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Press Release

Transfer of Misc. Application No. 887 of 2016 from the Execution Division to the Civil Division of the High Court

KAMPALA: Earlier today, we received a Miscellaneous Application in which two parties: Bigirwa Moses and Hakim Kizza (Applicants) are seeking an interim order to block the swearing in of Yoweri Kaguta Museveni (Respondent) as president of Uganda.

The matter was registered in the Executions Division of the High Court in Kampala as Misc. Application No. 887 of 2016.

Any litigant is free to file a case in the court provided the case is in English and he/she has paid the relevant filing fees. Our duty is to receive the case and process it accordingly, even if the matter is frivolous.

The court can however, strike out proceedings which are scandalous or which may tend to prejudice, embarrass or delay a fair trial of the matter.

In this particular case, the case has been wrongly filed in the Execution Division of the High Court where, the Division only handles cases which have been processed or determined by other Divisions of the High Court/other courts. It never handles original matters.

In the circumstances, I have transferred the Case to the Civil Division of the High Court, which has jurisdiction to handle the matter.

Gadenya Paul Wolimbwa
CHIEF REGISTRAR, JUDICIARY

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