



# **Good Shed Foundation International Limited**

## **ANNUAL IMPLEMENTATION REPORT**

for the Period

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## Our Mission

To improve the quality of life for vulnerable communities by accelerating access to basic social services.

## Our Vision

A world where children, families, and communities thrive, with access to the basic needs and essentials that ensure a decent quality of life...



*Making a difference, One Child at A Time...*

## Core Values:

- Integrity
- Excellence
- Accountability
- Tenacity.



## Remarks from the **BOARD CHAIRMAN:**

**Eng. Martin Roy Lukwago**  
Board Chairman - GSF

To our partners, I wish to emphasize the Board's commitment to enabling an environment with holistic nurturing of vulnerable children, youth and communities. I call upon you all to support GSF efforts actively in the many different forms available to you, i.e, time, expertise, material and financial contributions, where feasible. Only when we work together, can we be the change we wish to see.

This year, our Board grew from four (4) to six (6) members and on this note, I once again welcome Ms. Mabel Ndagula and Ms. Irene Nagitta to the Board of Directors. The positive impact of having both ladies on the Board can already be felt.

We look forward to your continued support, our esteemed partners. God bless you for your generosity towards the less fortunate!

***“...Whoever is kind to the poor lends to the LORD, and he will reward them for what they have done...” Proverbs 19:17***



## A word from the CEO/Founder:

**Ms. Ruth Kato, GSF Founder**

2024 has been an exciting year on many fronts. First of all, the NGO Bureau revised our Operational Permit giving us country-wide coverage, as opposed to operating only in Wakiso District. That alone was like wind beneath our wings, inspiring us to soar higher.

This year, we celebrated our first anniversary as a fully-fledged national Non-Governmental Organisation (NGO). The statistics are wearisome, regarding the number of NGOs that never make it to their first birthday and we are blessed not to be among that number.

The giving of our Partners to the work of GSF has increased this year and this has enabled us reach the children and communities we have been able to reach. We have expanded our reach from Wakiso District and set our footprint in both Kamuli and Madi-Okollo Districts.

The hard work of our GSF volunteers cannot be over-emphasized. They give of themselves, simply to see their world better than they found it. For this, I am eternally grateful. And to the Board of Directors, THANK YOU for the strategic oversight you ceaselessly offer.

***All the Glory belongs to God for His faithfulness!***

# 1.0

## Background:

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Good Shed Foundation (GSF) is a humanitarian organization committed to supporting vulnerable children, families, and communities in a holistic way, with a view to transforming their lives from lack of basic necessities to a better quality life. We were granted NGO status by the NGO Bureau on 18th January 2023.

Our initial operational permit was limited to Wakiso District, but we requested for a review to National Status and in January 2024, the NGO Bureau approved our application and granted us Countrywide status. This development has allowed us to spread our wings to Kamuli District and Madi Okollo District this year.

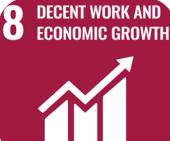
GSF intervenes in the dire situations of our beneficiaries through education aid, health and nutrition, vocational skilling, support to the elderly, climate change sensitization, psychosocial support and advocacy.

GSF collaborates with communities, government, donors, civil society and the private sector to reach the most vulnerable communities, with a special focus on the children. At GSF, we are non-discriminatory in our approach to beneficiaries regardless of religion, race, ethnicity, or gender.

### 1.1 GSF 10 year Strategy: 2025 – 2034

We are happy to report that our strategic plan for the next ten (10) years has been completed this year. The strategic planning process was laborious, but well worth it. This Strategic Plan seeks to contribute to the holistic well-being of the targeted vulnerable communities and is aligned to Uganda's Vision 2040, which is "...A transformed Ugandan society from a peasant to a modern and prosperous country within 30 years..."

## The GSF Strategy seeks to also contribute to the following Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

SDG	Objectives	SDG	Objectives
<b>1 NO POVERTY</b> 	Access to basic human needs of health, education, sanitation	<b>6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION</b> 	Improving access for billions of people who lack these basic facilities
<b>2 ZERO HUNGER</b> 	Providing food and humanitarian relief, establishing sustainable food production	<b>8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH</b> 	Creating jobs for all to improve living standards, providing sustainable economic growth
<b>3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING</b> 	To ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages	<b>9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE</b> 	Generating employment and income through innovation
<b>4 QUALITY EDUCATION</b> 	Inclusive education to enable upward social mobility and end poverty	<b>13 CLIMATE ACTION</b> 	Regulating and reducing emissions and promoting renewable energy

### 1.1.1: A snapshot of the GSF Strategy:



## 1.2: Board growth from 4 to 6 members

### MEET OUR NEW BOARD MEMBERS!



**Ms. Mabel Ndawula,  
MBA, PMP, B.STAT**

Mabel holds an MBA from Edinburgh Business School, Herriot-Watt University; a Bachelors Degree in Statistics (B.Stat) from Makerere University; is a certified members of the Gordon Institute of Business Science; a member of the Project Management Institute and ACCA.

