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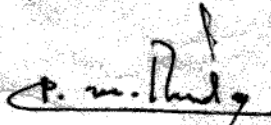
## DIOCESAN DECREE

Approving the use of the Luo New Testament translation  
in our Diocesan territory of Wau

I, the undersigned, **Bishop Rudolf Deng Majak**, by the grace of God and favor of the Apostolic See of Rome, Bishop of Wau, Sudan --having authorized the translation in the Luo language of the said New Testament according to the canons of our Holy Roman Catholic Church and having found the contents, the form and the translation of the Sacred text in line with the teachings of the living Magisterium of the Church-- hereby **approve the use of the Luo New Testament, for Pastoral purposes, by all the communities within the territory of our diocese of Wau.**

May all who proclaim and listen to God's Word, spoken in the Luo language, find inspiration, light, solace and strength to grow in the knowledge, love and service of the Incarnate Word of God, Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior.

With my apostolic blessing,

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+H.L. *Bishop Rudolf Deng Majak*  
Bishop of Wau

