Contribution Collections

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INTRODUCTION

Work in Progress

BACKGROUND

Longstanding Issue
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Contractor Selection
Survey

Survey Results

- 26 FORMS RETURNED from 23 COUNTRIES
- 15 SELECTED FOR FURTHER REVIEW

 ARGENTINA 	IAPAN	MEXICO
	17 77 7 77 4	

- AZERBAIJAN JORDAN MOROCCO
- CAMEROON MALAYSIA PHILIPPINES
- FRANCE UGANDA
- GHANA
 UNITED KINGDOM
- ITALY URUGUAY

FINDINGS

- NOT STATISTICALLY VALID/NO VALIDATION
- NO "SILVER BULLET"
- COMBINATION OF SEVEN CRITICAL FACTORS
- Originally six
- 1.ORGANIZATIONAL LOCATION
- A. TAX AUTHORITY NO SURE THING
- B. ECONOMY OF SCALE
- 2.AGE OF PROGRAM

FINDINGS (continued)

- 3.DEGREE OF COVERAGE/SIZE & DIVERSITY OF WORKFORCE
- 4.DEGREE OF AUTOMATION
- 5.COORDINATION WITH OUTSIDE ORGANIZATIONS
- 6.CONSTANT EVALUATION and ADJUSTMENT
- 7.CULTURE of SOCIAL SECURITY

OTHER COMMON FACTORS

- Contribution Rate and Method of Financing
- Contracting Out
- Changes in Law
- Economic Factors
- Percentage of Self Employed
- Interest Rates and Penalties
- Educational and Public Relations Efforts

SOME UNIQUE APPROACHES

- Simplification and Frequency of Amendments
- Specialized Help in Debt Collection
- Awareness Campaign for Homeworkers (or other specialized groups)
- Publicly Identifying Indebted Establishments
- Moving the Payment Remittance Date
- Special Coordination with Chamber of Commerce
- Establishing Specialized Collection Units
- Establishing a Special Pension Day or Month
- Requiring Certificate of Proof of Contribution Pymt
- Stationing Collection Agents Abroad
- Establishing and Publishing a Strategic Plan

Some Remaining Problems

- Lack of Common Identifier
- Data Matching vs. Confidentiality
- Lack of Automation
- Insufficient Budgets
- Ageing Workforce

SUMMARY

- Many Complex Factors Interact
- Relationship to Management and Innovation Report
- Next Steps
- Continuing Efforts