She is a business leader with keen interest in strategy and leadership. She has over 21 years of experience (including 8 years as a consulting Director with Deloitte Africa), working with national governments, international aid development partners, non-governmental organisations (NGOs), Civil Society and private sector organisations.

Mabel brings with her strong interpersonal and leadership skills, built through leading multi-functional international teams in the delivery of complex strategic and transformational projects and programs for a wide range of clients in different sectors. She aspires to be a leaders who inspires new thinking and brings the best of out of people!



**Ms. Irene V. Nagitta,  
LLM, LLB, PGD - Legal Practice**

Irene holds a Master's degree in Cybersecurity Law (LLM) from George Washington University Law School, a Bachelor of Laws (LLB) from Makerere University, a Post Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice and a Certificate in risk management by the East African Institute of Bankers, Nairobi.

She is a Christian Ugandan lawyer with 20+ years of experience in diverse areas of law, focusing on Commercial and Corporate Law and advisory Services. Irene has worked in international organization including the United Nations Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights in Geneva; Public Organisations like Uganda Investment Authority; Private Sector firms like DFCU Bank Ltd and has also operated a law firm.

Irene is passionate about development, especially empowering women to build strong communities and create sustainable development in African countries. Through the Uganda Law Society Legal Aid projects, Irene has been involved in Pro-bono services targeting development through legal sensitization.

*Revealing the heart of God for the vulnerable!*

## 2.0

## Summary of 2024 progress against the Plan

No	ACTIVITY	PERIOD												STATUS
		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	
1.	Finalize amendment of the operational permit to have National Coverage													Green
2.	Submit annual reports to the NGO Bureau & the District													Green
3.	Filing Annual returns for financial year 2023/2024													Green
4.	Annual Audit for 2023													Green
5.	Paying tuition/fees for beneficiaries													Green
6.	Renewal of Data Protection Certificate wef 26.04.2024													Green
7.	Hold quarterly Board Meetings													Green
8.	Monitoring visits to GSF beneficiaries													Green
9.	Sign MOU with Wakiso District													Yellow
10.	Sign MoU with Kamuli District													Green
11.	Sign MoU with Madi-Okollo District													Green
12.	Motivational talks in schools (climate change, career guidance)													Green
13.	Identification, selection and enrolling of new beneficiaries for Education Aid													Green
14.	Elderly Person' Social Event – EPSE													Green
15.	Day of the African Child													Green
16.	Participate in meetings organised by the Katabi CSO Network													Yellow
17.	Fundraising activities / events													Green
18.	International Day of Older Persons													Red
19.	International Day of the Girl Child													Red
20.	16 Days of Activism against Gender Based Violence													Green
21.	International World Aids Day													Green

## 2.1: Review of the Operational Permit by the NGO Bureau

The NGO Bureau approved and granted GSF a permit to operate country wide, as opposed to operating only in Wakiso District. The revised permit was issued on 22nd January 2024 and will expire on 21st January 2028. The revised permit has enabled GSF to sign MoUs with Kamuli and Madi Okollo Districts.

**FORM E**

Permit Number: **9470**

INDP0005481NB

Regulation form 7(5)

**THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA**  
**THE NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATIONS ACT, 2016**

**PERMIT TO OPERATE AN ORGANISATION**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that **GOOD SHED FOUNDATION** (An Indigenous NGO) of File MIA/NB/2023/01/5481  
**P. O. BOX 700465 ENTEBBE, PLOT 224, KABAALE-BUNONO, KANISA CELL, KABAALE WARD, KATABI TOWN COUNCIL, WAKISO DISTRICT.** has this ..... **22ND** day of ..... **JANUARY** ..... **2024** been issued with a permit to operate in Uganda under the Non-Governmental Organisations Act.

This permit is subject to the following conditions-

(a) The Organisation shall carry out its activities in the fields of building the characters and welfare of vulnerable children, developing individual talents of beneficiaries and community targeted groups, setting up health facilities and supporting education Institutions and promoting income-generating activities.

(b) The organisation shall operate Countrywide.

