

REPORT OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE ON

SUPPLEMENTARY EXPENDITURE SCHEDULE NO.3 2017/18

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

Rt. Hon Speaker, Hon. Members,

On 22nd May, 2018, the Hon. Minister of Finance, Planning and Economic Development laid before Parliament Supplementary expenditure estimates under schedule No.3, 2017/18 amounting to **UGX 377.247Billion**.

The estimates were referred to the Budget Committee for consideration and report back to the House.

Rt. Hon Speaker, the Budget Committee considered the Supplementary Schedule No.3 of FY 2017/18 and wishes to report to the August House its findings as follows.

2.0 METHODOLOGY

The Committee scrutinized the Supplementary Schedule and held meetings with the Ministry of Defence and Veteran Affairs, The Ministry of Finance, Planning and Economic Development and Ministry of Lands Housing and Urban Development

The meetings formed the basis for the observations and recommendations therein.

3.0 LEGAL FRAMEWORK FOR THE SCRUTINY OF THE SUPPLEMENTARY EXPENDITURE

The supplementary estimates were laid in accordance with section 25 of the Public Finance Management (Amendment) Act 2015 which states that:

- 1. The total supplementary expenditure that requires additional resources over and above what is approved by Parliament shall not exceed 3% of the approved budget for the financial year, without approval of parliament.
- 2. Where funds are expended under subsection (1), supplementary estimates showing the sums spent shall be laid before Parliament within four months after the money was spent.

The Committee notes that Parliament approved a total budget of **UGX 28,008.5Billion** for FY 2017/18. Further approval was given for a total Supplementary expenditure of **UGX 1,304.008bn**, under Schedule 1 and 2 of the FY 2017/18.

The Supplementary Expenditure schedule 3 is an additional request that requires Parliament prior approval. The schedule is comprised of the following Items:

Vote	Amount (UGX)	Details
004: Ministry of Defence	369,900,061,465	Shortfalls on special
and Veteran Affairs		meals, fuel for land
		forces, medical products
		owed to private Hospitals
		, classified expenditure
		and fuel for air force
012: Ministry of Lands,	7,347,253,314	Settlement of
Housing and Urban		Government subsidy to
Development		National Housing and
		Construction Company
		Limited

The Committee was informed by the Ministry of Finance, Planning and Economic Development that the source of funding was from Domestic Borrowing

4.0 JUSTIFICATIONS OF EXPENDITURE BY VOTE

a) RECURRENT EXPENDITURE

004: Ministry of Defence and Veteran Affairs

The Ministry requested for an additional funding of UGX 369,900,061,465 comprised of classified expenditure amounting UGX 247Billion, special meals

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UGX 60.9Billion, Fuel for both land forces and air force UGX 35.4Billion and clothing and medical expenses of UGX 26.6Billion.

Vote 012: Ministry of Lands, Housing and Urban Development

The Ministry requested for UGX 7.3Billion and this had been submitted along with schedule 2 but was not tabled before Parliament and subsequently was not considered during the processing of schedule 2.

The request arose from the sale of Buganda Road Flats under the National Housing and Construction Company where Government was to settle the payment as subsidy to the company.

The Committee therefore recommends that the Supplementary request No. 3, 2017/18 be approved.

5.0 Conclusion

The committee recommends that **UGX 377, 247,314,779** as required under schedule 3 be approved as supplementary expenditure for 2017/18.

This figure is broken down as follows:

Vote	RECURRENT EXPENDITURE
	SUPPLEMENTARY AMOUNT (UGX)
004: Ministry of Defence and Veteran	369,900,061,465
Affairs	
	DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURE
	SUPPLEMENTARY AMOUNT (UGX
012: Ministry of Lands, Housing and	7,347,253,314
Urban Development	

Rt. Hon Speaker I beg to move.

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14 June 2018

Chairperson, Committee on Budget Parliament of Uganda Kampala

RE: MINORITY REPORT ON SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULE 3 FOR FY2017/18

During the meeting of the Committee on Budget held on today 14th June 2018, I raised a preliminary objection on Supplementary Schedule 3 for FY2017/18.

It was indicated by the Vice Chairperson that Ministry of Finance, Planning and Economic Development intends to finance the UGX 377.247 billion through domestic borrowing.

Aware that government has already exceeded the limits provided in Section 36(5a) of the Public Finance Management Act (as amended) and further aware that government may borrow to finance budget deficit through issuance of securities as provided in Section 36(5) of the Public Finance Management Act, it was agreed the Ministry presents a Motion for domestic borrowing before considering the supplementary request. This would ensure that funds are available to finance the supplementary request.

In light of the above, if the Ministry does not present a Motion to borrow before consideration of the report on Supplementary Schedule 3 FY2017/18, this is to give you prior notice that I shall under Rule 202 of the Rules of Procedure present a Minority Report on the supplementary request.

Please avail me with the final copy of the Committee Report to append my views accordingly.

Yours sincerely

Muwanga Kivumbi Muhanmad (MP)

Butambala County

- cc. Rt. Hon. Speaker of Parliament
- c.c. Rt. Hon. Deputy Speaker of Parliament
- c.c. Leader of the Opposition
- c.c. Government Chief Whip
- c.c. Chief Opposition Whip
- c.c. Clerk to Parliament
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