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PRESS STATEMENT

Expiry of Contracts for Temporary Staff in the University Service as of 30th June 2013

The University Management would like to clarify on the above subject in relation to contracts of temporary staff of Makerere University.

- i) The Directorate of Human Resources issued a circular on 15th January 2013, advising that there will be no more temporary appointments in the University, without the approval of the Directorate. A follow up circular on 8th April 2013 advised that temporary appointments were to be renewed only up to 30th June 2013.
- ii) It is not true that the University has sacked all employees on temporary terms of service, as has been alleged in the media.
- iii) The Directorate of Human Resources is currently streamlining the University's Staffing needs. More people will be employed to fill any vacancies that will be identified after the streamlining process.
- iv) The Academic Staff on temporary terms of service are not affected by the above circulars, although the process is ongoing to substantively fill their positions. Staff members working on projects are equally unaffected. Running contracts, whose expiry date is beyond the 30th June 2013, are also unaffected.

For more information on the appointment status for Temporary Staff, please contact;

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