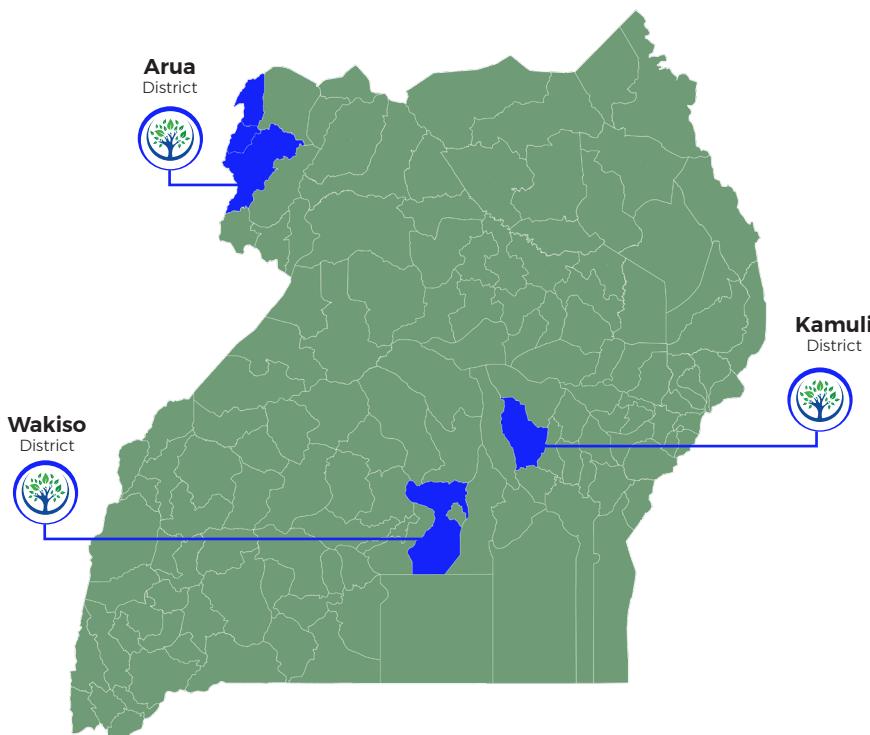
(c) The Organisation shall operate in accordance with the NGO Act, 2016, NGO Regulations, 2017 and all other laws relevant to its operations.

48 Months

This permit shall be valid for ..... from the date of issue.

Okello Stephen  
Executive Director,  
National Bureau for Non-Governmental Organisations

### 2.1.1: Map of Uganda showing GSF coverage



## 2.2: Annual renewal of the Personal Data Protection Certificate (PDPO)

The GSF Personal Data Protection Certificate No. PDPO - 202304 - 1975 expired on 26th April 2024 and was renewed for one year.

Regulation 19(2)  
FORM 4

Personal  
DATA  
Protection  
OFFICE



CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION

I CERTIFY THAT

**GOOD SHED FOUNDATION INTERNATIONAL LTD**

has this day been registered as  
**a data collector/data processor/data controller** under  
the Data Protection and Privacy Act, 2019 under the following

PDPO-202304-1975

registration number .....

This certificate is valid for twelve months from the date of issue.

Dated this **27<sup>th</sup>** day of **April**, the year **2023**

  
National Personal Data Protection Director

This certificate shall remain in force unless revoked by the Personal Data Protection Office

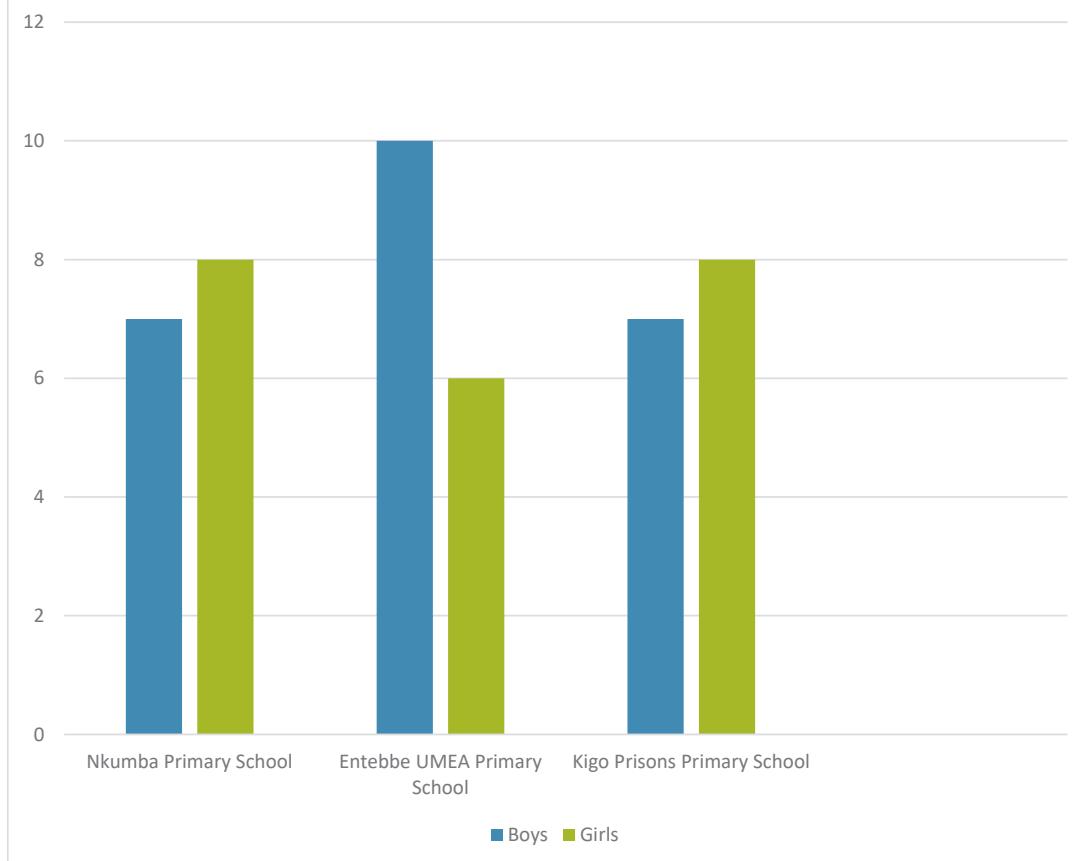
### 2.3: Education Aid Programme - EAP

The number of beneficiaries on the EAP grew from 40 in 2023 to 46 in 2024. All beneficiaries are in Wakiso District and spread out in three Primary Schools namely Kigo Prisons Primary School; Entebbe UMEA Primary School and Nkumba Primary School.

