



International Affairs: Changes Needed to Forge an Effective Relationship Between Aid and Voluntary Agencies: Id-82-25 (Paperback)

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Bibliogov, United States, 2013. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 246 x 189 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Congress has repeatedly expressed concern over the Agency for International Development s (AID) implementation of congressional policy to expand cooperation with Private and Voluntary Organizations (PVO). GAO undertook a review of the role of PVO in the development of international assistance programs, focusing on: (1) the function and effectiveness of PVO; (2) what the proper structure of the relations between PVO and AID should be; and (3) how much emphasis should be placed on PVO. PVO strategy emphasizes the strengthening of local organizations, such as church, private, and government institutions operating at the village or regional level. PVO are distinctive from AID in the level and scale on which they operate; that is, they undertake small projects at the local level while AID generally works through national or regional governments on considerably larger projects. The dual approach of AID funding to PVO programs consists primarily of grants from the overseas missions responsible for administering the AID programs in individual developing countries and grants from the Washington-based bureau responsible for coordinating relations with PVO. However, procedures for mission funding...



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