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## **MEMORANDUM**

Date:

January 18, 2000

From:

File #99030<del>00</del>6

To:

Through:

Re:

Case Close-out-

### **Background**

We received an anonymous letter alleging that the President of has been submitting duplicate proposals and reports in order to obtain funding from multiple agencies for the same work.

# **Investigation**

We reviewed several proposals and final reports which had been submitted by to multiple agencies. We particularly focused on proposals with similar or identical titles. In each case, we discovered that although the proposals were similar, the proposals submitted at later dates disclosed the performance of "similar work" which had been funded by other agencies. In addition, the final reports from these grants and contracts were not alike.

# **Findings**

Although several proposals submitted by the same are similar, the company disclosed other funding and performed work which resulted in different final reports. This case is closed.