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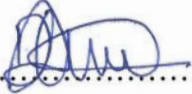
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I do dedicate this report to my parents: Mr. ODIET ALEX and Mrs. ASIBO MARGARET for having supported me financially throughout my entire education.

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May the Almighty God Bless You Abundantly?

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ABBREVIATIONS

OWC	Operation Wealth Creation
PPRv	Peste des petits ruminants' virus
CCPP	Contagious Caprine pleura pneumonia
ECF	East cast fever
CBPP	Contagious bovine pleura pneumonia
DDA	Dairy Development Authority
NCD	Newcastle disease
MAAIF	Ministry Agriculture, Animal Industry and Fisheries
NUSAF	Northern Uganda Social Action Fund
S/C	Sub-County
DVO	District Veterinary Officer
SVO	Senior Veterinary Officer
AHO	Animal Husbandry Office
I/M	Intramuscular
MI	Milliliters
Kg	kilograms
DAP	Diploma in Animal Production
P D	Pregnancy Diagnosis
PPR	Peste des petits ruminants

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ABSTRACT

The industrial training was carried out at Soroti veterinary office in Soroti district local government starting from 21st may to 25th July 2018 for a period of 10 weeks. This industrial report details out information on the background, location, economy, climate, vegetation, ethnicity, administration and the organization structure of the organization. It also describes the activities carried out during the internship in three sections of; Office, Field and Abattoir. In the office, I attended and guided farmers on animal management and Vaccination of dogs. In the abattoir value addition and public health (Meat inspection) methods were done that included; observation, palpation and incision and this aimed to ensure public consumption of healthy meat and prevention of the spread of zoonotic diseases. In the field, we diagnosed and treated various diseases both in animal and poultry birds that include E.C.F, Anaplasmosis, and Pullorum, tick fever ,vaccination of NCD, Gumboro, CCPP, CBPP, PPR, and Rabies all were done. We also engaged in management practices like sanitation, ear tagging to ease identification, spraying to control external parasites, deworming to control internal parasites, A.I to improve on the breeds, construction of slated house, Silage making, farmer visits and training farmers on animal management under OWC and NUSAF3 to improve on production. However, I gained skills on disease diagnosis, treatment, addressing public problems as in relation to management of animals but some challenges were also encountered and so this has prompted me to come up with some recommendations and conclusions to address the problems the veterinary department is fa

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CHAPTER ONE

1.1 Introduction

I carried my internship from Soroti Veterinary Office starting from 25 May to 27 July.

The training took 10 weeks from the District Production Department under Local Government and also deals with the aspects of animal [livestock]. The activities were carried out from the field, office according to the work plan designed by the field supervisor on the day of reporting.

The work plan is designed in 3 areas: first, office work, abattoir and field and each student participated in the 3 activities.

1.3 Location

Soroti District Veterinary Office is located in Soroti District, Soroti Municipality, Eastern Uganda, opposite Soroti sport ground.

Historical background.

The growth of Soroti dates as far back as 1994 when the district commissioner

Of Mable sent Kakungulu to open same administrative unit in Serere Gweri and Soroti areas.

Part of Kakungulu's team camped near the rock at Soroti and settled there.

The choice of the site as a camping station was probably influenced by availability of drinking water from the nearby stream and the fact that the rock had advantages on matters of defense for the settlers from local inhabitants around. Under the organized rule of Kakungulu's men, the local inhabitants were forced to clear the forest and within a few days years a large area had been cleared and considerable amount of settlement had taken place.

Thatched houses for administrative purposes of Soroti County

Were stands and dispensaries in temporary materials stood at the site of present Soroti hospital?