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## DEDICATION

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## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

LC3- Local Council III

LDLG-Lamwo District Local Government

S/C- Sub County

CBF- Community Based Facilitator

PWD- People with Disability

HIV/AIDS- Human Immune Virus/ Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome

BQ-Black Quarter

CBPP-Contagious bovine pleura pneumonia

T/C Town Council

DVO-District Veterinary Officer

FMD-Foot and Mouth Disease

APM-Animal Production and Management

NCD-Newcastle disease

OWC-Operation Wealth Creation

NUSAF 3-Northern Uganda Social Action Fund phase 3

CAO-Chief Administrative Officer



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## ABSTRACT

A recess term report obtained from a field activities carried out at Veterinary Sector, Production department Lamwo District Local Government, from the 28<sup>th</sup> February to 29<sup>th</sup> April 2022, in the partial requirement for the award of Bachelor in Animal Production and Management of Busitema University. This Recess term was intended to make students benefit from the skills and knowledge gained from the fields, get exposure in the field of study as well as also apply the knowledge they got from the classroom in the field and build confidence in the students. Lamwo district is located in northern part of Uganda bordering South Sudan, with area coverage of 5596 km<sup>2</sup> and the total population of 140231. Agriculture through livestock production and retail and food and cash crop production is the major economic activity in the area.

During the attachment period, through the guidance of DVO and my field supervisor, the activities carried out among others, were orientation in the first week, routine meat inspection at the slaughter unit, vaccination of animals against CBPP, Black quarter, rabies and Newcastle disease. I was also able to carry disease examination and treatment and offering technical guidance to farmers. We conducted training of farmers on livestock production, GBV and adolescence and HIV/AIDS.

With the skills gained in diseases identification and treatment, training and communication skills, meat inspection, also correlating with the class lectures and learning, the ten weeks period of study has generally impacted me either personally, interpersonally or academically, through the provision of valuable experience and improvement of self-confidence and self-concept.

In conclusion, I benefited a lot in the field attachment in a way that I managed to apply class room knowledge into practice through many activities and assignments I was instructed to do. The internship improved my interpersonal skills, presentation skills, acting freely around people, technical skills and knowledge in animal production and management, conflict resolution and group dynamics, organizational skill to mention a few.

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## CHAPTER ONE

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### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report elaborates the activities carried out, the skills and the knowledge gained, challenges faced during the internship had at the veterinary department Lamwo district local government from the 28<sup>th</sup> February 2022 to 29<sup>th</sup> April 2022

### 1.2 BACKGROUND OF THE ORGANISATION

Lamwo district was established by the Act of parliament and it became functional on the 1<sup>st</sup> July 2009. Before that it was part of the Kitgum District. Lamwo District Local Government is run by six major departments; of, Finance, Education, Health, Planning Unit, Production, Works, Administration, Community Based Service, Natural Resources, procurement, Trade and industry and Internal Audit unit

### 1.2 LOCATION

Lamwo district is bordered by South Sudan to the north, Kitgum District to the South, Gulu District to the southwest, and Amuru District to the West. Lamwo district covers an area of 5,596 km<sup>2</sup>. The town of Lamwo is approximately 66 kilometers (41 mi), by road, northwest of Kitgum, the nearest large town. This is approximately 150 kilometers (93 mi), by road, northeast of Gulu, the largest city in the Acholi Sub region.

### 1.3 DEMOGRAPHY

In 2019 the population of Lamwo District was estimated at approximately 140,231. The population of the district is young, with the under 18 age group constituting 58.2% of the population. This provides for an abundant pool of labor but places pressure on the working population.

In 2019, there were approximately 4200 refugees in the district. (Source: District Planning Unit, Lamwo)

### 1.3 MAIN ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

The main economic activity is agriculture. Major crops include simsim, sorghum, maize, sunflower and barely. Sunflower is on the rise with the establishment of an edible oil manufacturing plant, St. Francis Sunflower Press, located in Padibe Sub County. Other cash crops such as simsim, rice, millet, sorghum, groundnuts and beans are growing in economic importance. The people in Lamwo also engaged in general retail and livestock farming