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## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

J.A.F Jeressar Animal farm.

DAP Diploma in Animal Production and Management.

BUAC Busitema University Arapai Campus

Mg Management

I.e. That is to say.

E.g. Example

I.T Industrial Training.

ECF East Coast Fever

TBDs Tick Borne Disease

FYM Farm Yard Manure

NCD New Castle Disease

CBPP Contagious Bovine Pleura Pneumonia

CCPP Contagious Caprine Pleura Pneumonia

FM Farm Manager

PD Pregnancy Diagnosis

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#### ABSTRACT

The industrial training was carried out in Jeressah Animal farm for a period of 10 weeks since it is one of the animal husbandry units that was started way back in 2010 with in the school premises the report also show details of background, location, climate, vegetation, and ethnicity.

It also describes the activities the students carried out in the field i.e. observation palpation and diagnosing calves with suspected ECF tail docking of sheep, cleaning of poultry equipments, Feed formulation, Feeding of young turkeys, Turning of litter in poultry houses, Removal of used up litter from poultry houses, Replacing of litter in the poultry houses. Treatment of bullocks against Anaplasmosis, Deworming of heifers, Treatment of heifers with suspected mastitis, Spraying of shoats, Vaccination of poultry birds, Castration of bullocks, Foot trimming, PD, Feeding of poultry birds, Meat inspection, Control of mice in poultry birds, Removal of retained placenta. I treated both poultry and other animals in the farm against TBDs such as ECF; Anaplasmosis, Heart Water and Babesiosis and in poultry I did vaccination against NCD CCPP, Gumboro, and deworming .I also did management practices like spraying, tail docking of sheep and cleaning of equipment's using detergents, and removal and replacing of litter plus turning

The farm had a number of section as indicated in the introductory part of the report i.e. poultry section, Dairy section, shouts section, rabbit section. This helped to impart students with knowledge and skills of Animal Husbandry in Agricultural field. Despite the fact that there were a number of challenges, I conclude that there should be proper facilitation of the project whenever requests are made. I therefore recommend that more sections should be put up e.g. Piggery section because it will contribute to more emphasis in practical Agriculture.



### CHAPTER ONE

#### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

Jeressah Animal farm (JAF) is as a result of top Management initiative. It started way back in 2010 with goats followed by cattle both crossed and local. Sheep was later introduced with turkeys. The farm also consists of white rats and rabbits.

It is a privately owned organization engaged in Dairy, Poultry, Beef and Turkey production. The farm was established for Agricultural practical's and manage the scientific specimens for biology practical's mostly rats and rabbits. Other products like beef is also consumed by staff others like milk, eggs, chicken and Turkey meat.

#### 1.2 LOCATION

The Farm is located in eastern division in orwadai village a few meters away from soroti town.

## 1.3 SOILS AND VEGETATION

The rainfall pattern in normal with two seasons in the month of March to May and August to October extending to early November The farm is situated under a savannah type of vegetation with clay type of soils, scattered trees

#### 1.4 ADMINISTRATION

The farm is privately owned by the Director of Jeressar High School and it's being managed by the farm manager, farm accountant and farm assistant then the causal workers.