ABSTRACT

The importance of financial information in managerial decision is to provide information that links the daily actions of managers to the strategic objectives of an organization . The study was done at NSSF with 50 respondents participated. The main objective of the study was to assess the importance of financial information in managerial decision. In fact, managers' decisions can vary depending on the information available to them and their capability to understand them.

Both methods, qualitative and quantities analysis were used in data analysis. Research findings were obtained by using the following methods; Documentations, Interview, observation and questionnaires. The presentation of data has been illustrated in terms of tables, figures, charts, percentages and frequencies. The presentation of the Research findings was carried out according to each research question by pinpointing different issues which support or ignore each research question.

The findings show that role and utilization of financial information in decision-making at National Social Security Fund is vital. The study has provided evidence of a greater focus on understanding the importance and overall situation that influence the use of financial information in decision making than a dependency on narrowly defined technical aspects of financial information.

The researcher has therefore concluded based on this research which provides evidence that the use of financial information can improve decision making and be developed into a competitive capability for organisations. Also he made several recommendations; the most important being the governing boards must facilitate the use of financial indicators and extent and direction of that use, because the board can be a major proponent or inhibitor of using financial indicators, further understanding of what motivates governing boards to use financial indicators would be useful in guiding their use in financial information in decision making.

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