In our efforts to balance the gender equation, we have ensured that 52% of the beneficiaries are boys, while 48% are girls.

The total number of beneficiaries at Nkumba Primary School is 15, while at Entebbe UMEA Primary School, the beneficiaries are 16 and at Kigo Prisons Primary School they are 15.

2.3.1: Chart showing EAP beneficiaries by gender



## 2.4: Partnership with Kamuli District

On 18th April 2024, GSF signed a Memorandum of Understanding with Kamuli District Local Government. The District Community Development Officer, Mr. Merewoma Leo and the Chief Administrative Officer were and still are very supportive and professional in their interactions with GSF.

## 2.5: Partnership with Bwase Primary School in Kamuli

GSF identified Bwase Primary School in Balawoli, as the school to partner with, given the dire need for support to ensure that the school is conducive for learners. Bwase Primary School is a community school with over 150 children who attend school regularly. The rest start a term and never complete it for reasons ranging from poverty, disinterest in studies, ignorance of parents, engaging the children in sugar cane plantations, etc.

GSF has made contact with the District Education Office with a view to having the school considered for inclusion on the list of Government aided schools. Currently, GSF has renovated the class room floors which were mere dust. The class rooms still lack doors and windows. There is need for proper toilets and a functional kitchen where the children can have meals prepared. The school does not have a library and some classes seat under a tree for insufficient classes.



Above: GSF staff pose for a photo with the headteacher of Bwase Primary School, Mr. Anthony Muyangu (3rd right), the LC1 Chairman, Mr. Kakande Milton and members of the school management committee. This was after signing the MoU on 18th July 2024.

## 2.6: Partnership with Madi Okollo District – MoU cover page



### MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

**MADOKORO DISTRICT LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

AND

**GOOD SHED FOUNDATION INTERNATIONAL**

**DURATION: FIVE YEARS (June 2024 to May 2029)**



Above: GSF Board and Madi Okollo District at the signing of the MoU on 4th August 2024

## 2.7: Partnership with Anyiribu & Jojoyi Primary Schools - Madi Okollo



Above: The GSF Board Chairman, Eng. Martin Roy Lukwago (3rd right) and Executive Director, Ms. Ruth Kato (2nd right) pose for a photo with the school management team at Anyiribu Primary School after signing the MoU. GSF Regional Manager for Madi Okollo, Ms. Dorothy Candiru (4th left) was part of the delegation.

On 14th August 2024, GSF signed a Memoranda of Understanding with both Anyiribu Primary School and Jojoyi Primary School, with a view to partnering and restoring the lost glory of the historical schools.

Anyiribu & Jojoyi Primary Schools are two of the oldest schools in the region and used to perform very well in the 70s and 80s. Lately, there has been a drop in performance for various reasons. School challenges include;

- Parents not taking responsibility for their children' education. There is need for sensitization of the caregivers.
- No food/meals served at school
- Lack of scholastic materials for most of the learners.
- Many girls drop out for lack of menstrual materials.

Teachers also need to be motivated to work even with minimal pay.

## 2.8: External Audit for the year ended 31st December 2023

The Board meeting of the 4th quarter of 2023 approved retention of KSK Associates as external auditors for GSF for 4 years. GSF got an unqualified opinion from KSK Associates for the audited period.

Further to external audit of the year ended 31st December 2023, the auditors carried out audits for the periods below;

1st January 2020 – 31st December 2020,  
1st January 2021 – 31st December 2021,  
1st January 2022 – 31st December 2022.



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**RE: INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT  
 TO THE MEMBERS OF GOOD SHED FOUNDATION INTERNATIONAL LIMITED**

**Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Good Shed Foundation International Limited which comprise of the Statement of Receipts and Payments for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023 and the Statement of Fund Balance as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023 as well as a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes.

In our opinion, proper books of accounts have been kept and the accompanying financial statements presented fairly, in all material respects, the state of the financial position of Good Shed Foundation International Limited as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023 and of its financial performance for the year ended in accordance with the Modified Accrual Basis which is in line with the Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAPs) as required by Non- Governmental Organizations Act, 2016 and the Companies' Act No. 1 of 2012.

**Basis of opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISA). We are independent of Good Shed Foundation International Limited in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Uganda, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

**Key Audit matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. There were no significant matters that were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole.

**Respective responsibilities of Management and Auditors**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the Modified Accrual Basis which is in line with the Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAPs) as required by Non- Governmental Organizations Act, 2016 and

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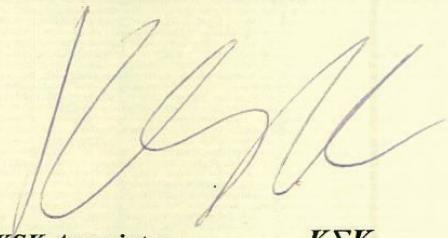
the Companies' Act. This responsibility includes: describing, implementing and maintaining internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, selecting and applying appropriate accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISA).

