



13th May ,2025

The Headteacher
Jinja Progressive Academy
Jinja City
Busoga Zone

RE: EXPULSION FROM THE U-20 NATIONAL FOOTBALL BOYS TOURNAMENT 2025 – NGORA HIGH SCHOOL,

Following the match played on 13th May, 2025 at 12:00 pm between Jinja Progressive Academy and St. Mary's Boarding Secondary School Kitende at Pitch 2, Ngora High School Grounds and the violent incidents that followed the National Organizing Committee has reviewed the events that transpired during and after the game.

Upon review, the following violations were noted:

1. Fielding of Ineligible Players:

Your team officials willfully fielded players **Isabirye Adrian** and **Ntege Musa**, both of whom had accumulated two yellow cards prior to the match. This contravenes the tournament guidelines which were clearly communicated to all game's teachers before and after the commencement of the championship.

2. Violent Conduct and Incitement:

Members of your technical bench were involved in acts of physical violence, including assaulting match officiating officials. Additionally, they incited violence among fans, leading to disruption of the game and breach of USSSA **rule 8.1 and rule 8.2**.

These acts are in direct violation of the **Secondary Schools Competition Rules and Regulations**, specifically **Rule 8.1 and 8.2** which governs the conduct of players, officials, and teams.

DECISION OF THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE:

As a consequence of the aforementioned misconduct, the following decisions have been taken:

- Jinja Progressive Academy **forfeits the semifinal match** against St. Mary's Boarding Secondary School Kitende.
- Jinja Progressive Academy is hereby **expelled from the 2025 U-20 National Football Boys Championship**, hosted at Ngora High School.
- Jinja Progressive Academy is directed to **vacate the games village and all nearby areas within Ngora District with immediate effect**.
- Further action and directions to be made after briefing the Ministry of Education and Sports through Physical Education and Sports department





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