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DEDICATION

I dedicate this report to the family of Ezekiel Eituno farm supplier Dokolo-Gweri, our field supervisor and world vision Gweri sub- County.

Special thanks goes to the faculty Dean Busitema University Arapai Campus and all the staff Busitema University Arapai campus.

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BU Busitema University.

CDPP Community Disaster Preparedness Plan.

DCP Diploma in crop production and management.

EEFSDG Eituno Ezekiel Farm Supplier Dokolo Gweri.

KM kilometres

NAADS National Agricultural Advisory Services.

SWOT Strength Weaknesses Opportunities Threats.

UP Under Private.

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Fig 2: showing Opolot Charles raising day old chicks.

Fig 3: showing Opolot Charles demonstrating to farmers on row planting.

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ABSTRACT

The main purpose of the training was to gain more knowledge and skills based on the practical field experience on the farm. The training was based on both crop and animal production and management. The other thing was to attain more experience on how to handle cases and to interact with the community as we are focusing towards achieving our carriers..

The following are the major activities i carried out in the course of the training: Orientation, Citrus production, goat and sheep rearing, mango production, poultry production, tomato growing, fish farming, maize production, onion production, groundnut production and green house construction. The training was based on the technical aspect with the help of the field supervisor.

The training was also to enable us to transfer the information gained from the University theoretically to the community practically as we gained more experienced on our field of specialisation

During the training I encountered a few challenges like harsh weather conditions, shortage of resources and others.

Despite of the challenges I encountered during the training, I was able to complete the training successfully and therefore I would like to recommend that the farm should rectify the problems mentioned in chapter three above and others that my colleques will raise.

CHAPTER ONE

1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Meaning of industrial training.

Internship is a course unit run by universities for most of the programmes. This intends to equip students to field skills and enable them appreciate the link between the theory learnt in the class and their respective professional fields at Busitema University. The activity is meant to run for ten weeks at the faculty of agriculture and animal sciences, the industrial training is done during the internship period. To comply with the university requirement from may 16th to July 22nd 2016; the author trained at Eituno Ezekiel farm supplier Dokolo Gweri. Experiences gained and observations made are reflected in this report

1.2 Objectives of the training

To gain experience on related activities.

To relate the theoretical knowledge got from the University to the practice in the field.

To get acquainted with the farm system of operation.

1.3 The historical back ground of the farm

The farm was established in 2001 after attaining sensitization from the government programme like National Agricultural Advisory Services (NAADS). Initially the farm was engaged in subsistence production that used to sustain the family such as traditional crops like groundnuts, cassava, potatoes, millet, sorghum, etc. The only commercial purpose was rice and tomatoes.

However after attaining knowledge on modern farming, the farmer selected citrus production enterprise since it was so suitable for him. However after conducting Strength Weaknesses Opportunities Threats (SWOT) analysis the farmer adopted other enterprises such as poultry production, goat and sheep farming and fish farming, this however attracted a number of visitors from within and outside Uganda including the president of the republic of Uganda Yoweri Kaguta Museveni hence the existence of the farm.