

## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OFFICE OF INVESTIGATIONS

## **CLOSEOUT MEMORANDUM**

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We received an allegation that the subject's NSF proposal contained a request for funds that appeared to be inappropriate. The subject indicated in the proposal that he was a full-time faculty member at a foreign university as well as a faculty member with status at a U.S. institution from which the proposal was submitted. Further, he stated that although his appointment at the foreign institution was permanent, he spent every other summer at the U.S. institution. In his proposal, he requested funds for three-consecutive years of summer salary and travel expenses (domestic and foreign travel). Neither request seemed appropriate given the work-schedule and salary information presented.

We wrote to subject whose responses provided us documentation and other information to resolve this matter. He also indicated that he planned to terminate his association with the U.S. institution and work full-time at the foreign institution.

This case is closed and no further action will be taken.

Agent Attorney Supervisor AIGI
Sign / date