

Dear Colleague:

Thank you for your interest in registering with the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID). Copies of the New Application Checklist and the U.S. PVO Conditions of Registration will explain the process of registering with USAID. These documents will assist you in completing your application for registration.

The following is an important step in initial registration. PVOs that are not registered with USAID are encouraged to begin the registration application process by discussing with the appropriate USAID office, mission, or bureau the relevance of their proposed project to USAID's overall program and legislative mandate. If, and when, USAID shares clear interest, the organization can apply for registration.

In accordance with the above, you are encouraged to speak with a USAID desk officer for the country or countries in which your organization is interested. Please call our information line at (202) 712-0000 or visit our Web site at <a href="www.usaid.gov">www.usaid.gov</a>. A cover letter describing your overseas programs and their relevance to USAID's strategic objectives is also requested to facilitate your application.

Submit your organization's completed application IN DUPLICATE to ensure timely processing to the address below. For more information, telephone the Registration Office at (202) 712-4747. Please note that partial packages will be discarded.

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Sincerely,

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