**Report on other legal and regulatory requirements**

As required by the Companies Act, 2012, we report to you based on our audit, that:

1. We have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit;
2. In our opinion, proper books of account have been kept by the Company so far as appears from our examination of those books; and
3. The Company's statement of fund balance and statement of receipts and payments are in agreement with the books of account.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is CPA Stephen Kasenge, Practicing No. P0091, Certificate No. F350/24.



*KSK Associates*

**KΣK**

Certified Public Accountant

*17 May* 2024

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## 2.9: Enhanced Governance through quarterly Board meetings & the Annual General Meeting

The GSF Board has been very instrumental in providing strategic over-sight regarding operations of the organization. All Board members are offering a voluntary service, which is commendable. They have offered their skills also in development of key organization documents like the 10-year strategy.

The quarterly Board meetings were held on the dates below;

- 15th March 2024 for Q1
- 26th June 2024 for Q2
- 25th September for Q3
- 19th December for Q4

The Annual General Meeting, being the overall governing body of GSF, sat on 30th December 2024 and minutes are on file.



Above: One of the GSF Board meetings in session.

## 2.10: The Elderly Persons Social Event - EPSE 2024

The Elderly Persons Social Event (EPSE) held in Bwase, Kamuli District on 27th December 2024, was born out of our observation at home visits to the beneficiary children. We found that most of the vulnerable children are being cared for by grand-parents, who are also extremely vulnerable. Their main problems in addition to poverty are joint pains, lack of sufficient food and basic needs, deplorable sleeping conditions, lack of access to clean water, medical care etc.

GSF has reached out to the vulnerable elderly persons through annual EPSE for two years now and it is an annual event where the elderly are given a medical check-up, counselling and basic supplies like sugar, soap etc. We have also discovered that for most of them, loneliness is a major problem. They look forward to EPSE because they get to inter-act with fellow "Jajjas" and share experiences over a meal.



Above: Pictures of the EPSE held in Kamuli District on 27th December 2024

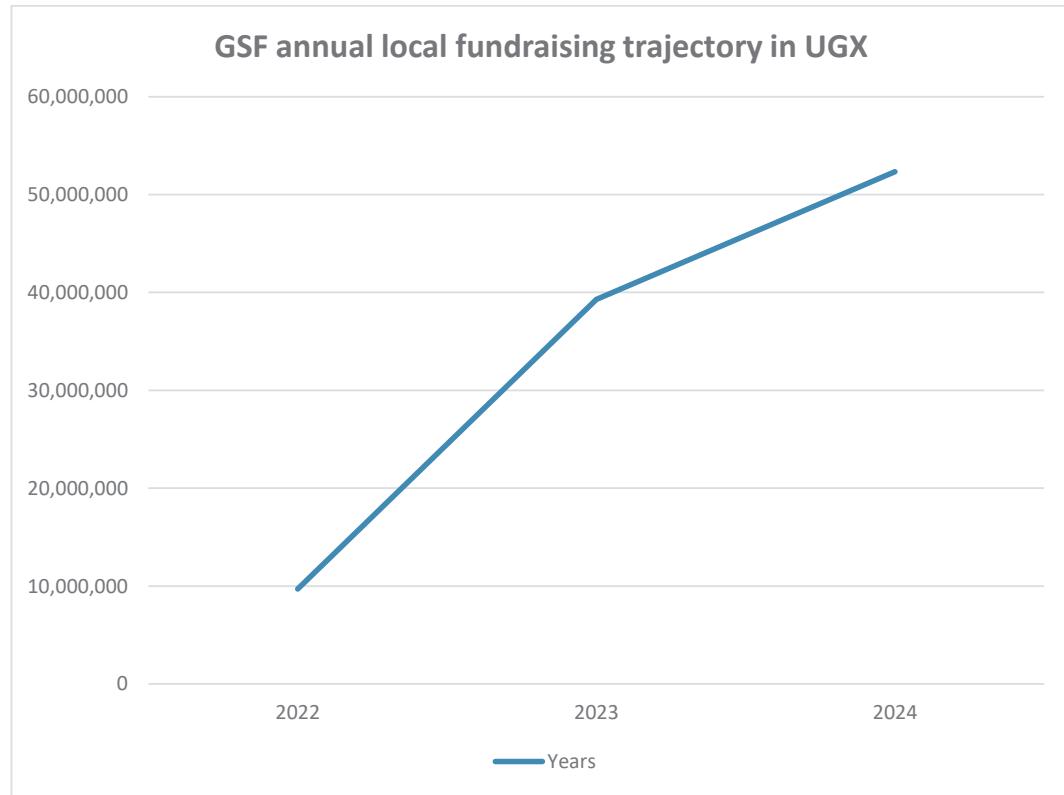
## 2.11: Communication and visibility

The GSF Social media handles have been busy this year. These include LinkedIn, X, Instagram and Facebook. In addition to social media handles, the GSF website, [www.goodshedfoundation.org](http://www.goodshedfoundation.org) continues to give our partners updates on what GSF is doing.

