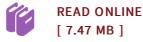




Users, Not Customers: Who Really Determines the Success of Your Business

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