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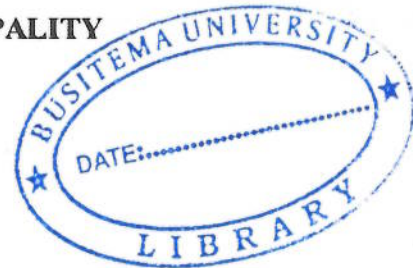
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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS.

DDA Dairy Development Authority.

ie. That is to say

eg. For example

Km. Kilometers

Kg. Kilogram

BUAC. Busitema University.

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ABSTRACT.

Iganga municipality farms are government farm with three main enterprises ie; dairy, poultry, and piggery. It is aimed at producing high quality and quantity milk, beef, pork, eggs, and chicken for the community.

The industrial training at Iganga municipality attempted to provide practical skills, field practice and experience to enhance the theoretical knowledge that is learnt in class. Therefore, my objectives were to acquaint myself with;

- The various animal husbandry practices and get hands on experience on animal welfare skills,
- The various breeds of dairy cattle, poultry, and pigs at Iganga municipality farms
- Animal diseases, their signs, symptoms, and treatment,
- Methods of pest control used by farmers in the three enterprises,
- Pasture management and preservation,
- Hatchery, piggery and poultry management and to practically get some knowledge on artificial insemination, multiple ovulation, embryo transfer and in vitro fertilization among others.

The training revealed that some of the theory taught in class slightly differs from what is practically done in the field, for example, very few welfare practices are applied in the field. The obvious ones that are observed include, providing shelter, food, treating animals, allowing animals to rest as well as proper restraint of animals during milking among others but when it comes to moving animals in races, welfare is not followed at all because animals are beaten badly and sometimes they even bleed.

The training also revealed that production and management in any enterprise are two different broad activities which must move hand in hand for any farm to get the expected profit or even more. Production and management require a lot of hard work, sacrifice, dedication and determination.

It is therefore recommended that more animal husbandry officers should be trained to guide and advise farmers who are facing hardships in production and management.

CHAPTER ONE;

1.0 INTRODUCTION

Iganga municipality farms is a municipality owned farm under the Ministry of Agriculture Animal Industry and Fisheries. These farms mainly operate in animal sector specializing on three main enterprises; poultry, piggery and dairy cattle.

1.1 BACKGROUND

Iganga municipality is found in Iganga district which is located in the Eastern region of Uganda which is surrounded by the following districts Namutumba, Kalilo, Jinja , Mayuge, Bugweli and Luuka

The farm in Iganga municipality was established in 1950's by the district community.

The institution produces agricultural products e.g. meat, milk and pure breeds of different exotic cattle like Friesians, Guernsey , Ayrshire , Jersey , Sahiwal , Brown Swiss , which are sold to the community around and across the country.

The institution also breeds Kuroiler chicken and Rainbow chicken to produce eggs and chicks for sale to the community around and to other farmers in the country at large.

It also trains students from different universities, communities, organizations and institutions dealing in animal management practices, so as to equip them with knowledge and skills in animal production and management. The aim is to improve on the livelihood and development of the nation as a whole in terms of agriculture.

1.3 MISSION

To establish a comprehensive and sustainable national animal breeding programme which meets the commercial and developmental interests of the actors along the livestock sub-sector value chains.