

Efficiency in County Government: The Role of Intergovernmental Agreements and Privatization; Robin A. Johnson, Norman Walzer; 1998; Illinois Office of the Comptroller, Local Government Affairs Division, 1998

The government may be reluctant to get rid of the workers because of the negative publicity involved in job losses. Therefore, state-owned enterprises often employ too many workers increasing inefficiency. 3. Short term view. A government many think only in terms of the next election. Privatization creates private monopolies, such as the water companies and rail companies. These need regulating to prevent abuse of monopoly power. Therefore, there is still need for government regulation, similar to under state ownership. 5. Fragmentation of industries. What are the challenges of privatization and liberalization in developing nations like Tanzania. Reply. accecons. The term intergovernmental organization (IGO) refers to an entity created by treaty, involving two or more nations, to work in good faith, on issues of. In this current era of increasing globalization and interdependence of nations, IGOs have come to play a very significant role in international political systems and global governance. IGOs cover multiple issues and involve governments from every region of the world, including offices in the U.S. Among the oldest IGOs are the United Nations, which replaced the League of Nations, the Universal Postal Union, and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO). The Universal Postal Union, founded in 1874, is currently a specialized agency of the UN. Understand the role of governments in promoting sustainability Present the role of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Explain Agenda 21 and the role of local governments. Discuss the history, growth, and funding of nongovernmental organizations. (NGOs). Expand on the role of NGOs in social development, community development, and sustainable development. Explore NGOs and business partnerships. Discuss the role of NGOs and sustainable consumption. Present the five types of environmental NGOs.