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PUBLIC NOTICE

MISUSE OF THE TITLE "ENG." BY NON - REGISTERED PERSONS IN THE UPCOMING NATIONAL ELECTIONS

The **Engineers Registration Board (ERB)**, established under the *Engineers Registration Act, Cap 299*, wishes to alert the public to the increasing misuse of the professional title "**Engineer**" or prefix "**Eng.**" by individuals contesting for various elective positions in the upcoming national elections.

It has been observed that **several candidates** are using the title "**Engineer**" on their campaign posters and promotional materials **without being registered with the ERB**. Such individuals are **not authorized** to use this professional designation. This unlawful practice has been noted across different regions and political affiliations, and it **undermines the integrity of the engineering profession** while **misleading the public** about the qualifications of those individuals.

The Board reminds the public that **only engineers duly registered with the Engineers Registration Board** are legally permitted to use the title "**Engineer**" or prefix "**Eng.**". **Any unauthorized use of this title is a criminal offence** under the *Engineers Registration Act, Cap 299*.

In a letter to the **Chairman, Electoral Commission**, dated **21st July 2025** (Ref: **ERB/8**), the Board urged the Commission to verify with ERB, during the nomination process, the professional status of any person presenting themselves with the title "**Engineer**" or prefix "**Eng.**".

The **Electoral Commission, political parties**, and the **general public** are therefore advised to take note of this notice and to take appropriate action against individuals unlawfully using the

professional engineering title, in order to uphold the integrity of the profession.

The Public is further informed that a list of all certified Engineers can be accessed from our website at www.erb.go.ug or the ERB offices, Plot 2, Gloucester Avenue, Kyambogo. Or scan the following QR Code for the registered engineers.



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