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POLITICAL;

Deputy speaker rejects MP Zaake's private apology; the deputy speaker of parliament Anita Among has allegedly rejected a private apology from Mityana Municipality MP Francis Zaake. [Story](#)

ENERGY NEWS;

Kenya is now the cheapest country to purchase diesel in Eastern Africa; Diesel prices in Kenya are the lowest in eastern Africa in the wake of the monthly subsidy, reversing the market structure that made the country's fuel the most costly in the region. [Story](#)

NATIONAL;

Museveni asks religious leaders to champion govt fight against poverty; President Museveni has challenged religious leaders to spearhead government against poverty by mobilizing Christians to embrace development projects. [Story](#)

COURT;

Court acquits 2 youth for dropping pig heads in city; Buganda Road Court has acquitted two youth of charges of being a common nuisance when they allegedly dropped two pig heads in the city during a protest alleged mismanagement of public funds at Bank of Uganda. [Story](#)

GRAFT;

MPs, govt play blame game over China deal; Cosase was tasked to investigate operations at the UCAA following alleged misuse and mismanagement of funds, accumulation of unpaid leave allowances and non-remittance of NSSF deductions. [Story](#)

EDUCATION;

Makerere University students, staff to buy laptops at Shs 60,000/month; Makerere University has signed a memorandum of understanding with Stanbic bank to enable staff and students acquire laptops on a hire purchase basis. This comes at a time when Makerere University is preparing to open fully for all students this week, who will study under the blended mode of learning- both physical and online lectures. [Story](#)

BUSINESS;

First batch gets NSSF mid-term cash; last Friday, the NSSF made the first pay-out of the mid-term benefits to a section of claimants, ending years of anticipation since the idea was introduced. Data from the Fund shows that 402 eligible contributors were paid Shs3.2 billion. [Story](#)

SPORTS;

Yeko takes gold at World University Cross-Country; Ndeje University's long-distance runner Dismus Yeko on Saturday won Gold at the FISU World University Cross Country Championships Aveiro, in Portugal. [Story](#)

WORLD NEWS;

Russia asks China for military aid on Ukraine; Russia has asked China for military and economic aid for its war in Ukraine, US media reported Sunday, hours after the White House warned Beijing would face severe "consequences" if it helps Moscow evade sanctions. [Story](#)

And finally; Gen Muhoozi still in the military; the Uganda People's Defence Forces has said the Commander of the Land Forces, Lt Gen Muhoozi Kainerugaba, has not retired from the army. [Story](#)

Today's scripture; Jeremiah 29:11

ESKOMorning quote; "You can't use up creativity. The more you use, the more you have." By- Maya Angelou

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