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POLITICAL

Court dismisses Nabakooba's objection to EC DR forms; Nabakooba, a candidate of the NRM is seeking to overturn the election of Bagala of the opposition National Unity Platform, for the Mityana District Woman MP seat in Parliament. [Story](#)

ENERGY NEWS;

We must eliminate use of charcoal - Energy minister; speaking at the launch of the Shell Gas Safety campaign in Kampala Ms Nankabirwa said there was no reason why people, who live in urban settings that have access to cooking gas still use charcoal, which has a number of health-related risks. [Story](#)

NATIONAL

Catechist killed, buried in coffee plantation as Masaka assailants strike again; another man has been murdered by unknown assailants in Masaka Sub Region, less than 24 hours after an 87-year-old man was killed under similar circumstances. [Story](#)

INTERNATIONAL;

US Forces must be out of Afghanistan by August 31, Taliban warn; The Taliban warned Monday there would be "consequences" if the United States and its allies try to remain in Afghanistan beyond next week, as Washington ramped up its efforts to evacuate tens of thousands of people desperate to flee. [Story](#)

COURT;

On remand for 6 years, Rwenzururu royal guards yet to get justice; a section of MPs from Kasese district has called for a speedy trial of the Omusinga Charles Wesley Mumbere, the king of Rwenzururu and his royal guards. [Story](#)

HEALTH;

Govt delivers four boat ambulances to islands; the fleet will comprise of 14 boat ambulances to respond to health emergencies among the island communities. [Story](#)

BUSINESS;

We are the bank for the unbanked - Airtel; Amit Kapur says that while majority of Ugandans had been excluded from the financial system partly because services were out of reach for people especially those in rural areas, Airtel Mobile Commerce has over the years invested to ensure that such access financial services. [Story](#)

SPORTS;

Chesang wins Uganda's only medal in Nairobi; Prisca Chesang ensured Team Uganda did not leave the Kenyan capital empty-handed after she fought to secure 5000m bronze on the final day of the 18th World Athletics U20 Championships yesterday. [Story](#)

And finally Study finds high prevalence of hearing loss among industrial workers; according to the findings, people who had worked in these noisy industries for more than two years, had more difficulties hearing than those that had been there for six months. [Story](#)

Today's scripture; *Isaiah 41:10*

ESKOMorning quote; *"Do not fear failure but rather fear not trying."*

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