



THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

THE INSPECTORATE OF GOVERNMENT

54 years of Uganda's Independence



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Mandate: Promote just utilization of public resources

Vision: A responsive and accountable public sector

Mission: To promote good governance, accountability and rule of law in public office

The Inspectorate of Government (IG) joins the Country to celebrate 54 years of independence under the theme: **"Protection of our independence through promotion of patriotism, unity and hard work".**

The Inspectorate of Government is charged with the responsibility of eliminating corruption, fostering good governance and enforcing the Leadership Code of Conduct in public office.

Corruption undermines patriotism, unity and hard work. High levels of Corruption are caused by low levels of patriotism in a country. Unpatriotic persons are selfish. If you love your country, you would not steal from your government. When people steal from government, this denies the citizens access to basic services such as health, education, among others, which ultimately reduces their productivity and promotes dependency.

Corruption also erodes the concept of hard work from peoples' minds. People are not motivated to work hard where systems can be easily manipulated and corrupted for personal gain.

The Inspectorate of Government launched its strategic plan 2016/17-2019/20 under the theme **"Promoting excellence in Public office"**. The Strategic Plan will ensure



The 2nd Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of East African Affairs, Rt Hon Ali Kirunda Kivenjinja with the IGG, Irene Mulyagonja launching the IG Strategic Plan 2016-2017 / 2019-2020.

change in the management of public affairs in order to have a public sector that is more responsive and accountable to the citizens. The focus of the plan is to enhance the quality of service delivery through streamlining processes, systems and procedures.

Going forward, the IG will leverage use of technology and application best practice.

Building on these key approaches the IG Strategy is premised on five Strategic Objectives:

(a) Reducing corruption: The IG intends to increase its capacity to effectively investigate and prosecute cases of corruption, implementing mechanisms aimed at reducing the growing caseload; and strengthening systems that detect and prevent corruption.

(b) Maximising the ombudsman role: The Inspectorate intends to strengthen its ability to identify and resolve underlying drivers of complaints and use systemic and innovative approaches to identify and address high-risk areas in governance.

In this regard, the IG will work with Ministries, Departments, Agencies and Local Governments to eliminate leakage of resources.

(c) Enforcing the Leadership Code of Conduct: The IG will continue in its efforts to enforce the Leadership Code of Conduct, which will in turn re-enforce the Government's priority of increased transparency and accountability in its institutions. In this regard, the IG launched the Online Declaration System (IG-ODS) that will improve the leaders' compliance and ensure effective and efficient verifications of information provided.

(d) Strengthening organisational capacity for service delivery: The IG will build a performance driven culture with focus on achievement of strategic and operational objectives. In addition, the culture of the organisation will be value driven with special emphasis on integrity, impartiality and professionalism

(e) Effective collaborations with partners: The IG will invest in working in partnership and collaboration with key stakeholders including Parliament, sister Accountability entities, MDALGs, Civil Society and the public in execution of its mandate to improve governance and eliminate corruption.

The Inspectorate of Government therefore calls upon all the actors to join efforts to ensure that we achieve excellence in public office by the year 2020.

The Inspector General of Government, Deputy Inspectors General of Government and staff of the Inspectorate of Government congratulate H.E. President Yoweri Museveni, Cabinet Ministers, Members of Parliament and the general public on 54 years of independence

SUMMARY OF ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE INSPECTORATE OF GOVERNMENT FOR THE FY 2015/16

		Total
1	Complaints brought forward	4,792
2	New complaints received/initiated	2,172
3	New verifications of leaders' declarations	14
4	Total workload	6,978
5	Investigated & completed	2,215
6	Verifications concluded	50
7	Referred to other Institutions	336
8	Rejected complaints (outside the jurisdiction of IG)	64
9	Case backlog disposed of	27
10	Total complaints concluded	2,692
11	Carried forward	4,472
12	Money saved as a result of IG intervention	41bn
13	Money recovered as a result of investigations and deposited on IG Recovery Account	2,479,380,300
14	Public officers under prosecution by IG	101
15	Public Officers convicted	50
16	Public officers arrested by the IG	54