

Pictorial of Citizen #TAXMPs Match

This week the #TAXMPs campaign was launched calling on the President not to back track on his original stand to allow Members of Parliament amend the Income Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2016 to exempt them from paying tax on their allowances

Hundreds of citizens matched along the streets of Kampala to demonstrate their discomfort with this move. The March which was flagged off by Cleric Imam Kasozi was the first of its kind in this campaign and is to be followed by district based campaigns. In the same week citizens in Lira also took to the streets over the same. Over 500 letters to the President were collected and many more are expected to be collected from the various districts.

It is our call to all citizens to join this campaign which seeks to restore the dignity of our Parliament but also seeks to see increased domestic revenue mobilization to finance the increasing service delivery demands that are largely depended on by the poor, women, youth and other marginalized groups in our society.

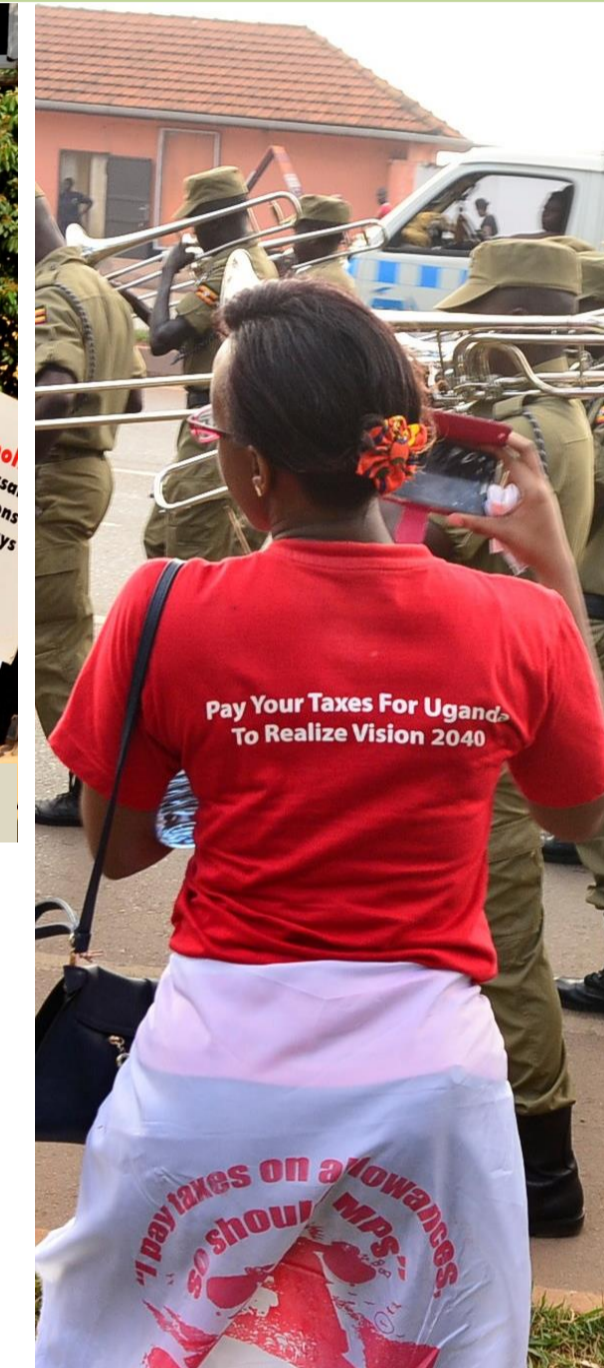
In this week edition we share with you the pictorial of the citizen Match.



Citizens in campaign attire displaying a clear message on what Government should do as a result of the campaign



Citizens with Placards, marching along Jinja road accompanied by the Police Band



Her message is very loud and clear if we are to realize Vision 2040, 'MPs must pay'



Banners displayed with clear campaign message



This lady's T-shirt says it all. MPs must be seen to supporters and saboteurs of development- MPs should Walk the Talk of contributing to increasing domestic revenue



This gentleman spared two hours that day to match with others- to put his message across 'MPs paying taxes on their allowances' pertinent to him



This lady creatively locked her lips with campaign sticker –displaying Luganda message



Citizens holding placards and while chanting slogans of 'Tuswala ba MO basasule Omusolo'



Citizens @ UMA show grounds signing open letters to the President. 300 letters and more were signed.



Young people having a light moment through taking a 'Selfie' after marching from railway grounds to IMA show grounds



Citizens getting set for the march at railway grounds