THE EFFECTS OF FOREIGN AID ON POLITICS IN ZIMBABWE.

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ABSTRACT

The main objective of the study was to make an investigation of effects of foreign aid on politics in Zimbabwe. This was achieved through identifying the nature and characteristics of the status quo of the government of national unity its ministries and activities of foreign aid agencies throughout the country and assessing the impact of aid assistance in a number of projects and programmes being conducted. The research design was used was exploratory survey. A purposive random sampling was used in the selection of aid agencies and government ministries. The research used formal survey questionnaires and key informant interviews to generate data. Data was analysed with the given views from respondents and was presented in graphs and tables. The research found out that foreign aid is not neutral in pursuit of the intended objectives, aim and targets of saving the lives of the victims of the crisis and conflict but rather pursuant of political and economic interests.