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**Press Release**

**FORGED MESSAGES ON STUDENT GUILD ELECTIONS CIRCULATING ON SOCIAL MEDIA AND OTHER PLATFORMS**

It has come to the attention of Management that some fraudulent individuals are spreading fake communications suggesting that the University Management is inclined towards certain candidates in the ongoing guild race. We have further established that this deceitful tactic is commonly referred to as **Chemical** which is intended to malice and undermine fair competition in student guild elections.

Makerere University Management **DOES NOT** interfere in student guild elections and the electoral process is managed by the students themselves. Any claims of Management inclination towards specific candidate(s) in the guild race is based on forgery of official letterheads and manipulation of signatures of University officials. This corrupt practise shall be investigated and handled in due accordance with the law.

The students' community and all stakeholders are requested to disregard any of the fraudulent messages circulating on social media and other platforms.

Management wishes the students community a free, fair and peaceful election.

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