

INTERNAL MEMORANDUM



To: All Members of Academic,
Administrative and Support Staff

From: The Ag. University Secretary/Accounting Officer

Copy: The Chancellor
The Chairperson and Members of the University Council
The Vice Chancellor
Assoc. Prof. Okaka Opio Dokotum

Date: 15th July, 2026

EXPIRY OF TENURE OF OFFICE FOR THE DEPUTY VICE CHANCELLOR-ASSOC. PROF. OKAKA OPIO DOKOTUM

This is to formally notify the University Council, Management, and all Members of staff that the tenure of office for **Assoc. Prof. Okaka Opio Dokotum**, as the Deputy Vice Chancellor-Academic Affairs of Lira University, reached a lawful conclusion on **30th June, 2026**.

Assoc. Prof. Okaka Opio Dokotum has dedicatedly served the University in this capacity for two consecutive terms as structured below:

First Term: 1st July, 2016 to 30th June, 2021

Second Term: 1st July, 2021 to 30th June, 2026

Following a request for legal guidance on the matter, the learned Attorney General, in an advisory communication dated **10th July, 2026**, confirmed that Assoc. Prof. Okaka Opio Dokotum has fully and lawfully completed his permitted tenure under *Section 32(2) of the Universities and Other Tertiary Institutions Act, Cap. 262*.

On behalf of the entire Lira University community, I wish to extend our heartfelt gratitude to Assoc. Prof. Okaka Opio Dokotum for his ten years of distinguished service, intellectual leadership, and steadfast commitment to the growth and development of this institution. We wish him the absolute best in his future academic and professional pursuits.

Thank you.