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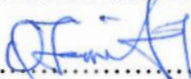
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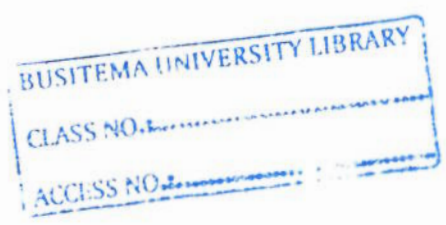
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DEDICATION

I dedicate this report work to my Almighty Creator for the strength and support he gave me during the time of my Industrial training, also to my Field supervisor Mr. Akera Eric, Field Training Officer Mr. Lokoru Benjamin, and all the staff of Sasakawa Africa Association, my fellow Intern students Ayopo Emmanuel and Olokojo Henry, my father Omuron Ceaser for the financial support they offered to me during the Industrial training.

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

SAA – Sasakawa Africa Association

SG2000 – Sasakawa Global 2000

MAAIF – Ministry of Agriculture Animal Industries and Fisheries

MLO – Market Link Officer

MEA – Monitoring and Evaluation Associate

FTO – Field Training Officer

NADIFA – Napak District Farmers Association

AHO – Animal Health Worker

CF – Community Facilitator

CHAW – Community Animal Health Worker

MQCAO – Market and Quality Control Assurance Officer

FOs – Farmer Organizations

FGs – Farmer Groups

FMD – Foot and Mouth Disease

PPR – Pentes Des Petits Ruminant

OTC – Oxytetracycline

e.g – for example

Dr. – Doctor

Mr. - Mister



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ABSTRACT

This report contains activities implemented, skills, knowledge gained, challenges faced during the Industrial training, conclusion and recommendations derived during the Industrial training. The objective of Industrial training is to make students to benefit from the knowledge and skills gained from the field, apply the knowledge they get from the classroom in the field and build confidence in the students. During Internship I was attached to the department of animal and crop production, this was followed by orientation where I was first introduced to the organization staff and later implemented the activities such as; vaccination, castration, production, post-harvest management practices, treating livestock, deworming, verification of FGs, spraying, identification of capable farmers to plant orange maize, distribution of orange maize, follow up of farmer business clinic clients, mobilization for bulking quality control and assurance. During internship I also faced some challenges like insecurity in the area, limited transport means of field work, poor turn up of farmers. In conclusion all the activities were implemented and Industrial training was carried out successfully and in the end I was able to gain a lot from it. I was in position of getting practical skills and knowledge in line with my course and relating with the farmers in the field. Much as all the activities were successfully done, there were also some challenges which hindered the smooth running of the activities.



CHAPTER ONE: INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background

SAA is a nonprofit making organization funded in 1986 by Dr. Norman Borloug, Mr. Ryoichi Sasakawa and former US president Jimmy Carter which used to be SG2000 works in close collaboration with national agriculture extension services in Ethiopia, Mali, Nigeria, and Uganda to support smallholder farmers along agriculture value chain. SAA aims to increase farmer's income and food nutrition security through linking smallholder farmers to markets and reducing post-harvest losses. Sasakawa envisions a more food-secure in rural Africa with increasing numbers of prospering smallholder commercial farmers. Its vision is to support Africa to fulfill its aspiration in building resilient and sustainable food systems and mission is to catalyze knowledge sharing with African farmers and enabling food nutrition and income security in their communities.

SAA was established in Uganda in 1996 and signed MoU with government through MAAIF. Collaborates with other key stakeholders to promote agricultural development. Over the past 23years SG2000 has operated in over 60 districts, built capacity for over 4000 extension agent and reached over 1000000 farmers households, SG2000 promotes technology for selected crop value chain with emphasis "farming has a family business" sustainably.