## 2.12: Local Fundraising

Compared to 2023 where local fundraising raised UGX 39,000,000 (Uganda Shillings Thirty Nine Millions only), in 2024, UGX 52,339,330 has been raised. We are happy to report that Ugandans have increasingly supported the work of GSF, with all the donations coming from generous individuals who have believed in our work for children and communities.

To complement our local fundraising efforts, we plan to solicit grants that are in line with our interventions, but this was slowed down by the requirement for at least 3 external audit reports, which we have now. We look forward to successful application for grant financing starting next year.



## 2.13: GSF first anniversary

The GSF first anniversary celebrations were held at UMA Show Ground's Madvhani Hall on Friday 1st November 2024. The event was colorful, with an impressive turn-up of GSF friends. The Guest of honor, Mr. Samuel Ntulume – CEO of I&M Bank, in his remarks, asked the guests to continue supporting the work of GSF because "...GSF is an accountable partner whose work is already impacting the communities where they operate..."

The Board Chairman, Eng. Martin Roy Lukwago, thanked the guests who turned up for the event and paid to attend the celebration. On her part, the Executive Director, Ms. Ruth Kato, shared a presentation on the progress of GSF in the last one year, in a bid to ensure that the partners are given accountability for their donations.

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## 2.14: Participation in Civil Society Organisations (CSO) events

GSF participated in the Northern Uganda Civil Society Organisations (CSO) convention held in Arua City from 19 – 21st November 2024. Ms. Dorothy Candiru, the GSF Regional Manager for Madi Okollo represented GSF at the convention that was hosted by the West Nile Civil Society Network, supported by GiZ and brought together key actors in the CSO space in Northern Uganda.

The convention was held at Hotel Le Continental in Arua City and the theme was “Together for Change: Enhancing the Compliance and Sustainability of Civil Society Organizations in Northern Uganda.”



GSF Ms. Dorothy Candiru, (first left) with other CSO representatives at the convention.

### Objectives of the Northern Uganda CSO Convention;

- To encourage peer learning and knowledge sharing on best practices amongst the CSO actors. Topics of discussion included compliance and regulatory engagement, financial and institutional sustainability, refugee response management and results-based programming.
- To promote engagement between civil society organizations across the Northern region of Uganda.
- To explore opportunities for financial sustainability in case of failure to receive donor funding. Civil Society Organizations need to find alternative ways of running and sustaining activities.
- To address cross cutting issues. A case in point was West Nile and Acholi which are refugee hosting regions and hence need to forge a way forward on how they can co-exist, use scarce resources to run activities and manage Civil Society Organizations in these regions.

- To create an opportunity for civil society organizations, regulatory authorities and other government entities to engage in dialogue on complementary and supportive regulations of the civil society sector.

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE CSO CONVENTION:**

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) were encouraged to adapt the revised edition of the Non-Government Organization Act in running their activities. Participating CSOs were also advised to ensure the following;

- Formation of a strong Non-Government Organization network.
- Have open and regular communications through meetings, seminars, workshops, conventions and conferences.
- Employ compliance officers to handle compliance related issues with the Non-Government Organization Bureau (NGO Bureau), Uganda Revenue Authority (URA), National Social Security Fund (NSSF), Uganda Registration Services Bureau (URSB) etc
- Comply with operation procedures of NGO Bureau, URA, URSB and NSSF.
- Acquaint themselves with amended laws like the NGO Act, NGO Regulation 2017
- Have consultation on NGO Policy and NGO Act regularly.
- Prioritize capacity building of their staff; get the right people as board members, advisers and staff to move forward.
- Build consortiums and address their issues jointly was discussed.
- Start income generating activities to overcome challenges of funding. Carry out research on various income generating activities that they would venture in, to supplement subscriptions, donations etc
- Access existing financial assistance from banks such as Centenary Rural Development Bank (CERUDEB) among others.
- Pursue social enterprise and to be registered separately from civil society organization so as to operate them concurrently as a hybrid.
- File returns -file reports once a year to the district.
- Intentionally promote gender equality to enhance inclusive decision making in their organizations.
- Deal with the youth and bring them in line through case study, do studies on their levels of frustrations and train them on better life skills.
- Befriend newly transferred officers in the districts like Resident District Commissioners, Assistant RDCs, and Resident City Commissioners to be known by them.
- Declare their interventions clearly to the district to avoid issues un-met arising from high expectations.
- Take advantage of platform of twining with Local Government (LG) to complement each other's roles. Understand the LG system, both political and technical wings.
- Have clear work plans and budgets to be shared with District local authorities.
- Be results-oriented, have evidence of record of work done in form of filed reports.

## 2.15: Advocacy

GSF participated in the formulation of the ordinance to end Child Marriages and Child Pregnancies in Kamuli District.



