

# GRACE NYAWEDA EMPOWERMENT FOUNDATION (GNEF)

## Governance & Application Framework

Founder & Patron: Grace Lorna Mori (Nyaweda) (1928-2024)

### 1. Governance Overview

GNEF is governed through clear oversight and documented processes to ensure transparency, accountability, and responsible stewardship of resources.

### 2. Board Structure

Patron	Grace Mori
Chair	Alice Ligunya
Vice Chair	Clement Oindo
Secretary	Lillian Mori
Treasurer	Perez Akinyi

Other Board Members:

- Felix Odongo
- Philemon Obenge
- Grace Adhola

### 3. Scholarship Application Framework

- Eligibility: Orphaned and/or vulnerable students with demonstrated financial need and excellent grades.
- Review: Applications are received, recorded, and assessed by the Scholarship Committee.
- Approval: The Committee submits recommendations to the Board for ratification.


### 4. Women's Economic Empowerment Framework

- Review: Applications are assessed by the relevant programme committee against agreed criteria.
- Verification: Proposals are checked (as appropriate) to confirm feasibility and need.
- Disbursement & monitoring: Funds are documented, and follow-up is conducted to track progress and utilisation.

### 5. Transparency and Accountability

- All applications, reviews, and decisions are documented and securely archived.
- Funding approvals are recorded and remain subject to Board oversight.
- Monitoring notes are maintained to support accountability and learning.

### Board Approval

Approved by:	_____ Lillian Mori _____
Position:	_____ Secretary _____
Signature:	_____  _____
Date:	_____ 26/2/2029 _____