020 Ministry of Information & Co	mmunications Tech.	
Vote Function: 05 01 IT and Information N	Management Services	
	Negotiations /stakeholder consultations undertaken	The action awaits completion of the ongoing restructuring of the Ministry

⁻Due to the poor performance of releases from the Ministry of Finance in the previous quarters, the departments have a backlog of outputs to accomplish in quarter four. However, due to the limited time, some of them may not be accomplished hence being carried forward to the FY 2016/17.

⁻Inadequate funding from the Ministry of Finance from budgetary allocations.

⁻The Output Budgeting Tool is a problem.

$Vote: 020 \quad {\tt Ministry of Information \& Communications Tech.}$

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Planned Actions:	Actual Actions:	Reasons for Variation
		following the transfer of the Directorate of Inofrmation and National Guidance to Ministry of ICT in FY 2016/17.
	Promotion of e-government services	The planned actions were negatively affected by inadequate budget
	Revitalized the sector working approach to planning so as to improve in coordination of policy development.	The SWG Secretariat is not well funded to do its coordination and planning roles
Vote Function: 05 02 Communications and	Broadcasting Infrastructure	
	Not applicable	Not applicable

V3: Details of Releases and Expenditure

This section provides a comprehensive summary of the outputs delivered by the Vote and further details of Vote expenditures by Vote Function and Expenditure Item.

Table V3.1: GoU Releases and Expenditure by Output*

Billion Uganda Shillings	Approved Budget	Released	Spent	% GoU Budget Released	% GoU Budget Spent	% GoU Releases
VF:0501 IT and Information Management Services	1.17	1.08	1.08	92.8%	92.7%	Spent 99.9%
Class: Outputs Provided	1.17	1.08	1.08	92.8%	92.7%	99.9%
050101 Enabling Policies, Laws and Regulations developed	0.95	0.87	0.87	91.2%	91.1%	99.8%
050102 E-government services provided	0.11	0.11	0.11	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
050103 BPO industry promoted	0.02	0.02	0.02	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
050104 Hardware and software development industry promoted	0.04	0.04	0.04	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
050105 Human Resource Base for IT developed	0.06	0.06	0.06	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
VF:0502 Communications and Broadcasting Infrastructure	0.90	0.88	0.83	98.0%	91.8%	93.6%
Class: Outputs Provided	0.90	0.88	0.83	98.0%	91.8%	93.6%
050201 Policies, Laws and regulations developed	0.51	0.49	0.44	97.4%	86.3%	88.6%
050202 Sub-sector monitored and promoted	0.21	0.21	0.21	97.8%	97.8%	100.0%
050203 Logistical Support to ICT infrastructure	0.19	0.19	0.19	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
VF:0549 Policy, Planning and Support Services	6.26	5.06	5.07	80.9%	81.0%	100.1%
Class: Outputs Provided	6.13	5.03	5.03	82.0%	82.1%	100.1%
054901 Policy, consultation, planning and monitoring services	0.70	0.53	0.53	75.6%	75.0%	99.3%
054902 Ministry Support Services (Finance and Administration)	5.32	4.40	4.40	82.6%	82.7%	100.2%
054903 Ministerial and Top Management Services	0.10	0.10	0.10	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Class: Capital Purchases	0.13	0.04	0.04	29.0%	29.0%	100.0%
054976 Purchase of Office and ICT Equipment, including Software	0.06	0.02	0.02	29.8%	29.8%	100.0%
054978 Purchase of Office and Residential Furniture and Fittings	0.07	0.02	0.02	28.2%	28.2%	100.0%
Total For Vote	8.32	7.03	6.98	84.4%	83.8%	99.2%

^{*} Excluding Taxes and Arrears

Table V3.2: 2015/16 GoU Expenditure by Item

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Billion Uganda Shillings	Approved Budget	Releases	Expend- iture	% Budged Released	% Budget Spent	%Releases Spent
Output Class:	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	N/A	100.0%
27310	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	N/A	100.0%
Output Class: Outputs Provided	8.19	7.16	7.12	87.5%	87.0%	99.4%
211101 General Staff Salaries	0.94	0.91	0.85	96.2%	89.9%	93.5%
211103 Allowances	0.27	0.26	0.26	97.3%	97.3%	100.0%
212102 Pension for General Civil Service	0.76	0.37	0.35	47.9%	46.3%	96.8%
213001 Medical expenses (To employees)	0.02	0.02	0.02	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
213002 Incapacity, death benefits and funeral expenses	0.01	0.01	0.01	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
213004 Gratuity Expenses	0.27	0.27	0.27	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
221001 Advertising and Public Relations	0.08	0.08	0.08	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
221002 Workshops and Seminars	0.48	0.44	0.44	91.9%	91.9%	100.0%

