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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

PRDP	Peace Recovery and Development Plan
EG	Example
IE	That is to say
SSP	Single Super Phosphate
M&E -	Monitoring and Evaluation
FAO	Food and Agricultural Organisation
KDLG	kaabong district local government
PO	Project Officer
NGO	Non Governmental Organisation
UNFA	Uganda National Farmers Association
NAADS	National Agricultural Advisory Services
MAAIF	Ministry Of Agriculture, Animal Industry And Fisheries
OPM	Office Of The Prime Minister
NUSAF	Northern Uganda Social Fund
OWC	Operation Wealth Creation
DFA	District Farmers Association
IPM	Integrated Pest Managment
LWF	Lutheran World Federation
PHE	Pesticide Use, Health and Environment
DGAL	Directorate Of Analytical Laboratory
OPV	Open Polinated Variety
KACRO	karamojong Cultural Development Organisation
ODUWOL	Organisation for Development of Women
DFO	District Forestry Officer

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ABSTRACT

This report covers all the activities of the internship program carried out at Kaabong District local government (KDLG). The main objective of this program was majorly tailored at the partial fulfilment of the course requirements as well as for transformation of the theoretical knowledge learnt from class into field practice. This program was initiated with orientation meeting and departmental integration of intern students and the major areas of learning included; participatory community animal and crop health service which encompassed Deworming and Disaster mitigation through dissemination of knowledge on agronomy of vegetables and sunflower basically organic farming and training of village actors on emergency response and environmental conservation. As a trainee this has greatly inspired my career development and fostered my interpersonal relations and it has instilled a motivate of being part of a small dynamic team towards community development through enhanced developed livelihood skills significant of rural innovative assertiveness to fill the rural vacuum as change agents to consolidate the future. During this attachment there were a number of limitations that barred this program ranging from detrimental weather and community understanding of extension to departmental constraints therefore participatory involvement of interns in policy regulation, programming and civic education is mandatory. The prevalence of a sustainable livelihood is a tactical desire for improved communities for better nutrition and household incomes, looking at the current state of the production and marketing department there is a great gap to be analyzed to consolidate the core pillars on efficient and effective service delivery, stake holding, and collaboration law enforcement and donor policy management.



CHAPTER ONE:

1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 HISTORICAL BACKGROUND OF ORGANISATION

Kaabong district local government (KDLG) Is an association of farmers in kaabong district, registered as local government is operated as a company limited by guarantee without share capital on 1JUNLY 2005 prior to the in cooperation ,KDLG had commenced operation in 2005 as the Kaabong branch of Uganda National Farmers' Association (UNFA) the then National Association for farmers and farmers group , in July 2005,UNFA'S supreme governance organ, the farmers council passed a resolution decentralising it's operation and making it the district branch autonomous entities,the branch was therefore incorporated as companies limited by guarantee without share capital, becoming district farmers association.UNFA kaabong branch became kaabong district farmers association (KDFA). The office is located at kampswalli road opposite main offices kaabong production and marketing office c/o box 63 kaabong . KDFA registered a modest growth in membership from 80 members in 2005 reaching 2,680 in 2009. The membership is made up of farmers families and farmers group,the majority of the membership is made up of farmers involve in crop production(65%),with live stock accounting for below(34%) and the remaining (1%) is for beekeepers

1.2 THE ORGANISATION STATEMENT

1.2.1 VISSION

Sustainable agricultural production for domestic consumption and income generation

1.2.2 MISSION

Empowering people (farmer) to increase production and productivity.

1.2.3 GOAL

Farmers adopt modern production methods and have access to technical advice and marketing.

1.2.4 OBJECTIVES OF THE ORGANIZATION

Technological transfer to improve agricultural productivity

Enhance farmers skills through advisory services

Provision of market information and market aid through rural information system(RIS).

Improvement on farmers income through agro-business development