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PRESIDENTIAL DEMONSTRATION FARM MAYUGE**



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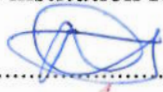
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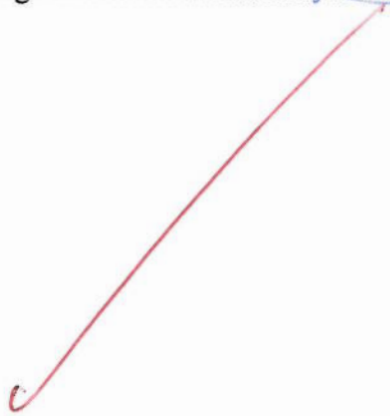
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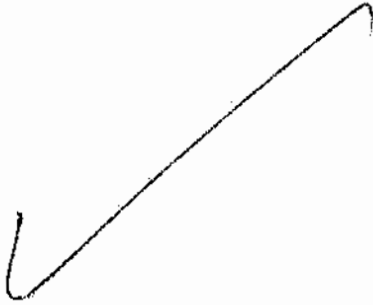
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## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

BUAC-Busitema University Arapai campus

KPDF- Kityerera Presidential Demonstration Farm

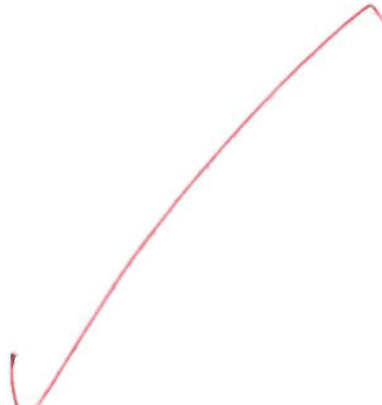
CP- crude protein

KCAL- kilo Calories

KGS- kilograms

IT- Industrial Training

H.E- His Excellency



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ABSTRACT

The report comprises of all the activities that were carried out during the industrial training which commenced on 28<sup>th</sup> February 2022 and ended on 22<sup>th</sup> April 2022 at Kityerera Presidential Demonstration farm in Kityerera sub county Mayuge District.

The enterprises under taken, the time of adoption of different enterprises, reasons for establishment of the farm, the vision and mission of the farm, the activities that were carried out during the Internship, included poultry management activities like cleaning feeding, disease management, beak trimming, egg collection, record keeping and vaccination.

Dairy management practices included feeding, pasture preservation, cleaning, watering, milking, bucket feeding, internal and external parasite control, dehorning, and disease management, Fish culture, mushroom growing and skills attained during the training, lessons learnt, challenges and recommendations.

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## CHAPTER ONE: BACKGROUND

### **Introduction**

This includes the farm historical background, vision, Mission, Goal, objectives of the farm. Location and size of the farm, Type of enterprises, Objectives of the enterprises Choice of the farm, and organizational structure,

### **1.1. Historical background:**

Kityerera Presidential Demonstration farm (KPDF) is one of the President's initiatives to curb poverty levels among the communities through mind set change. His Excellency the president of the republic of Uganda set up the farm to demonstrate wealth creation through agriculture in various enterprises. The farm also demonstrates a four-acre model farming plan with various enterprises.

### **1.2. Vision.**

Improved quality of life of small and medium holder farmers

### **1.3. The mission:**

To equitably empower small and medium holder farmers for food security and nutrition - security, agriculture trade and organization development

### **1.4. Goal:**

Equitable and sustainable access to wealth creation among farmers in Uganda

### **1.5. Objectives of the farm.**

Introducing farmers to grow food crops for commercial purpose on a small scale

To change the mindset of farmers around the area from growing sugarcane to other enterprises through bottle irrigation during dry season.

Introducing farmers to growing of food crops for commercial purpose on a small scale

### **1.6. Location:**

The presidential demonstration farm is located in Kityerera sub county Mayuge District. One hundred and twenty kilometers from Kampala Capital City off Musita along Kampala - Tororo high way.