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The Uganda Wildlife (Declaration of Wildlife Conservation Area) (Mount Elgon National Park) Instrument, 2003.

(Under sections 18, 19 and 94 of the Uganda Wildlife Statute, 1996, Statute No. 14 of 1996).

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred upon the Minister responsible for wildlife by sections 18, 19 and 94 of the Uganda Wildlife Statute, 1996; and after consultation with the local government councils of Kapchorwa, Mbale and Sironko Districts; and with the approval of Parliament signified by its resolution passed on 27th May 2002, this Instrument is made this 3rd day of April, 2003.

1. Citation

This Instrument may be cited as the Uganda Wildlife (Declaration of Wildlife Conservation Area) (Mount Elgon National Park) Instrument, 2003.

2. Declaration of Mount Elgon National Park as wildlife conservation area

The area of land specified in the Schedule to this Instrument is declared a wildlife conservation area to be known as Mount Elgon National Park.

3. Area to be a national park and a wildlife protected area

The area declared under paragraph 2 shall be a national park and a wildlife protected area for the purposes of section 19 of the Uganda Wildlife Statute, 1996.

4. Amendment of**S.I. 227-1**

The National Parks (Declaration) Order is amended by revoking any reference to Mount Elgon National Park.

SCHEDULE

Boundaries of Mount Elgon National Park

"The area formerly known as Mt. Elgon Forest Reserve as indicated on Forest Department Boundary Plans 1438, 1441, 1442, 1597, and 1657 in the Forest Reserve (Declaration) Order, 1968, and as indicated by Boundary Plan UG/WILDLIFE/MENP/01 deposited at the Survey Records Office in the Department Responsible for Surveys and Mapping."

Minister of Tourism, Trade and Industry.

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