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Billion Uganda Shillings	Approved Budget	Releases	Expend- iture	% Budged Released	% Budget Spent	%Releases Spent
221003 Staff Training	0.28	0.15	0.15	52.4%	52.4%	100.0%
221007 Books, Periodicals & Newspapers	0.04	0.02	0.02	45.9%	45.9%	100.0%
221008 Computer supplies and Information Technology (IT	0.18	0.16	0.16	89.6%	89.6%	100.0%
221009 Welfare and Entertainment	0.02	0.02	0.02	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
221011 Printing, Stationery, Photocopying and Binding	0.18	0.14	0.14	75.1%	75.1%	100.0%
221012 Small Office Equipment	0.02	0.01	0.01	43.1%	43.1%	100.0%
221014 Bank Charges and other Bank related costs	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%
221016 IFMS Recurrent costs	0.01	0.01	0.01	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
221017 Subscriptions	0.02	0.02	0.02	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
221020 IPPS Recurrent Costs	0.01	0.01	0.01	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
222001 Telecommunications	0.08	0.07	0.07	83.4%	83.4%	100.0%
222002 Postage and Courier	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
222003 Information and communications technology (ICT)	0.18	0.09	0.09	50.5%	50.5%	100.0%
223001 Property Expenses	0.01	0.01	0.01	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
223003 Rent – (Produced Assets) to private entities	2.14	2.14	2.14	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
223004 Guard and Security services	0.07	0.07	0.07	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
223005 Electricity	0.06	0.06	0.09	100.0%	150.0%	150.0%
223006 Water	0.01	0.01	0.01	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
224004 Cleaning and Sanitation	0.08	0.08	0.08	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
224005 Uniforms, Beddings and Protective Gear	0.01	0.01	0.01	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
225001 Consultancy Services- Short term	0.78	0.61	0.61	78.4%	78.4%	100.0%
225002 Consultancy Services- Long-term	0.10	0.10	0.10	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
227001 Travel inland	0.35	0.35	0.35	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
227002 Travel abroad	0.31	0.27	0.27	87.1%	87.1%	100.0%
227004 Fuel, Lubricants and Oils	0.29	0.28	0.28	98.4%	98.4%	100.0%
228001 Maintenance - Civil	0.01	0.01	0.01	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
228002 Maintenance - Vehicles	0.11	0.11	0.11	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
228003 Maintenance – Machinery, Equipment & Furniture	0.01	0.00	0.00	34.7%	34.7%	100.0%
273102 Incapacity, death benefits and funeral expenses	0.01	0.00	0.00	49.7%	49.7%	100.0%
282104 Compensation to 3rd Parties	0.03	0.03	0.03	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Output Class: Capital Purchases	0.41	0.26	0.26	63.2%	63.2%	100.0%
312201 Transport Equipment	0.10	0.01	0.01	6.4%	6.4%	100.0%
312202 Machinery and Equipment	0.06	0.02	0.02	29.8%	29.8%	100.0%
312203 Furniture & Fixtures	0.07	0.06	0.06	81.5%	81.5%	100.0%
312204 Taxes on Machinery, Furniture & Vehicles	0.18	0.18	0.18	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Output Class: Arrears	0.08	0.08	0.10	100.0%	125.0%	125.0%
321614 Electricity arrears (Budgeting)	0.08	0.08	0.10	100.0%	125.0%	125.0%
Grand Total:	8.68	7.51	7.48	86.5%	86.2%	99.7%
Total Excluding Taxes and Arrears:	8.42	7.25	7.21	86.0%	85.6%	99.4%

Table V3.3: GoU Releases and Expenditure by Project and Programme*

Billion Uganda Shillings	Approved Budget	Released	Spent	% GoU Budget Released	% GoU Budget Spent	% GoU Releases Spent
VF:0501 IT and Information Management Services	1.17	1.08	1.08	92.8%	92.7%	99.9%
Recurrent Programmes						
02 Information Technology	0.41	0.39	0.39	96.9%	96.9%	100.0%
03 Information Management Services	0.76	0.69	0.69	90.7%	90.5%	99.8%
VF:0502 Communications and Broadcasting Infrastructure	0.90	0.88	0.83	98.0%	91.8%	93.6%
Recurrent Programmes						
04 Broadcasting Infrastructure Department	0.47	0.45	0.40	96.5%	84.6%	87.7%
05 Telecommunication and Posts	0.43	0.43	0.43	99.8%	99.7%	100.0%
VF:0549 Policy, Planning and Support Services	6.36	5.07	5.08	79.7%	79.8%	100.1%
Recurrent Programmes						

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Billion	u Uganda Shillings	Approved Budget	Released	Spent	% GoU Budget Released	% GoU Budget Spent	% GoU Releases Spent
01	Headquarters	5.30	4.72	4.73	89.0%	89.3%	100.3%
06	Internal Audit	0.09	0.09	0.09	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Development Projects							
0990	Strengthening Ministry of ICT	0.97	0.26	0.25	27.3%	26.0%	95.5%
Total For Vote		8.42	7.04	6.98	83.5%	82.9%	99.2%

^{*} Excluding Taxes and Arrears

Table V3.4: Donor Releases and Expenditure by Project and Programme*