



ETHICAL CLIMATE, INFORMATION CULTURE, RECORDS MANAGERS COMPETENCE AND EFFECTIVE PUBLIC PROCUREMENT RECORD KEEPING IN UGANDAN PROCURING AND DISPOSING ENTITIES

ABSTRACT

The purpose of this study was to investigate the relationship between Ethical climate, information culture, Records manager's competence and effective public procurement record keeping in Ugandan procuring and disposing entities (PDEs).

The study adopted a cross sectional survey and a correlational survey design. The study was conducted using a sample of 121 PDEs selected using a simple random sampling technique. The data collected were edited for incompleteness and inconsistency to ensure correctness of the information given by respondents. The statistical package for social scientist (SPSS) was used for data entry and analysis.

Findings revealed that ethical climate, information culture and records manager's competence are significant predictors of effective public procurement record keeping accounting for 45.4% of variance.

It is therefore recommended that Procuring and disposal Units (PDEs), need to improve ethical climate, records managers' competence and information culture in order to promote effective public procurement record keeping.