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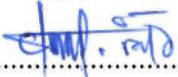
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## DEDICATION

This piece of work is dedicated with love and utmost regard to my parents Mr. Hamala John and Mrs. Tamwiza Tapenensi and my sibs.



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## ACRONYMNS

BDLG	Bugiri District Local Government
DVO	District Veterinary Officer
AI	Artificial Insemination
AHO	Animal Husbandry Officer
FMD	Foot and Mouth Disease
TBD	Tick-Borne Diseases

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## ABSTRACT

Internship (industrial training) is a requirement for students. It is important to gain practical experience by applying knowledge and skills into practice in a professional environment and helping students step close to the door of career. In today's highly competitive job market, having work experience becomes an advantage in finding a job or starting an enterprise.

Like other students, I conducted industrial training from 28<sup>th</sup> February to 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2022. It was lucky for me to be accepted at BDLG in the department of production and marketing particularly the veterinary section. Bugiri district local government was carved out of greater Iganga from Bukoli County and granted status in 1997. It is located at Latitude and Longitude 0.5500 and 33.7500 respectively. The veterinary sector has extension staff mandated to provide veterinary and animal husbandry services to farmers in the district to increase livestock production.

During the internship period, I performed a number of tasks including artificial insemination, castration, disease diagnosis and treatment, dehorning, vaccination, trainings, licensing cattle traders, meat inspection, showcasing in the expo, assisting in delivery etc. in which I attained a number of skills. These activities were possible because I had a theoretical background from university. The skills gained will be paramount in impelling my future career plans.

## CHAPTER ONE: INTRODUCTION

### 1.1. Background

Bugiri district local government was carved out of greater Iganga from Bukoli County and granted status in 1997. It is bordered by Namutumba and Butaleja districts in the North, Tororo district to the East, Namayingo district to the Southeast, Mayuge to the Southwest and Bugiri to the west. It is located at Latitude and Longitude 0.5500 and 33.7500 respectively. The land surface is generally gentle with undulating hills. A narrow and generally higher accentuated relief to the South forms a water shed between Lake Victoria and Northern drainage. Major swamps include Igogero and Kibimba, major hills are Irimbi, Bululu and Namakoko.

As mandated in the local government act 243 which stipulates amongst the functions and responsibilities devolved under the decentralization policy are the planning power. Therefore under such power BDLG council is supposed to prepare a comprehensive, integrated development plan incorporating plan of lower local government.

Administratively, Bugiri district local government has three constituencies say, Bukoli North, Bukoli central and Bugiri Municipal council. It has a number of ten sub counties including Nabukalu, Iwemba, Buluguyi, Bulesa, Kapyanga, Muterere, Bulidha, Budhaya, Nankoma and Buwunga with six town councils of Nankom, Namayemba, Busowa, Buwuni, Nabukalu and Muterere, 83 parishes and wards and 429 villages. As per 2014 population census, Bugiri District population stands at a total of 390,076 person and agriculture forms the backbone of the district as it does in majority of the districts in the country. Bugiri district receives a mean annual rainfall of 1200mm in the wetter South and 900mm in the drier Northwest.

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