

ABSTRACT

This study was meant to determine the effect of rural development on rural urban migration. The study was guided by the specific objectives; To determine whether rural development can serve as a panacea for rural urban migration, To find out the socio-economic causes of rural urban migration, To determine the implications of rural urban migration on rural development, To identify measures put in place for rural development by government

The study employed the survey research design; questionnaires in addition to library research were applied in order to collect data. Primary and secondary data sources were used and data was analyzed which was presented in frequency tables and percentage. The respondents under the study were 50 respondents of Ovia North East Local Government Area of Edo State. The study findings revealed that Rural development can serve as a means of combating rural urban migration. Lack of basic infrastructure, poverty and illiteracy has been identified as the major causes of rural urban migration.

Overpopulation, unemployment, poor standard of living have been identified as the consequences of rural urban migration. Government intervention is needed in the area of provision of infrastructure in rural area to enhance rural development and discourage rural urban migration. This study will help beam the searchlight on rural development and its substantive effect in combating rural urban migration in Nigeria.

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 BACKGROUND

Rural areas are a key sector in every nation's economy and their rapid development and modernization have gained the attention of policymakers and governments all over the world. This is because a sizeable majority of the population lives therein therefore; the future of the country depends largely on it.

The American Bureau of Census classifies a group of people living in a community having a population of not more than 2,500 people as rural, whereas in Nigeria, the Federal Office of Statistics defines a community with less than 20,000 people as rural. According to Afolayan (1995), rural areas can be easily identified by various criteria, apart from population. Such criteria include the level of infrastructural development i.e. road networks, educational institutions, water supply, electricity, health facilities, communication, etc. Other criteria used include Occupation, Housing, Extent of community planning etc.

Typically, rural dwellers are less vocal, characterized by a culture of poverty, as most people live barely above subsistence level (Laah et al, 2013). Rural areas in developing countries are usually deprived of the basic needs of life such as housing, medical care, postal communication, education, transport etc.

Specifically, rural areas refer to geographical areas that lie outside the densely built-up environment of towns, cities and the sub-urban villages and whose inhabitants are engaged primarily in agriculture as well as the most basic of rudimentary form of secondary and tertiary activities (Ezeah, 2005). Rural area, which is the opposite of an urban area, refers to the country side whose population engages mainly in primary production activities like agriculture, fishing, and rearing of livestock (Ele, 2006). About 90 percent of the rural labour workforce engages directly or indirectly in agriculture (Nyagba, 2009).

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