

ANNEX 8

Briefing Note

16th RUFORUM Annual General Meeting

20th November 2020

BUSINESS FROM THE BOARD: ADMISSION OF NEW MEMBER UNIVERSITIES

RUFORUM Secretariat continues to receive applications from Universities across Africa for membership of RUFORUM. During the year, RUFORUM Secretariat received applications from three universities to join the RUFORUM Network. After due diligence by the Secretariat, admission of the following Universities was endorsed by the 20th Board Executive Committee meeting. Subsequently, the Board Meeting of 11th November 2020 considered and recommended that two of the applicant Universities be admitted as Full Member Universities of RUFORUM while one be admitted as Associate Member University because it currently offers only undergraduate training programmes.

Region	Country	No	University	City/ Location	Year of Establishment	Membership Status	Category
East Africa	Ethiopia	1	Wollo University	Dessie	2005	Full	Public
West Africa	Ghana	2	Takoradi Technical University	Sekondi-Takoradi	1954	Full	Public
East Africa	Somalia	3	Nugaal University	Laascaanood	2004	Associate	Public

Action requested from the Annual General Meeting

The AGM is requested to ratify the recommendation by the Board to admit the three applicant universities as members of RUFORUM.