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SUBJECT: ADS 302's Additional Help: Legal Trends and Caveats on the Evaluation of Past Performance Information

NEW MATERIAL: This notice announces the issuance of revised ADS Chapter 302's Additional Help: Legal Trends and Caveats on the Evaluation of Past Performance Information. This revision retitles the document and provides digests and a link to the full text of GAO cases

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Ignoring Offeror's Past Performance on Incumbent Contract

'Stale' Past Performance Information

Lack of Relevant Past Performance/Neutral Rating

Relevance of Offeror's Past Performance Information

Unequal Effort in Contacting References

Subcontractor Past Performance

Evaluator's Personal Knowledge of Performance

Documentation of Past Performance Evaluation

Evaluating Past Performance and Experience Separately

Access the revised Additional Help at:

<http://www.usaid.gov/policy/ads/300/302sai.pdf>

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