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*Cyrell Rose - the 27/7/18*

## PERSONAL STATEMENT BY HON SILWANY SOLOMON ON THE ATTACK ON HIM BY GOONS ON 27/07/2018 THE POLLING DAY FOR BUGIRI MUNICIPALITY

RT HONOURABLE SPEAKER

OF PARLIAMNET OF THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

It was on 27/07/2018 when I went to Bugiri town to support in monitoring the Election of Member of Parliament for Bugiri Municipality, on reaching Naluwerere polling station I found Hon Hussein Kyanjo former MP for Makindye West and Taremwa Jotham of Electro Commission and then was joined by Hon Robert Centenary from Kasese Municipality. As we chatted around on what was going on. I heard a group of young me saying "That is the Man we were told to kill". Before I could know what was happening, the youth attacked me and starting throwing insults on me and as I tried to move away, the youth descended on me and starting punching me. I tried to move to a nearby House but the group followed me because they were determined to kill me. We had a fight with them until I pulled out a bottle of Pepper spray which I had in my pockets and sprayed on them. This is how I managed to escape and ran to the nearby Police Van.

Madam speaker I would like to condemn in the strongest terms these acts of violence that happened to me and that has been happening to other innocent Ugandans.

Madam Speaker I would in a special way to thank Hon Robert Centenary for the help he accorded me during the scuffle and the comradeship that was exhibited by him.

i have reported Matter to Police and investigations are ongoing.

Thanks

Signed

Silwany Solomon (MP)

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