

# National Council for Higher Education



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30<sup>th</sup> August 2023

The Promoters,  
St. Ignatius University – Kabale Project,  
P.O. Box 884,  
**Kabale.**

## RE: YOUR APPLICATION FOR PROVISIONAL LICENCE

Reference is made to your application to National Council for Higher Education (UNCHE) for a Provisional Licence to establish and operate a Private University in Uganda in accordance with the provisions of the Universities and Other Tertiary Institutions Act 2001(as amended).

I am pleased to inform you that after due consideration, Council at its 72<sup>nd</sup> Sitting of 21<sup>st</sup> August 2023 resolved to grant a Provisional Licence to you to operate a Private University. You are therefore required to make a Statutory Licence fee deposit of Twelve Million Uganda Shillings only (Ugx 12,000,000) to the NCHE through the URA web portal, [www.ura.go.ug](http://www.ura.go.ug) in accordance with Section 3(2) (b) of the registration.

Please note that a Provisional Licence is valid for a period of three (3) years from the date of publication of the Institution in the Gazette, as per Section 97(3) of the Universities and Other Tertiary Institutions Act (UOTIA) 2001, as amended.

The following seven (5) programmes have been initially accredited to the Institution:

S/N.	Programme Name	Maximum Number of Students to be admitted each academic year
1	Bachelor of Tourism, Heritage and Leisure Management	50
2	Bachelor of Business Administration	50
3	Diploma in Science Laboratory Technology	30
4	Diploma in Agriculture	45
5	Diploma in Tourism and Hotel Management	45

The above programmes have been accredited for a period of five (5) years from the date of Publication of the Institution in the Gazette.

In the event that you wish to admit more than the above stated number of students, prior permission should be obtained from the NCHE.

Please note that teaching unaccredited programmes constitutes an offence, under Section 119A of the UOTIA and shall attract sanctions, including but not limited to revocation of the Licence.

We further advise you to comply with Statutory Instrument 17 of 2010 that enjoins all registering students to contribute Twenty Thousand Uganda Shillings only (Ugx 20,000) to the funds of NCHE.

I congratulate you and wish you the best.

Professor Mary J. N. Okwakol  
**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**