

## **The EAGLE Network**

## **Wildlife Law Enforcement**

# **April 2021 Eagle Uganda Report**

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

This report reflects the period from 1st to 30th April 2021

#### 2. INVESTIGATIONS

3 investigators on test started their test period and one of the investigators test period was terminated.

INVESTIGATION INDICATORS		
# of investigations	# of investigations that lead to operations	
84	0	

#### 3. OPERATIONS

OPERATION INDICATORS			
# of operations	# of operations that lead to arrests	# suspect traffickers arrested	Contraband (specify units)
0	0	0	0

#### 4. LEGAL

LEGAL INDICATORS
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# of court prosecutions		Maximum sentence given	# of cases followed	# hearings visited	# jail visits
Court of first instance	Appeal court				
01	0	0	01	04	04

- The Legal advisors visited the Wildlife Court to follow wildlife crime prosecutions
- The Legal advisor visited the Uganda Wildlife Authority Headquarters to follow up on the progress of a proposed MoU with the Authority.
- The legal advisor visited the Ministry of Tourism and Wildlife and spoke with the Principal Wildlife Officer about possible areas of collaboration between the ministry and EAGLE
- The Legal advisor, at Munyonyo interviewed a witness in a sexual abuse case that came to our attention through an external vigilante
- The legal advisors travelled to Ssekanyonyi to interview another witness in the same sexual harassment case.

#### 5. MEDIA

Department not active yet.

MEDIA INDICATORS				
# of total media pieces published	# of pieces on Radio	# of pieces on TV	# of pieces in national printed press	
0	0	0	0	

#### 6. MANAGEMENT

MANAGEMENT INDICATORS		
# investigators on test	3	
# legal advisors on test	0	
# advocates on test	0	
# media journalists on test	0	
# accountants on test	0	
# internal trainings	1	
# external trainings	0	

- Successful submission of all finance related reports, filing and payment of required tax obligations for the month of April 2021.
- A sexual harassment case brought to our attention steered the EAGLE Uganda team to a new dimension of investigations, still in the process of compiling the witness list and action to follow later.
- 3 team members still continuing with their French classes.
- Martial arts training for 5 team members still ongoing.
- The office sewerage drainage system was successfully reconstructed by National Water and Sewerage Cooperation.
- 3 investigators began their test period, one was discontinued at the end of the month.
- Universal Security Services was outsourced to offer security services effective 01<sup>st</sup> May
  2021.
- A general team meeting was successfully held with emphasis on compliance to office rules, EAGLE procedures, covid-19 measures, EAGLE values and reading of the operational manual.

### 7. EXTERNAL RELATIONS

EXTERNAL RELATIONS INDICATORS	
# of external meetings	04
# of requests for collaboration or support	0
# follow-up meetings related to ongoing agreements/ collaborations	02
# meetings to renew agreements/collaborations	0
# EAGLE trainings requested from external parties	0
# EAGLE trainings carried out for external parties	0
# EAGLE presentations requested from external parties	0
# EAGLE presentations carried out for others	0