



NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL
OFFICE OF INVESTIGATIONS

CLOSEOUT MEMORANDUM

Case Number: I-09100061

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This investigation was opened in response to an allegation that two NSF employees¹ had used NSF resources to work on partisan political activities. A review records found sufficient evidence to refer the matter to the Office of Special Counsel (OSC) for potential violations of the Hatch Act. OSC sent a letter to one employee² warning to not conduct partisan political activities in the workplace, and pursued disciplinary action against the other. Our office examined the second employee's misconduct in relation to NSF and OGE regulations. We concluded the matter should be closed without further investigatory effort.

This case is closed with no further action taken.

