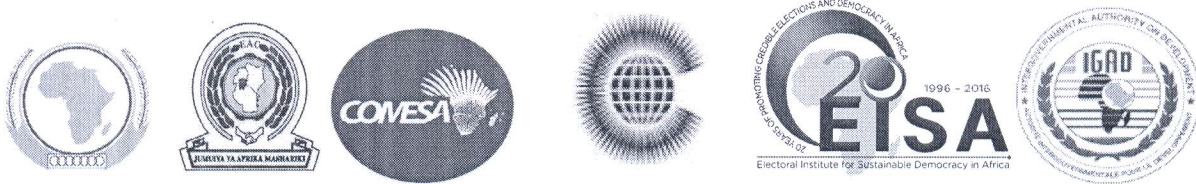


INTERNATIONAL ELECTION OBSERVER MISSIONS FOR UGANDA GENERAL ELECTIONS 2016



**STATEMENT BY THE INTERNATIONAL OBSERVERS TO THE
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WE the Heads of International Election Observer Missions in the Republic of Uganda,

While Appreciating preparations by political parties and personalities concerned with the election,

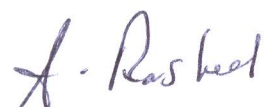
Noting some events that could raise tensions that had happened on 15th February, 2016,

Hereby appeal to all functionaries, electoral commission, political parties, candidates and personalities to refrain from any act, statement or dissemination of information that may cause tension, ill-will, disturbance, intimidation and adversely affect the peaceful and orderly conduct of elections on Thursday 18th February, 2016.


We therefore urge voters to turn out to perform their civic responsibility peacefully, orderly and lawfully.

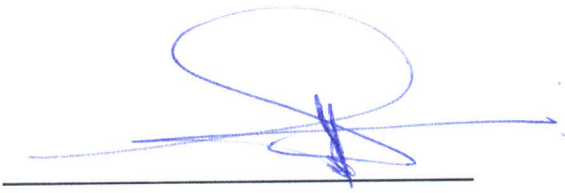
16th February, 2016





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H.E. Ali Hassan Mwinyi :  _____

Her Ladyship Justice Sophia Akuffo :  _____

H.E. Olusegun Obasanjo :  _____

H.E. Rupiah Banda :  _____

Amb. Ashraf Rashed Gamal :  _____

Mr. Yufnalis Okubo :  _____