

**THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA**

**IN THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT AT KAMPALA**

*{Coram: Buteera, DCJ, Bamugemereire, Kibeedi, Mulyagonja & Mugenyi,  
JJCC}*

5 **CONSTITUTIONAL PETITION NO. 23 OF 2015**

1. LEGAL BRAINS TRUST (LBT) LTD }  
2. SIMON KAGGWA-NJALA } ..... PETITIONERS  
3. SULAIMAN KAKAIRE }

10 **VERSUS**

**ATTORNEY GENERAL.....RESPONDENT**

15 **JUDGMENT OF IRENE MULYAGONJA, JCC**

This petition was brought under Article 137 (3) of the Constitution of the Republic of Uganda 1995. The petitioners alleged that rule 153(2) of the Rules of Procedure of the Parliament of Uganda, 2012, now rule 165 (2) of the Rules of Procedure of the 11<sup>th</sup> Parliament, is inconsistent with and/or  
20 in contravention of Articles 8A (1), 79 (3), 29 (1) (a), 38 (1), 41 (1) and 43 (2) (c) of the Constitution of the Republic of Uganda.

The grounds of the petition were that:

- 25 a) The promotion of transparency and accountability in all organs of the state by providing the public with timely, accessible and accurate information is demonstrably not among the purposes of the impugned rule, and to that extent the impugned rule contravenes Article 8A (1) of the Constitution;

