## The Project for the Construction of a Girls' Dormitory for Mutanywana Secondary School in Kasese District

## 1. Project Detail

| Organization                      | Mutanywana Secondary School   |
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| Amount of funding                 | US\$ 108,703  |
| Signatory                         | Mr. Mugenyi Joshua, Head Teacher  |
| Name of the project               | The Project for the Construction of a Girls' Dormitory for Mutanywana Secondary School in Kasese District |
| Location of the project           | Kasese District   |
| Items funded through this project | Construction of a girls' dormitory and procurement of furniture (beds, mattresses and shelves)            |
| Date of Grant Signing             | 2 December 2014   |

Mutanywana Secondary School, founded in 1981, is located in Kyarumba Sub-County, Kasese District, and has 37 teachers, 235 girl students and 404 boy students. Although the school's existing girls' dormitory can accommodate only 80 students, it is now overcrowded with 98 girl students. In addition, many other girls students wish to use the dormitory since girl students, who have to commute for a long distance, are exposed to many risks to and from school. This has led to the higher dropout rate of girl students, compared to that of boy students. This project will construct a new girls' dormitory where 178 girl students can be accommodated, which will free them from the risks they are exposed during commuting and greatly improve their learning environment.

## 2. Grant Contract Ceremony

The Ambassador of Japan to Uganda, H. E. Junzo Fujita, has signed the grant contract with Mr. Mugenyi Joshua, Head Teacher of Mutanywana Secondary School, on 2 December 2014 at the Embassy of Japan.