



Our Ref: NCHE/GR/U/78

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The Vice Chancellor,
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**RE: APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF A CHARTER TO VALLEY UNIVERSITY OF
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**

Reference is made to the application by the Valley University of Science and Technology (VUST) to the National Council for Higher Education (NCHE) for the grant of a Charter.

This is to inform you that the Council, at its 78th Sitting on 31st January 2025, considered and resolved to recommend to the Minister, the grant of a Charter to Valley University of Science and Technology in accordance with Section 105(3) of the Universities and Other Tertiary Institutions Act CAP 262.

As you may be aware, the law provides for requisite procedures governing the grant of a Charter, which involve, among others the submission of the Charter to the Minister responsible for Education who then presents it to the President for final approval, before gazettment of the same.

The purpose of this letter, therefore, is to request you to submit to NCHE an updated draft Charter within two weeks from the date of receipt of this letter for further processing with the relevant organs, and to require you to pay the statutory Licence fees of UGX 15,000,000 only (equivalent to 750 currency points) to the NCHE through the URA web portal, www.ura.go.ug in accordance with Section 3(2) (b) of the regulation.

Rev. Canon Dr. Alex M. Kagume
FOR: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR