



Suspicion of irregularity in relation to Karamoja Women Umbrella Organisation activities in Uganda

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Reference is made to the previous report dated 30 April 2026 regarding suspicions of irregularity on a grant to Karamoja Women Umbrella Organisation (KAWUO). The Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA) provides support for KAWUO in a multidonor partnership with the Embassy of Ireland, Embassy of Netherlands, and the Embassy of Sweden. The project runs from 1 April 2024 to 31 December 2027. The total project grant is DKK 7,153,398, and so far, DKK 3,860,295 has been disbursed, of which DKK 1,273,897 is the share of the Danish funds, and the remaining is delegated funds from the above mentioned co-donors.

In February 2026, the Royal Danish Embassy in Kampala (RDE) carried out a routine partner monitoring visit which included a spot check on vouchers regarding per diems. Findings from the spot check indicated that funds had been spent on per diems for activities not agreed upon in the grant agreement. The total ineligible amount is DKK 3,392 of which DKK 1,120 is the Danish share.

The results of the monitoring visit were shared with the partner. The partner carried out an internal verification of the findings and accepted the ineligibility of the costs. The partner refunded the funds to the project account.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs thus regards the case as closed without loss of Danish funds.