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# LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

CTM - CHIEF TRAINING MANAGER

IT - INDUSTRIAL TRAINING

LTD - LIMITED

KSL - KAKIRA SUGAR LIMITED

SHE - SAFETY, HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT

T.T.O - TECHNICAL TRAINING OFFICER

EG - FOR EXAMPLE

BUAC - BUSITEMA UNIVERSITY ARAPAI CAMPUS

NPK - NITROGEN PHOSPHOROUS AND POTASSIUM

MOP - MURATE OF POTASH

DAP - DIA-AMMONIUM PHOSPHATE

TSP - TRI-SUPER PHOSPHATE

RSD = RATOON STUNTING DESEASE



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#### ABSTRACT

Below are the summaries of the details in my report during my field attachment at kakira sugar limited.

This report covers a period between 21 May to 21 August 2018. In this report, there are four main units covered as follows diary, nuclear estate, agronomy, and horticulture where I actively participated and acquired skills and knowledge.

Under diary activities like milking, bucket feeding, general cleanliness, pasture management and parasite control. Section mainly concerned with Animal production, identification of animal diseases and diagnosis, maintenance of the farm, spraying of animals.

Nucleus estate deals with land preparation, planting of canes, sugar cane up keep fertilizer application, identification of pest and diseases as well as their diagnosis.

In agronomy activities included tiller counting, soil sampling, fertilizer analysis, in the laboratory cane maturity, among others which are mainly carried out in the Laboratory

Horticulture activities include ornamentals, vegetables production, composite making, lawn management and establishment.



### CHARPTER ONE

## 1.1 INTRODUCTION

Kakira sugar limited is Uganda's leading producer of mill white sugar. It was founded by the late muljibai prabhudas madhvani in 1920s as a private family business. It's the flag bearer of madhvani group of companies

### 1.2 BACKGROUND OF KAKIRA SUGAR LIMITED

Madhvani sugar estate [now kakira sugar limited] was first established in 1920 with the capacity of crushing 150 tons of cane per day. It was wholly and privately owned by the late muljibhai pradhudas who lived from 1899 to 1958. In 1972 the owner left the country due to political upheavals and the assets of kakira sugar limited were expropriated by the Uganda government and eventually ran down.

However, under a new government in 1985 a joint venture agreement vested the assets into kakira sugar works [1985] LTD.

The new company set out to establish a new plant and rehabilitate the sugarcane plantation and other infrastructure at the massive cost over 60million dollars borrowed from the World Bank, African development Bank and Uganda development Bank.

Currently ksl is 100% owned by East African holding limited and has been expanded in phases to the current capacity which includes a 52mw co-generation.

KSL comprises of agricultural land of about 10,000 hectares, a sugarcane plantation that produce over 179,172 tons of sugarcane during 2014 to 2015 crop season; and a 52mw power generation that supplies 36mw of its surplus power to the national grid. Sugarcane is produced in his estate, and also buys sugarcane from about 6800 Out grower farmers from their 25,400 hectares of cane. This makes it the largest sugarcane producer in Uganda. About 86% of the sugarcane milled in the 2014 to 2015 season was purchased from the Out growers. Ksl is socially responsible employer of over 7,500 people or employee.