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Dear Sir,

RE: OBJECTION TO THE USE OF THE NAME "UKOMBOZI" BY UNITED DEMOCRATIC PARTY (UDP)

Reference is made to your letter dated 10th August, 2026, objecting to the public notice allegedly issued by the United Democratic Party (UDP) regarding its proposed change of name to Ukombozi People's Party (UPP).

Section 8(c) of the Political Parties Act, Cap.7D, provides that the Register may refuse an application for the registration of a political party if the name of the political party, the abbreviation of the name, the slogan or the symbol that it wishes to use for the purposes of the Act so nearly resembles the name, slogan or symbol, or an abbreviation of the name of another political party registered under the Act or any other legal entity registered under any other written law.

Subsequently, this Office has not approved or authorized the use of the name "Ukombozi People's Party (UPP)" by the United Democratic Party (UDP).

Further note that the name resembles "The Ukombozi Alliance (TUA)" reserved by a different applicant on 20th July, 2026.

Yours faithfully,

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