On 21st May 2024, Ms. Rebecca Kizito (seated 2nd left) represented GSF at the deliberations on the ordinance to end early child marriages in Kamuli District. The series of meetings attended by CSO actors in Kamuli District culminated into the ordinance being passed by the Kamuli District Council and GSF participated to the end of the meetings upto the passing. The process took over 7 years from the first attempt to pass the ordinance. It was finally cleared by the Solicitor General in 2024 and subsequently passed by Council in Kamuli. This is a milestone for the CSOs operating in Kamuli District, particularly those fighting for the rights of the children.

## 2.16: Challenges faced in the Reporting Period

**MoU with Wakiso District:** The MoU between GSF and Wakiso District Local Government was first drafted in 2023 when the NGO Bureau granted the NGO registration. The registration at NGO Bureau level was granted, partly because the District recommended GSF as one of the CSOs working in the District. This was after the CDO visited the GSF offices in 2022 and compiled a report recommending GSF for NGO status. Since then, GSF has operated in Wakiso District without an MoU because the process of getting it signed at District level has taken too long.

After a lot of back and forth with the District Community Development Officer (DCDO) and assurance that the MoU was in order, we were informed by the Deputy

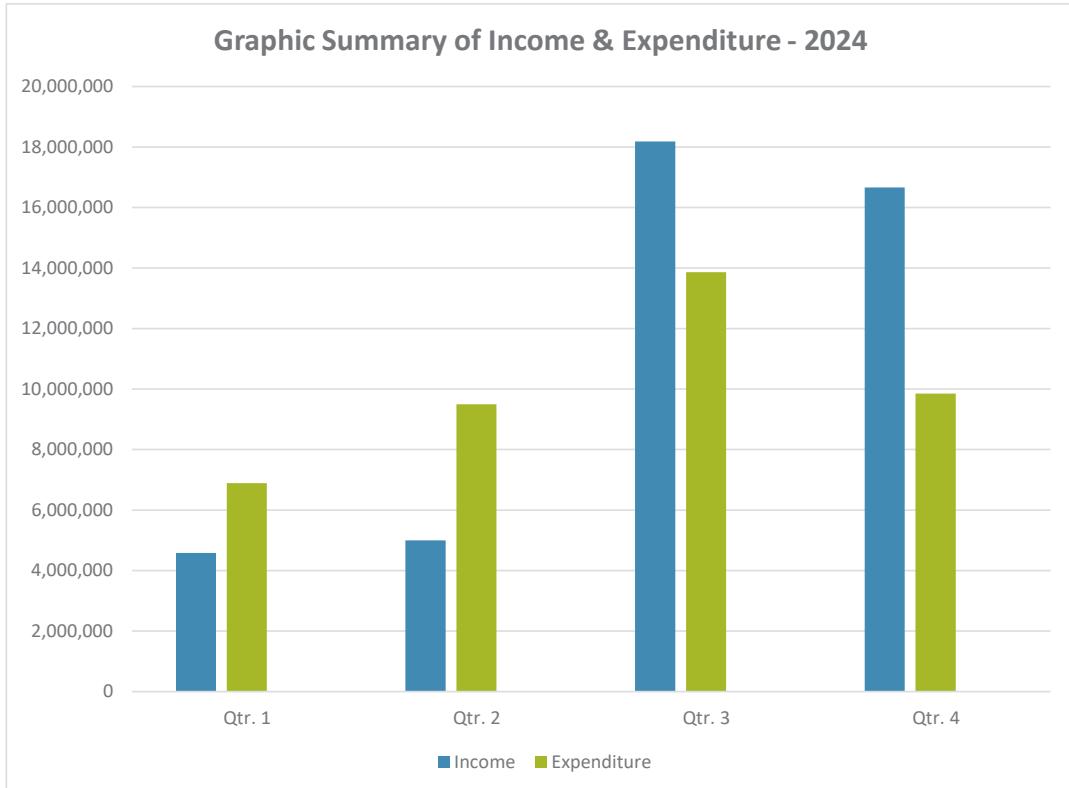
CAO in September 2024 that it had been signed. On follow up with the DCDO, he said he had misplaced it and that we would have to re-submit it. GSF has written a formal complaint to the CAO about this and we hope to receive a response within the first quarter of 2025.

**Tax exemption:** GSF officially requested for Tax Exemption from Uganda Revenue Authority and were advised to submit audit reports for the last 3 years, which has been done. We are expecting feedback within the first quarter of 2025.

## 2.17: Summary Record of Expenditure (RoE)

2024 Quarterly comparison

Period	Donations	Expenses
<b>Q 1</b> (Jan – March)	4,584,330	6,891,000
<b>Q 2</b> (April – June)	5,100,000	9,606,000
<b>Q 3</b> (July – Sept)	17,450,000	13,866,000
<b>Q 4</b> (Oct – Dec)	25,205,000	15,034,500
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>52,339,330</b>	<b>45,397,500</b>



