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1.0 INTRODUCTION

The industrial training is done for the FPA310 course that ask students to going through the training in selected company and learn all the activities in real plantation and also involved in those activities to ensure students feel the real situation of the works. Students also need to make a logbook to list down all the activities that they have been do as a record to complete their report. I do my industrial training at Sabah Land Development Board, Apas Balung Estate at Tawau. This company work for oil palm plantation and build in the Apas Balung area where the area has divide into three divisions. Those three division are Blok 31, Serudung and Apas division. I going through five weeks to accomplish my industrial training and have been shown various work that do by the workers in the company. While I do my industrial training there, the plantation have already new planted of oil palm trees. So the work that focused is general maintenance such as weeding and manuring and also harvesting work. Besides that, I also exposed to the office work that done by the supervisor.

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1.1 Agency Background

Sabah Land Development Board is an agency that work under Sawit Kinabalu Sdn Bhd. SLDB Apas Balung Estate has established on 1980 and start their operation on 1981. The focused of this company is to help the community around Apas Balung area to generate income by planting the major crops that is oil palm especially for the villagers that live in the area. There are three separated areas which is Serudung, Blok 31 and Apas and those areas have separated into a few block that have its own owner.