



NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL
OFFICE OF INVESTIGATIONS

CLOSEOUT MEMORANDUM

Case Number: I-12060033

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We received an allegation that funds charged to an NSF award to a university¹ were inappropriately authorized for travel². The allegation suggested that travel vouchers had been manipulated and stated that an official complaint to the EEOC had been lodged against the university. Our investigation determined that the above allegations were not substantiated.

Our investigation revealed that the university had incorrectly coded certain expenses to an NSF award³ which wrongly incurred indirect costs as a result. The university returned funds⁴ to NSF and will take steps to ensure proper coding and submissions of expenses in the future.

The investigation is complete with no further action necessary. Accordingly, this case is closed.

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