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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AHO	Animal Husbandry Office
CBPP	Contagious bovine pleura pneumonia
CCPP	Contagious caprine pleura pneumonia
DDA	Dairy Development Authority
Dr.	Doctor
DVO	District Veterinary Officer
ECF	East coast fever
I/M	Intramuscular
Kg	kilograms
MAAIF	Ministry Agriculture, Animal Industry and Fisheries
Mg	milligrams
Mr.	Mister
NCD	Newcastle disease
NUSAF	Northern Uganda Social Action Fund
OA	Office Assistant
OTC	Ox tetracycline
OWC	Operation Wealth Creation
S/C	sub-county
SOCADIDO	Soroti Catholic Dioces Integrated Development Organization
SVO	Senior Veterinary Officer
UCA	Uganda Cooperative Authority
UNRA	Uganda National Road Authority

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ABSTRACT

Industrial training is one of the course units carried out in Busitema University. It is done outside class and it's all about interaction between the farmers and extension workers. I did my internship in 10 weeks, from 20th May-26th July (Two months and two weeks) and was divided into 2 sections:

In the office, we attended to farmers who had different problems, vaccinated many dogs against rabies that the owners were able to bring and cleaning, arranging of the office was all done.

In the field, we diagnosed and treated the animals with the help of the technical expertise, inseminated cows, dewormed, sprayed cattle, pigs and shoats, vaccinated birds against NCD, cattle against CBPP, gave prophylactic treatment cattle and ear tagged them and attended training workshops.

However, during my internship the major cases encountered include, CBPP, ECF, anaplasmosis and helminthes infestated animals and recommendations made were; for the veterinary sector to construct crushes and carry out tick control and massive treatment schedule, and advise farmers to carry out prompt and regular deworming.

CHAPTER ONE

1.0 INTRODUCTION

I carried out my internship from Soroti veterinary office starting from 21TH May to 26TH July-2018. This covered 10 weeks of training. The office of the district veterinary office is under local government and also deals with the aspect of animal (livestock). The activities carried out are done according to the work plan designed by the field supervisor on the first day of reporting. The work plan is designed in 2 areas first; office work, field and each student participated in the 2 activities.

1.1 Location

Soroti District Veterinary Office is located in Soroti Municipality, Eastern Uganda opposite Soroti Sports Ground.

1.2 Historical background

The growth of Soroti dates as far back as 1904 when the district commissioner of Mbale sent Kakungulu to open up some administration unites in Serere, Gweri and Soroti areas.

Part of Kakungulu's team camped near the rock at Soroti and settled there. The choice of this site was as a camping site and was probably influenced by the availability of good drinking water from the nearby streams and the fact that the rock had some advantage on the matter of dams for settlers from the local inhabitants around under the organized and rule of Kakungulu.

Local inhabitants were forced to clear the forests and within a few days, a large area had been cleared and considerable amount of settlement had taken place. Thatched houses for administrative purposes of Soroti County were put stands and dispensaries in temporarily materials stood at the site of Soroti hospital.

Later on with the coming of the Asian traders, small shops in the semi-permanent materials were put up in Soroti. The traders brought in clothes, salt, beads, shoes, were traded with exchange for skins, beans, chicken and groundnuts (batter trade).