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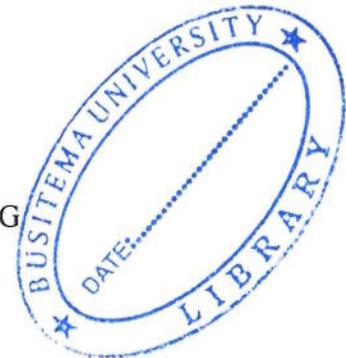
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## DEDICATION.

With great honor , I would like dedicate this report to the Head of department Agribusiness and extension of Busitema university Arapai campus, my family members and all my lecturers of Agribuiness at their various capacities. May you all use this report in order to improve the production sector of our country Uganda.



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## LIST OF ABBRIVATIONS

DVO	DISTRICT VETENARY OFFICER
SVO	SENIOR VETENARY OFFICER
AAHO	ASSISTANCE ANIMAL HUSBANDRY OFFICER
AO	AGRICULTURAL OFFICER
DFO	DISTRICT FOREST OFFICER
DPO	DISTRICT PRODUCTION OFFICER
DCO	DISTRICT COMMERCIAL OFFICER
DEO	DISTRICT ENTOMOLOGY OFFICER
DPMO	DISTRICT PRODUCTION AND MARKETING OFFICER
OWC	OPERATION WEALTH CREATION COORDINATOR
DAO	DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL OFFICER
APO	AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION OFFICER
CDO	COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT OFFICER
CAO	CHIEF ADMINSTRATION OFFCER

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## ABSTRACT.

Industrial training is one of the course unit carried out at busitema university Arapai campus . It is done outside lecturer's room and it's all about interaction between farmers , students and field supervisor . I did mine in 9 weeks starting from Monday 28/Feb/2022 up to 02/may/2022 (that is two months and one week ) and was divided in to three sections

In the field, we constructed nursery beds , i trained farmers on food safety and meat handling especially at abattoir, we did pricking out seedlings at the agroforestry section, we interacted with farmers on how they should improve their apiary, we also trained farmers on how to plant maize on demonstration garden and I did also vaccination of chicken against new castle , we sensitized farmers on fall armyworm infestation . further more, I also carried out deworming of small ruminants (goats) against internal worms worms like tape worms, round worms and this was done by giving animal albendazol orally. On the other hand and I also trained farmers on soil and water conservation measures like using gabions and constructing ridges to reduce runoff

In the office, we attended to farmers who have different problems , I did profiling of farmers groups , we distributed one day old chicken to farmers and we trained farmers on good poultry management, I organized office and I trained farmers on how to intercrop coffe with bananas with the recommended spacing (6mx 6m ) for bananas.

In the abattoir, we gotv to know operation of the abattoir , I inspected animals through antemortem and postmortem to ensure that the meat passed for human consumption in the area is safe and free from diseases and germs . However during my internship the major cases encountered include east coast fever Anaplasmosis and helminthes infestated animals and recommendation made were for the veterinary sector to carry out tick control and mass treatment of animal and adviced farmers to practice regular deworming

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## CHAPTER ONE

### 1.0 introduction.

I carried out my industrial training at Abim District local government under the office of production and marketing department starting from the 28<sup>th</sup> /Feb/2022 up to the 2<sup>nd</sup> /May/2022. This covered 9 weeks of training. The office of production and marketing department under local government deals with the aspect of animals, crops and agroforestry. The activities carried out by the field supervisors on the first day of reporting were: The office work plan was designed in 3 areas first, office work, field work and abattoir, each student participated in the three activities respectively.

### 1.1 Location of Abim district

The district is bordered by Kotido to the North and East, Napak District to the southeast and south, Otukei district to the southwest and Agago District to the west. The district headquarters at Abim are located approximately 140km (87mi), by road, northwest of Moroto, the largest town in the region. This location lies approximately 366km (227mi), by road, North east of Kampala, the capital city of Uganda. The coordinates of the district are 0244N, 334E.

### 1.2 Historical background

Abim district became functional on 1<sup>st</sup> /July/2006 prior to that, it was called as Labwor county in Kotido District. The District is composed of six (6) subcounties these are Magamaga subcounty, Abim town council, Oporoth subcounty, Morulem subcounty, Lotuke subcounty, Abim subcounty and 35 parishes with 309 villages. Abim district covers an area of approximately 2,353.3 square kilometers (908.689mi). The district is part of Karamoja sub region, home of one million Karamojong. The subregion of Karamoja consists of the following Districts, Abim District, Amudat District, Kotido District, Kaabong District, Karenga District, Napak District, Moroto District. Karamoja region has two municipalities, these are Kotido municipal council and Moroto municipal council. Abim District has got a wet and dry woodland Savana type of climate, characterized by an intensive list of seasons that last from December to February.