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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

BUAC	:	Busitema University Arapai Campus
DCP	:	Diploma in Crop Production and Management
EG	:	For Example
IT	:	Industrial Training
REG NO	:	Registration Number
SLM	:	Sustainable Land Management
CHO	:	Crop husbandry officer
CBT	:	Community based facilitator
CBB	:	Cassava Bacterial Blight
ETC	:	Among others
SACCOs	:	Saving and credit co-operation society

ABSTRACT.

Industrial training is the practical module under taken by students during their recess term and this basically to help students acquire more practical knowledge and skills from the field of their studies. The training was conducted at Kwapa Town Council located 7km North of Tororo Town in Tororo district. The training was carried out for a period of two months from 28/2/2022 to 22/04/2022 in various activities that included farm activities and community meeting. Kwapa Town Council started in 2020 after breaking away from Kwapa Sub-county. Its headquarters remained in the old Kwapa Sub-county. Its goals to empower families, community citizens and to embrace national values and actively participate in sustainable development, improve on the social infrastructure, increase on level of agricultural production and promote household food security and increase on the agricultural productivity by improved service delivery.

During the training, many activities were connected across the programs which include the following: horticulture, making organic manure and pesticides, community meeting, farm visits, establishment of demos, re-allocating poorly spaced mangoes, vaccination in poultry etc.

I gained practical skills on nursery bed management, making organic pesticides, fertilizer application and uses, vaccination in poultry, pest and disease control. However, there were few challenges I faced which include harsh climatic weather conditions like heavy rain, sunshine, shortage of enough laborers.

Although I faced the above challenges, I successfully completed my industrial training and numerous skills were gained. I recommend the farmers to increase on the labor force, the local government should consider improving the sub county as a matter of priority. I recommend the farmers to have a positive mind of farming as a business.

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CHAPTER ONE

1.0 Introduction to the Chapter

The industrial training report highlights the activities carried out during the two months of the field work from 28th /02/2022 to 22nd /04/2022. The field work exercise was mainly carried out at Kwapa town council, Tororo District Local Government where I gained a lot of knowledge and handled various aspects of crop production and management and life skills.

1.1 Objectives of the attachment.

- To challenge the mind of the student outside classroom routine.
- To enable student, combine practical work experience with academic analysis
- To get hands on practice with crop in form of treatment, Production and management.
- To lay a platform for future employment opportunities
- To compare class theory and field experience

1.2 Organization background for Kwapa Town Council

Kwapa town council started in 2020 after breaking off from Kwapa sub county. Its headquarters remained in the old Kwapa sub-county and Kwapa sub-county moved to Asinge Parish and Kalait and Morukebu formed Kalait sub-county. It comprises of three wards of Kwapa, Ochege, Apuwai.

The offices are near Kwapa trading centre located in Kanyakor hills, 7 km North of Tororo town. It borders Mukuju Sub County in the West, apatai sub-county in North, Kalait in the east and Kwapa sub- county. It is a lower local government which carries out functions as stipulated in the local government act. The town clerk is the head of the civil servants in the following units: management and support services, finance and planning, production and marketing, public health and community based services. It also receives relief rainfall from Mt Elgon range land. It has fairly fertile soils especially in the parts along Morukebu/Kalait hills and vegetation cover is very good tropical savannah with a range of pastures which are favorable for raising livestock.

1.3 Vision: To have a community which is free from disease, economically strong, educationally prosperous and living in a clean environment.

1.4 Mission: To serve the community through coordinated service delivery which addresses the national and local priorities and promotes sustainable development of the sub county.