



# INTRODUCTION

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FCRA (Foreign Contribution Regulation Act) renewal is a critical process for NGOs (Non-Governmental Organizations) that wish to continue receiving foreign contributions legally. NGOs in India that are registered under <u>FCRA renewal</u> must their registration every five years to ensure they remain compliant with the Act's requirements. The process is essential for maintaining the transparency and accountability of the organization when dealing with foreign funds. NGO Experts can assist in navigating the renewal process smoothly, ensuring all necessary documentation and compliance requirements are met.

## **KEY POINTS:**

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## **Timely FCRA Renewal**

**Submission:** NGOs must apply for FCRA renewal at least six months before their current registration expires. Failure to do so can lead to delays or even the cancellation of their registration, which can affect their ability to receive foreign funding.

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#### **Comprehensive Documentation:**

The FCRA renewal process requires NGOs to provide a range of documents, including audited financial statements, a list of foreign contributions received, and details about the utilization of the funds. NGO Experts help prepare and organize these documents, ensuring full compliance with legal requirements.

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### **Continued Eligibility for Foreign**

Contributions: By completing the FCRA renewal process on time, NGOs can maintain their eligibility to receive and utilize foreign funds for their charitable activities. This is crucial for sustaining the organization's operations and continuing their social welfare programs.



