FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS

Terms of Reference for Intern *

Name:			
Job Title:** Pastoralist			
Division/Department: AGAG			
Programme/Project Number: Pastoralist Knowledge Hub			
Duty Station: FAO HQ, Rome			
Expected Start Date of Assignment:		**Duration:** 3-6 months	
Reports to: ***Name:*** Gregorio Velasco-Gil, AGAG		***Title:*** Coordinator	

* Please note: If this TOR is for Consultant / PSA.SBS contract, the minimum relevant experience required **for the assignment** is as follows:
1 year for a category C 5 years for a category B 12 years for a category A

** Please enter a short title (max 25 chars) for this assignment.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF TASK(S) AND OBJECTIVES TO BE ACHIEVED

Based in the Animal Production and Health Division, FAO's Pastoralist Knowledge Hub was launched to fill the gaps in global policy discussions on pastoralism and the need to bring attention to the challenges faced by pastoral communities. By systematizing the compilation of available information, literature and knowledge as well as technical tools, assessments and research results, the Hub also aims at better advising evidence-based decision-making at all levels.

The incumbent will assist the AGA programme in developing and implementing the programme of work that focuses on pastoralism and resilience. Close linkages with other groups within AGA, and other divisions and programmes (e.g. TCE, SP5) working on related subjects. More specifically he / she will contribute to:

- AGAG's work on pastoralism and resilience and emergencies in livestock production systems:
- Identification of gaps in areas of tools, policies, indicators and knowledge to improve resilience in pastoralist systems and increase their presence in policy arenas;
- Coordination with other agencies and stakeholders working on pastoralism, and ensure that up to date and state of the art information is available in the pastoralists knowledge hub web portal
- Coordination with other technical units in AGA and FAO divisions to include climate change impact in framewrok for improving resilience.
- Projects identification, formulation and technical support in the area of pastoralism and resilience of livestock production systems.
- Preparation of documents and reports related to pastoralism and resilience
- Promotion of the application of the Livestock Emergency Guidelines and Standards (LEGS) and FAO related guidelines and manuals.
- Undertake other related duties, on request.

KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

Expected Outputs:	Required Completion Date:
Successfully undertake in a timely manner the duties as set out above.	As required by the supervisor and by the end of the contract.