## 3.0

# Summary of the 2025 plan

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	WHAT	WHEN											
		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
1	Design and implement the Volunteer Recruitment and Retention Plan	■	■	■									
2	Develop the GSF comprehensive Operations Manual					■	■	■					
3	Assess and enroll beneficiaries for the Education Aid programme in Madi Okollo and Kamuli	■	■										
4	Prepare the narrative and financial reports for the year ending 31 <sup>st</sup> December 2024	■											
5	Prepare the annual work plan and budget for 2025, aligned to the Strategic Plan.	■											
6	Pay tuition for 86 beneficiaries on the Education Aid Programme - EAP		■			■	■			■			
7	Ensure external audit for the year ending December 2024.			■	■	■							
8	File returns with URA and URSB	■							■	■			
9	Prepare and submit proposals for grant financing, with a target of USD 50,000			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	
10	Hold the quarterly Board meetings in March, June, September and December.				■				■		■		■
11	Pay annual network subscription fees for Wakiso District and Katabi NGO network	■											
12	Carry out mapping of CSOs working in Refugee hosting communities and form partnerships		■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	
13	Organise the EPSE in Kamuli, Madi Okollo and Wakiso Districts												■
14	Organise the annual Partners' dinner.										■		
15	Hold the Annual General Meeting												■
16	Renew the Personal Data Protection Certificate - PDPO					■							
17	Submit GSF reports to the three districts of operation							■					

## 4.0 Annexes

<b>Annex 1:</b>	Certificate of Registration
<b>Annex 2:</b>	Certificate from the Financial Intelligence Authority (FIA)
<b>Annex 3:</b>	Certificate of Incorporation
<b>Annex 4:</b>	How to give to GSF

**Annex 1:**

Registration Certificate issued by the NGO Bureau

Regulation form 5 (2)

**FORM B**

Registration Number: **6855**

INDR162135481NB

THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

THE NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATIONS ACT, 2016

*CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION*

I CERTIFY that:

GOOD SHED FOUNDATION INTERNATIONAL, (An Indigenous NGO) of File No. MIA/NBI/2023/01/5481  
P. O. BOX 700465, ENTEBE, PLOT 224, KABAALE-BUNONO, KANISA CELL, KABAALE WARD, KATABI TOWN COUNCIL, WAKISO DISTRICT.....  
..... has been registered with National Bureau for Non-Governmental Organisations.

Dated at Kampala, this **18TH** day of **JANUARY** **2023**

  
**Okello Stephen**  
.....  
Executive Director,  
National Bureau for Non-Governmental Organisations

## Annex 2:

Financial Intelligence Certificate from FIA

FIA-2023-00001711

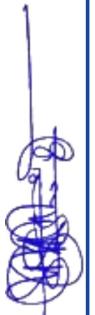


### THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

### CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION

This is to certify that **GOODSED FOUNDATION INTERNATIONAL LTD** has on this **6/8/2023** been duly registered with the **Financial Intelligence Authority**, pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of the Anti-Money Laundering Act, 2013 (as amended) and the Regulations made there under, and has been entered under the number **FIA-267** in the Register of Accountable Persons.

#### OFFICIAL FIA REPRESENTATIVE

<b>Printed Name of Signatory</b>	<b>Designation of Signatory</b>
Sydney Asubo	Executive Director
<b>Authorized Signature</b>	
	

**Annex 3:**

GSF Certificate of Incorporation

Certificate issued on: 28-01-2020 11:28 , No: BRS-INCC-6-20/73807



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THE COMPANIES ACT

Registration No: **800200002342642**

## Certificate of Incorporation

(Under section 18(3) of the Companies Act 2012)

I CERTIFY that **GOOD SHED FOUNDATION INTERNATIONAL LTD** (Limited by Guarantee) has this day been incorporated with Limited Liability.

Dated at Kampala, this 28th day of January the year 2020.

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Signature: **NASASIRA DANIEL**

Registrar of Companies

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## How to give to Good Shed Foundation:

### For AIRTEL Mobile Money;

- Dial \*185\*9#
- Enter Merchant ID: 4287397
- Enter Amount
- Enter Reference as:  
**Good Shed Foundation**
- Enter MM Pin



### For MTN Mobile Money;

- Dial \*165\*3#
- Enter Merchant Code: 190572
- Enter Amount
- Enter Reference as:  
**Good Shed Foundation**
- Enter MM Pin



### To pay into our BANK ACCOUNT:

**Bank:** Centenary Bank - Kawuku Branch  
**A/C. Name:** Good Shed Foundation International  
**UGX. A/C. No.** 3100092432  
**USD A/C No.** 3100099509  
**SWIFT CODE:** CERBUGKA

## Abbreviations:

B.S	Board Secretary
EAP	Education Aid Programme
EPSE	Elderly Persons Social Event
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CSO	Civil Society Organisations
DAC	Day of the African Child
E.D	Executive Director
FIA	Financial Intelligence Authority
GSF	Good Shed Foundation International
MoU	Memorandum of Understanding
MoMo	Mobile Money
NGO	Non-Government Organisation
PDPO	Personal Data Protection
RDC	Resident District Chairman
UGX	Uganda Shillings
USD	United States Dollars
UN	United Nations
VCCC	Volunteer Child Care Coordinator
VA	Volunteer Accountant
VAA	Volunteer Administrative Assistant
VFM	Volunteer Fundraising Manager
WAD	World Aids Day